

The cover art features a male protagonist with dark, spiky hair, shown in profile from the waist up. He is wearing a dark, long-sleeved jacket with yellow trim on the collar and cuffs, over a dark t-shirt. He is standing in a desolate, rocky landscape under a hazy, orange-tinted sky. The title 'Solo Leveling' is prominently displayed in the center, with 'Solo' in white and 'Leveling' in yellow. The number '4' is at the bottom center, indicating the volume number. Below the number, the publisher 'DUBU (REDICE STUDIO)' and the original story author 'CHUGONG' are listed.

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CHARACTERS

Jinwoo Sung



E-rank Hunter

Yoonho Baek



S-rank Hunter, Guild Master
of the White Tiger Guild

Dongsoo Hwang



S-rank Hunter,
Scavenger Guild

Jinchul Woo



A-rank Hunter, Hunter's
Association of Korea

Chul Kim



A-rank Hunter,
White Tiger Guild

Heejin Park



B-rank Hunter,
White Tiger Guild



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Your job has been finalized.

Bonus points will be awarded.

Depending on the advancement points acquired, you may progress to a higher class.

Leftover HP is over 50%.

Bonus points will be awarded.

PING!

You have defeated all the enemies.

Bonus points will be awarded.

You have exceeded the expected survival time.

Bonus points will be awarded.

PING!

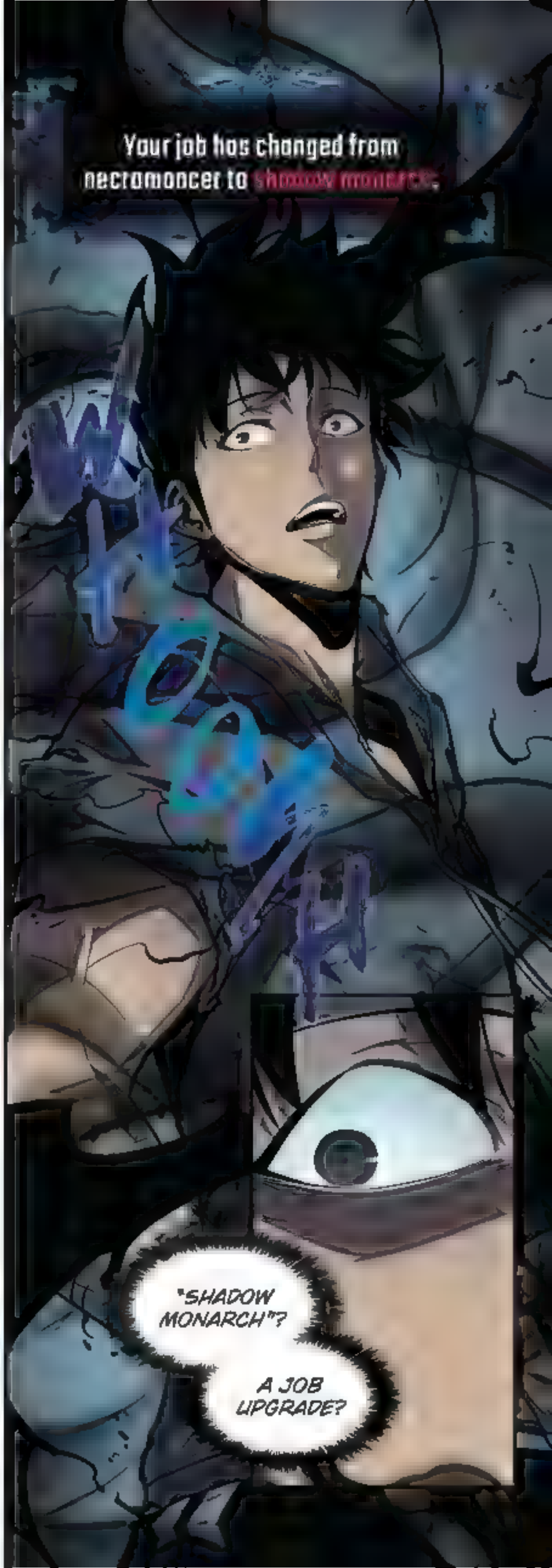
You have not used the Instant Teleportation Stone.

Your total advancement points have exceeded the class threshold.

ZMM



Your job has changed from
necromancer to ~~shadow monarch~~.



"SHADOW
MONARCH"?

A JOB
UPGRADE?

You have learned job-exclusive skills.

PING!

PING!

You have acquired bonus stats.



PING!

You have acquired
[Title: The One Who Overcome Adversity].

I CAN'T
BELIEVE I
UPGRADED
INSTANTLY!

PROBABLY
THANKS TO ALL
THOSE BONUS
POINTS.



WARRIOR →
BERSERKER



KNIGHT →
PALADIN

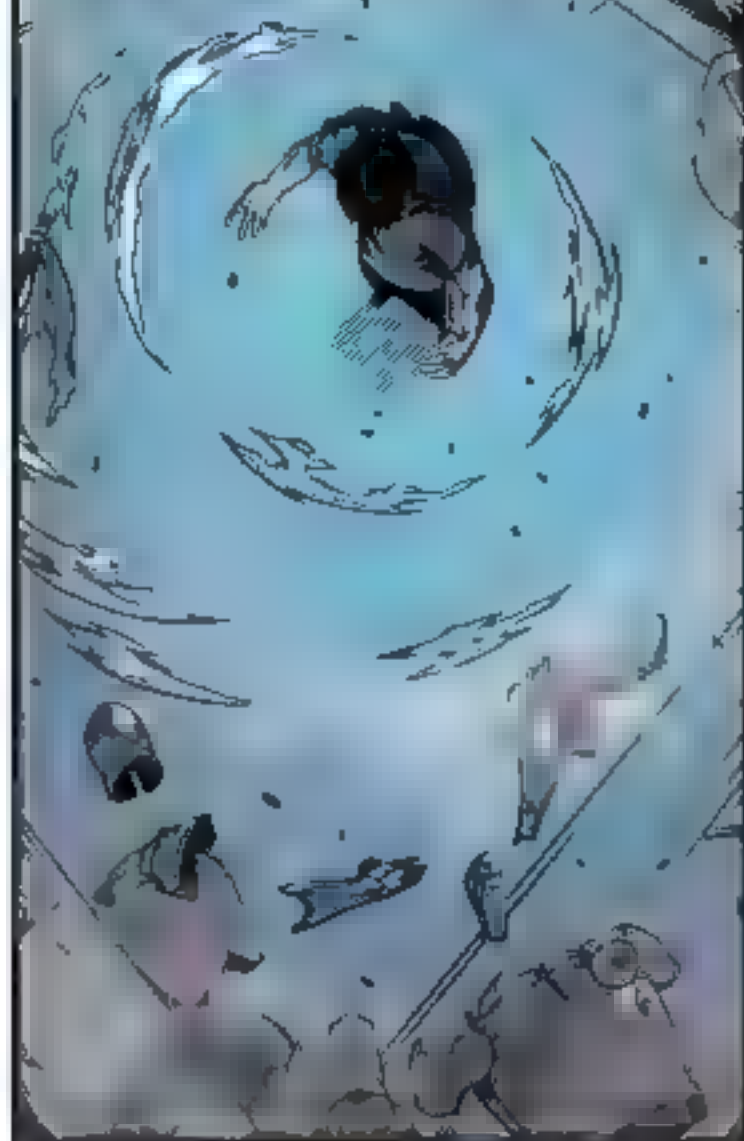


MAGE →
GREAT MAGE



NECROMANCER →
SHADOW MONARCH

WITHOUT THOSE
BONUS POINTS, I
WOULD'VE STAYED A
NECROMANCER FOR
QUITE A WHILE.



I HEAR
SCREAMING.

FSHH

FSHH

IT SOUNDS
LIKE THEY'RE
IN PAIN.

Shadow Extraction is possible.

Shadow Extraction is possible.

Shadow Extraction is possible.

I SEE. THIS IS
THE POWER OF A
NECROMANCER!



SHADOW
EXTRACTION
MUST ALLOW ME
TO TRANSFORM
THE DEAD INTO
MINIONS.

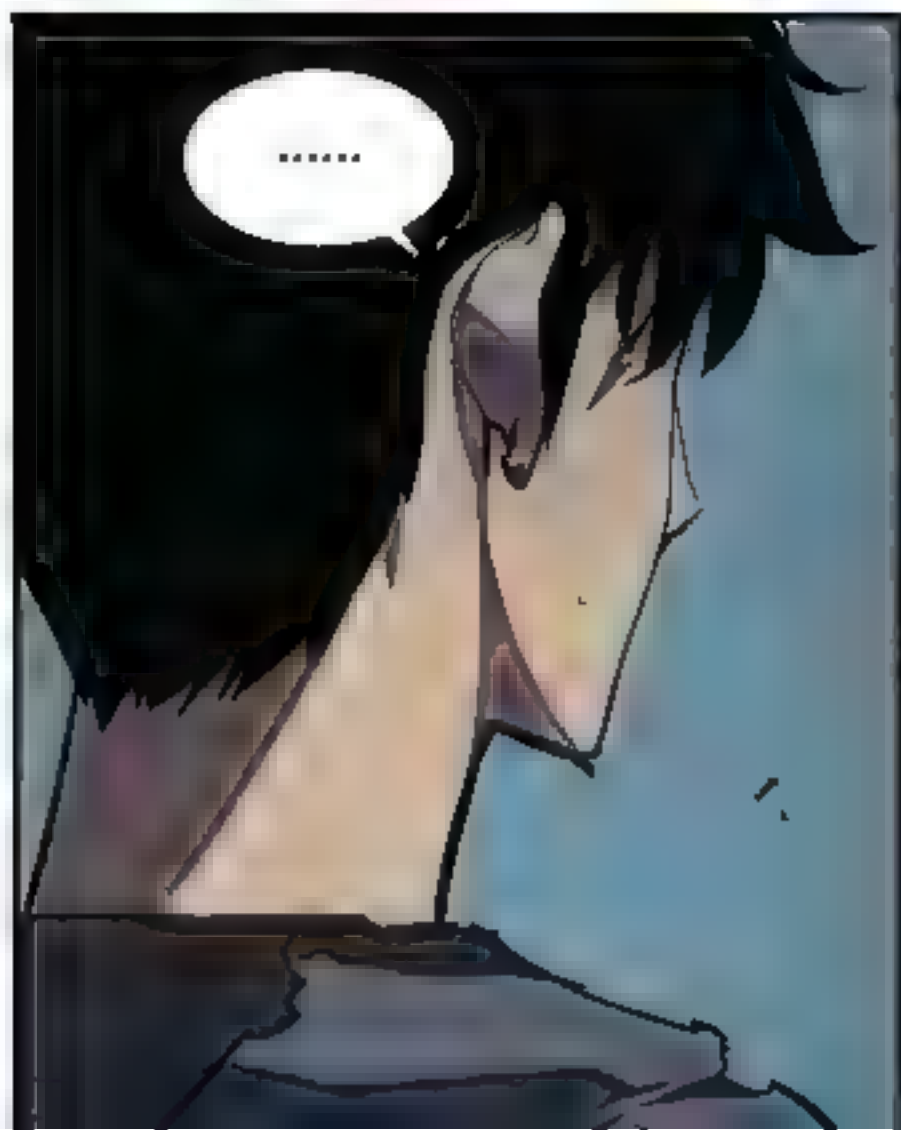
SO
BASICALLY, A
NECROMANCER
IS A KIND OF
MAGE...



Please designate a command word
for [Skill: Shadow Extraction].



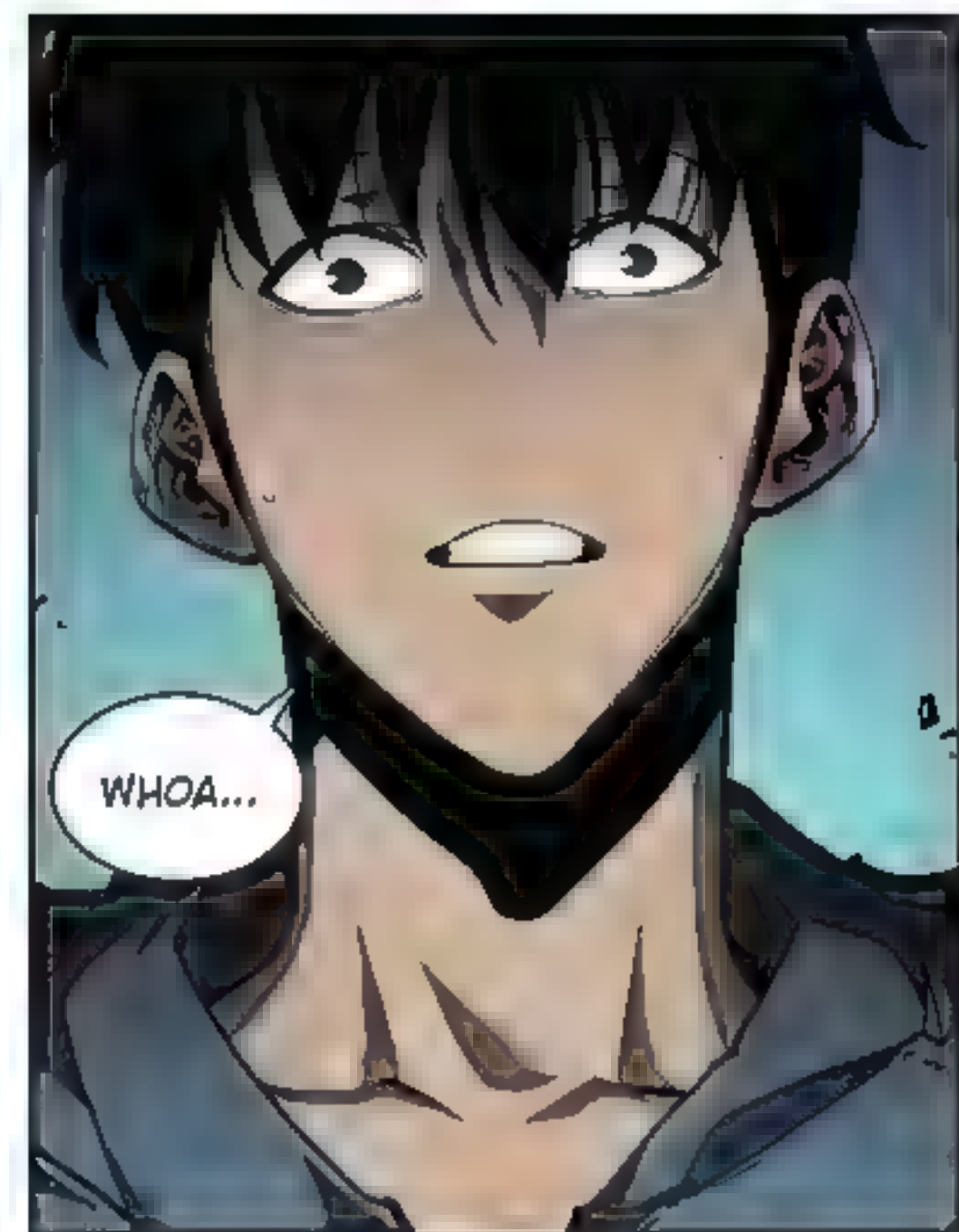
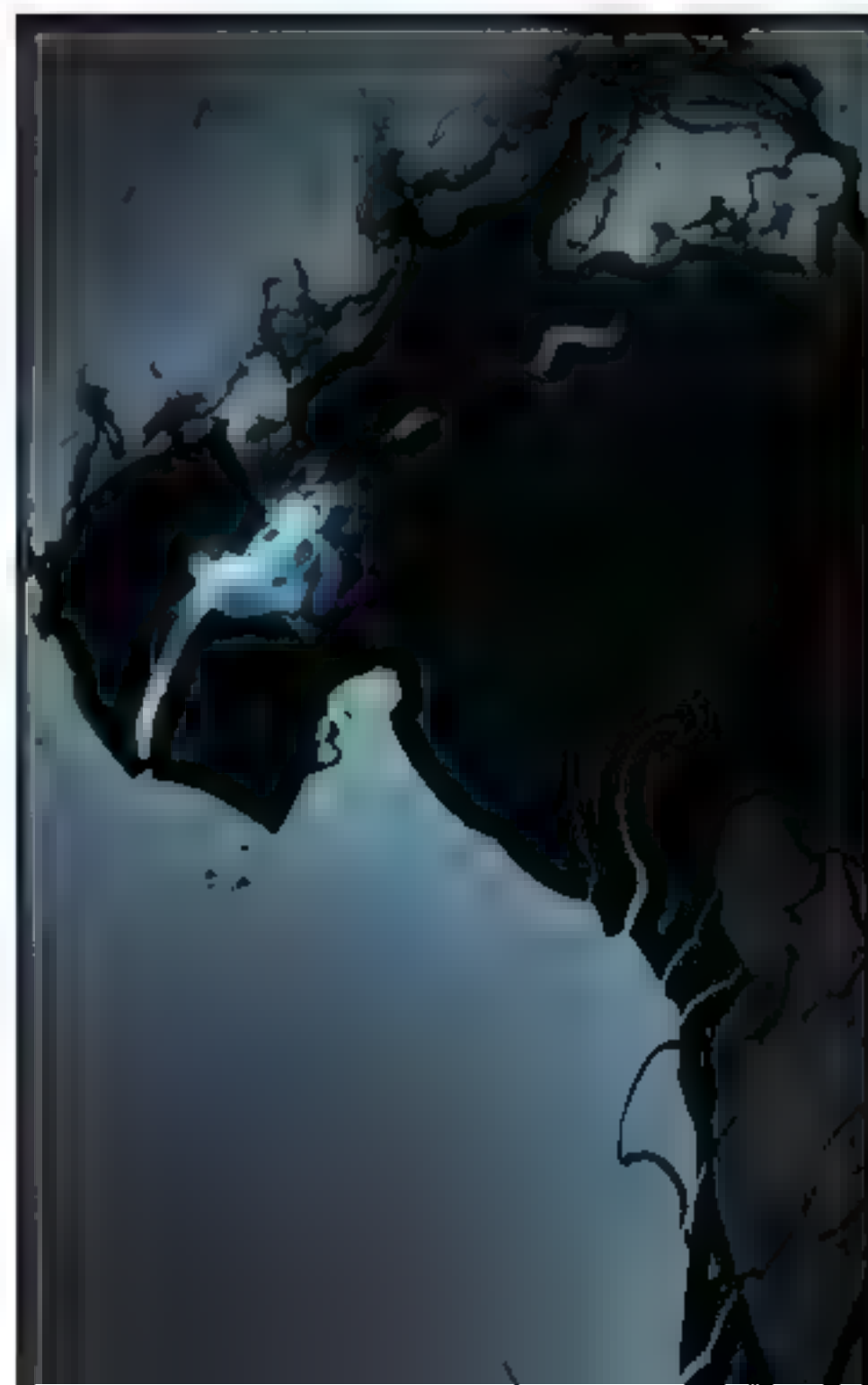
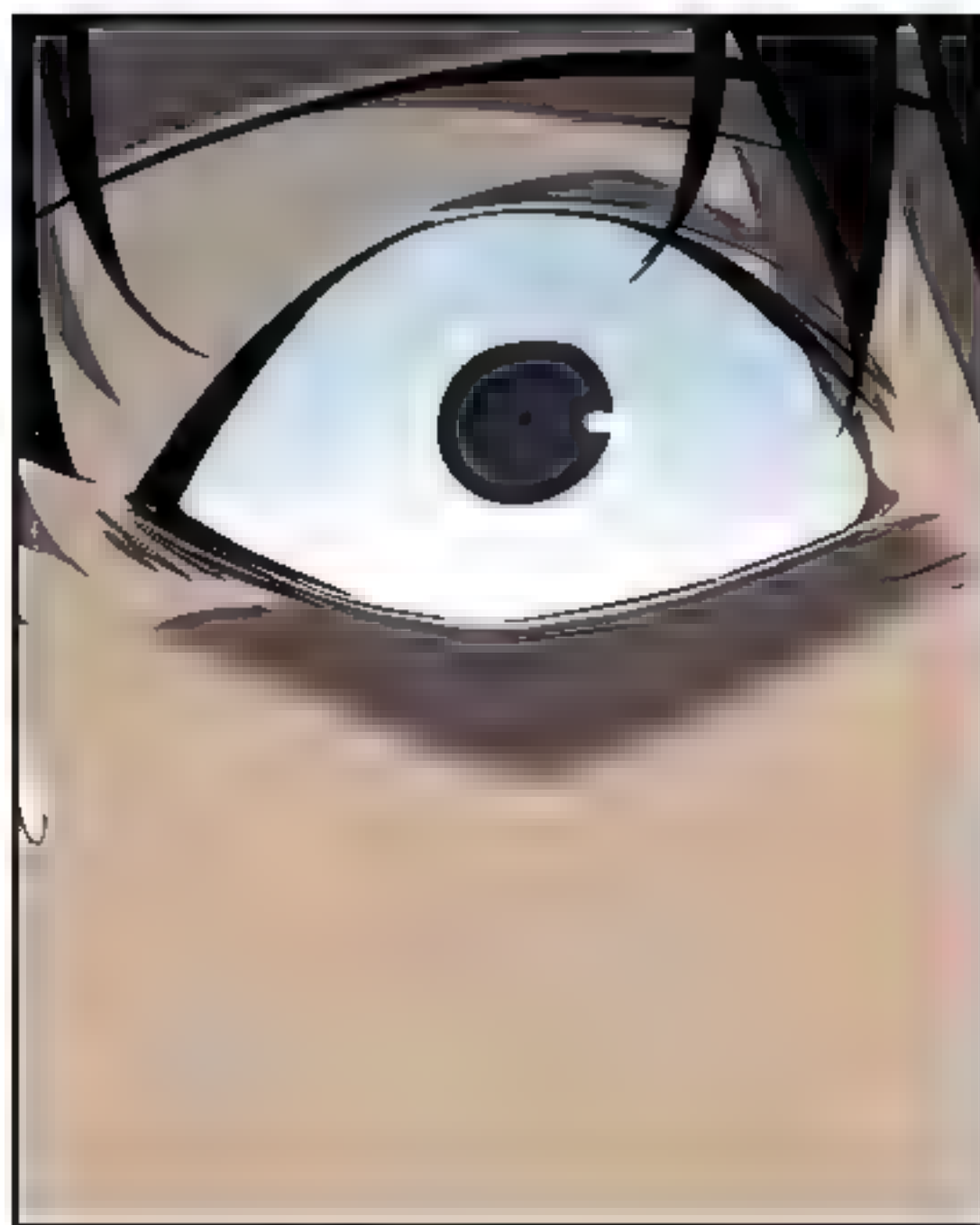
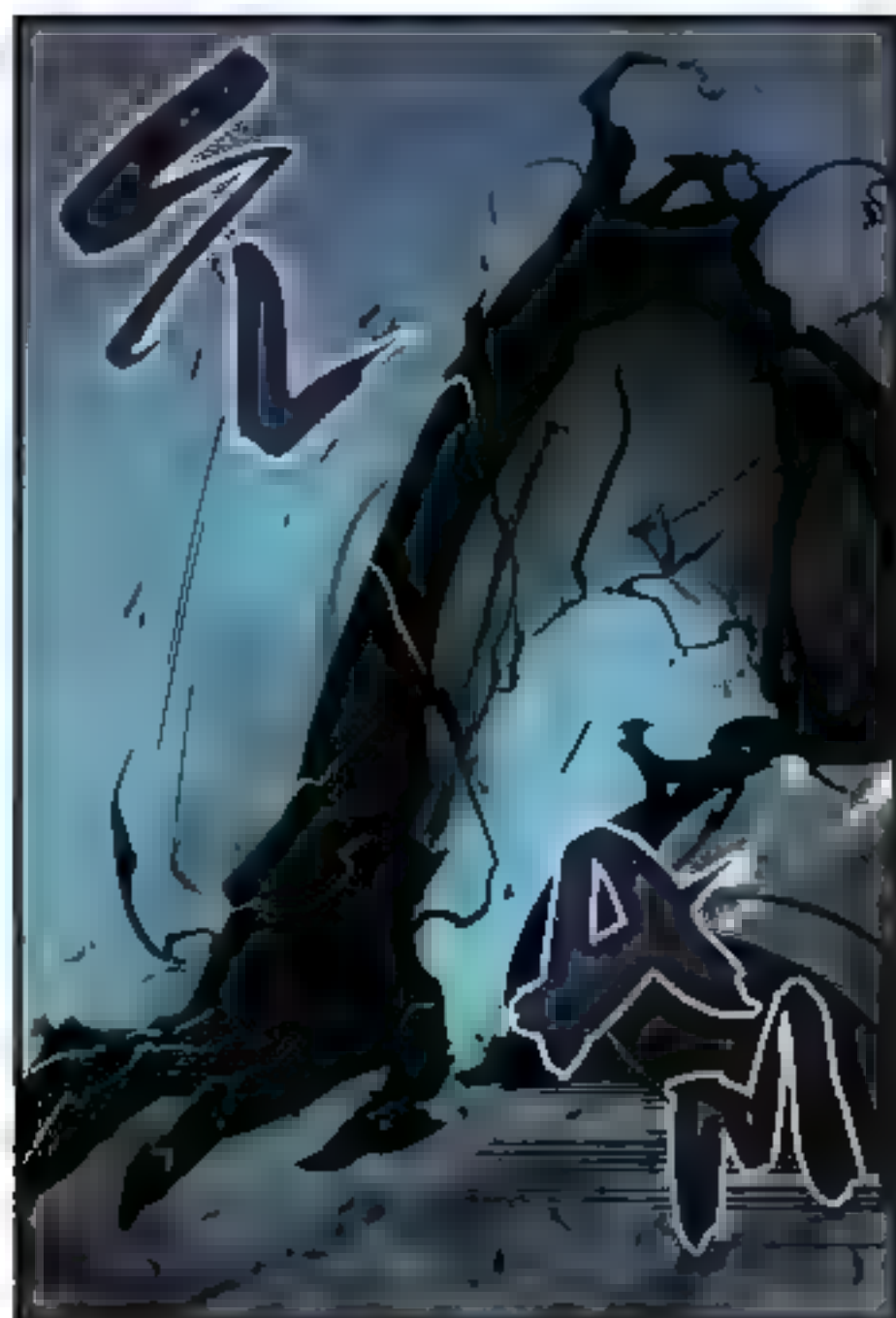
A
COMMAND
WORD...



.....



ARISE.





**THIS IS
SICK!**

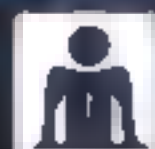
[Skill: Shadow Extraction Lv. 1]

Job-exclusive skill.

No mana required.

Extracts mana from a body whose life has come to an end and transforms it into a shadow soldier. Odds of extraction failure rise depending on the target's stats and the amount of time between death and extraction.

Active Shadow Extraction: 30/30



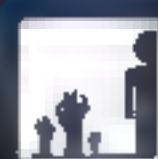
[Skill: Shadow Storage Lv. 1]

Job-exclusive skill.

No mana required.

Shadow soldiers can be stored by absorbing them into the caster's shadow. Stored soldiers can be summoned or reabsorbed at any time.

Shadows stored: 0/20



**SO I CAN TURN
ALL OF THESE
DEAD ONES INTO
MY MINIONS?**

[Shadow Infantry Lv. 1]

Regular Rank

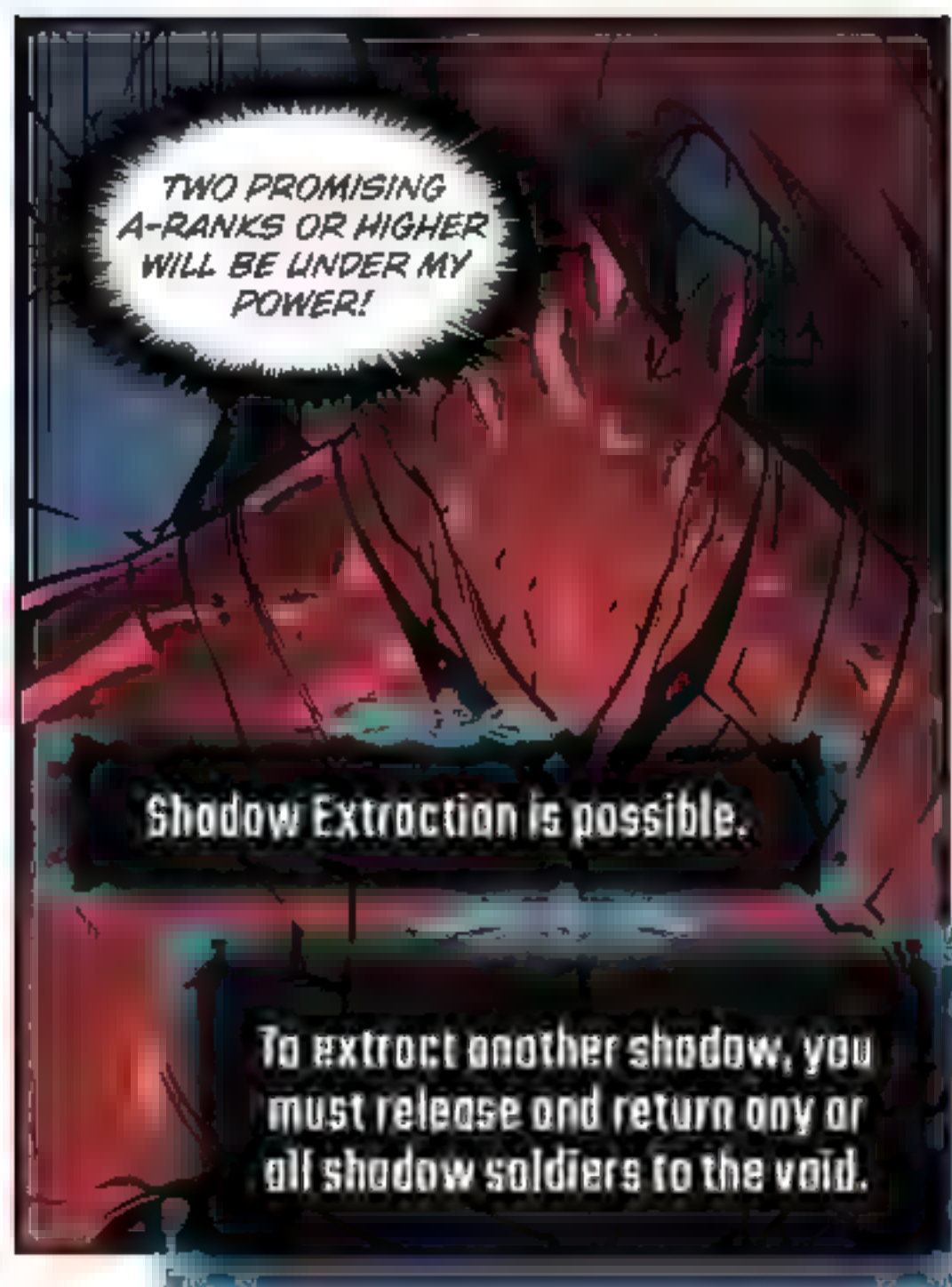
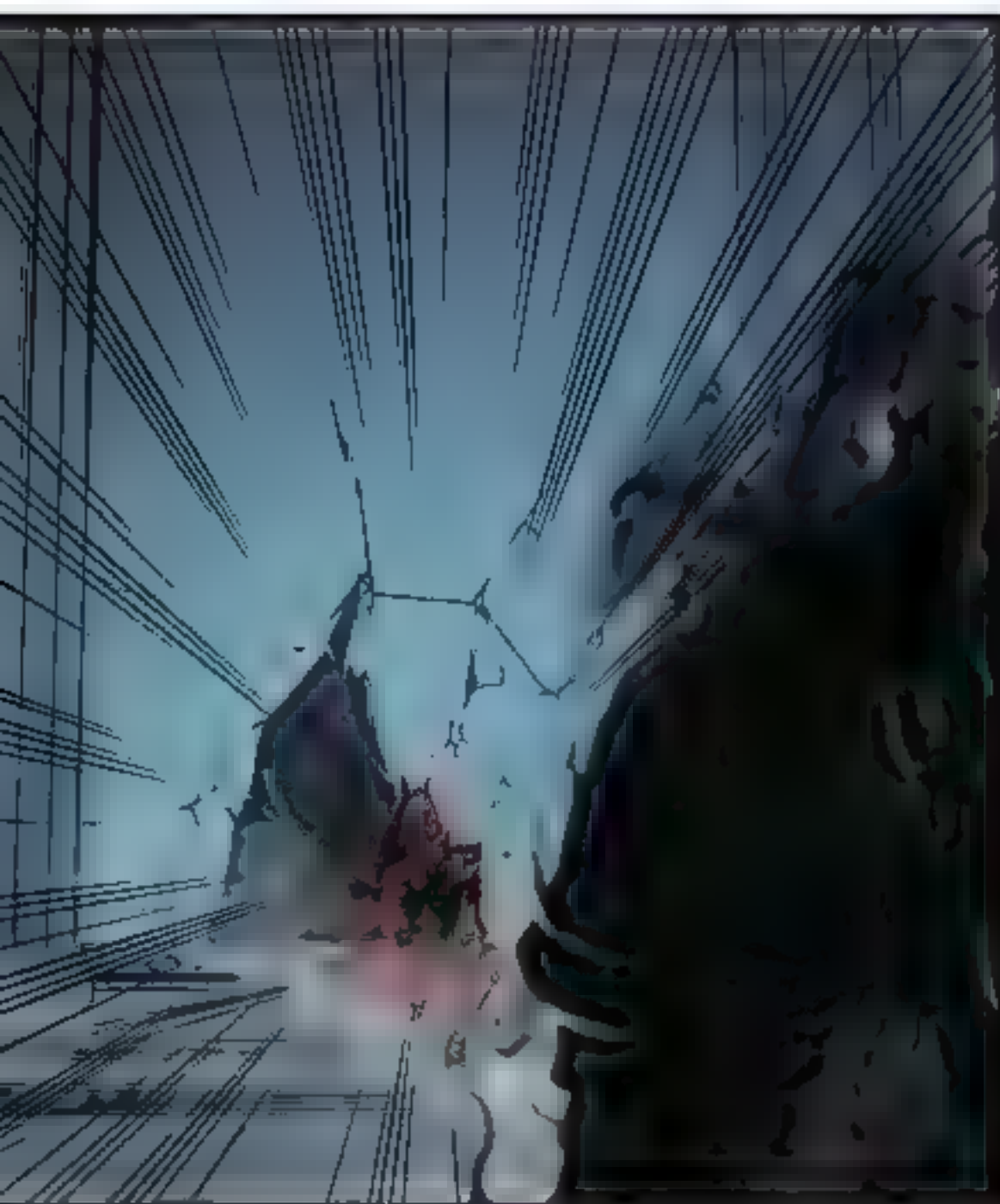
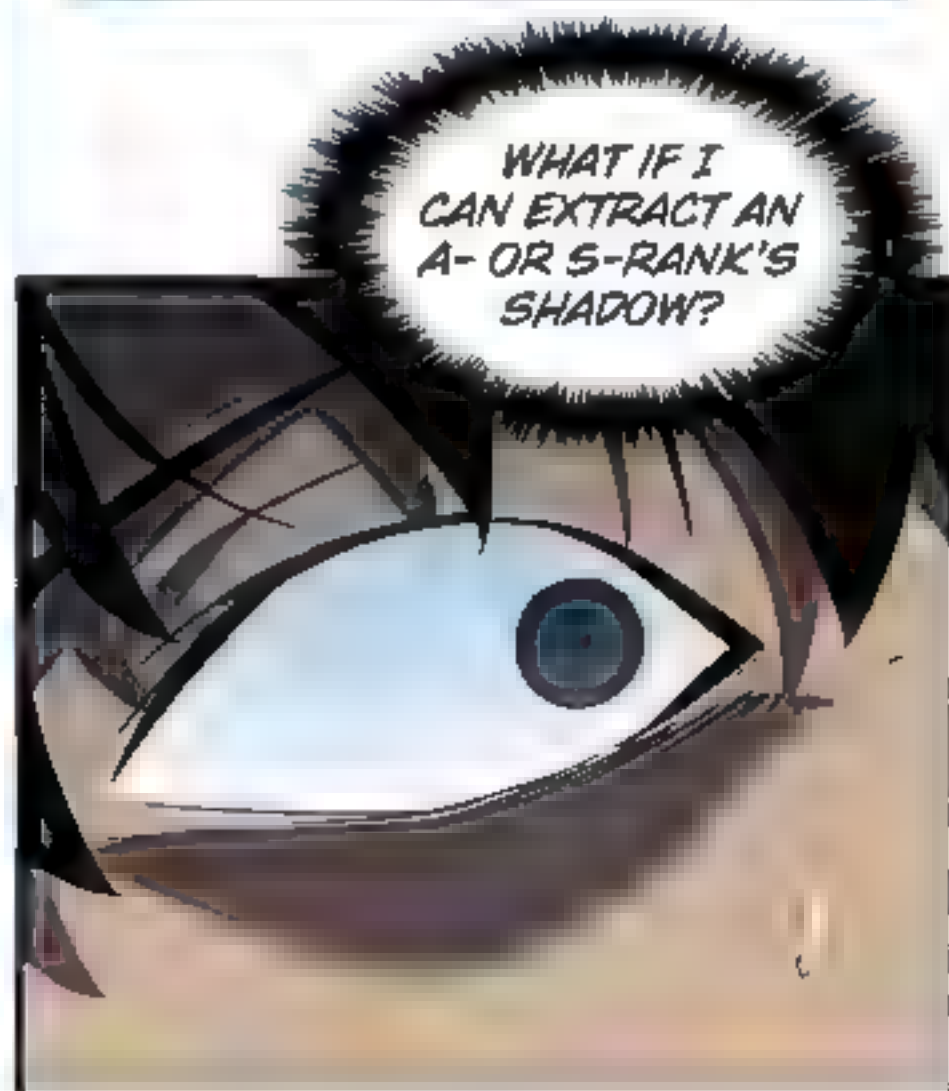
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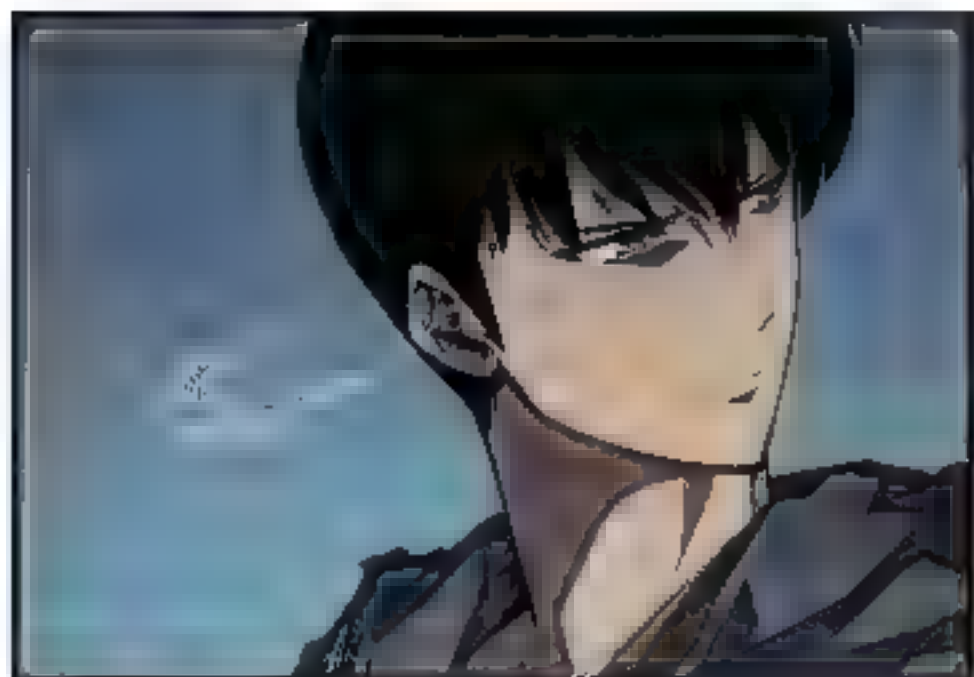
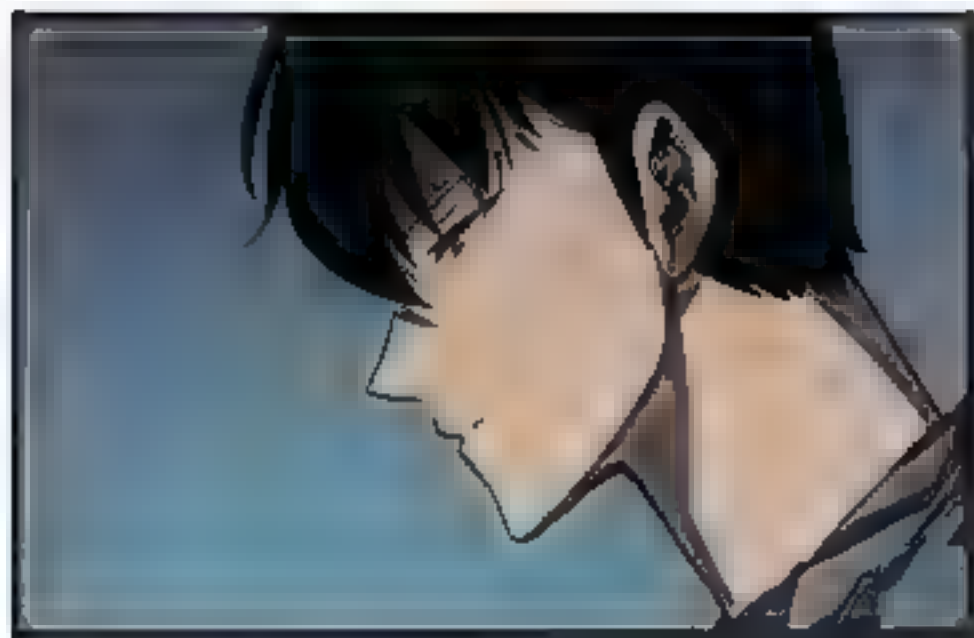
Elite Rank

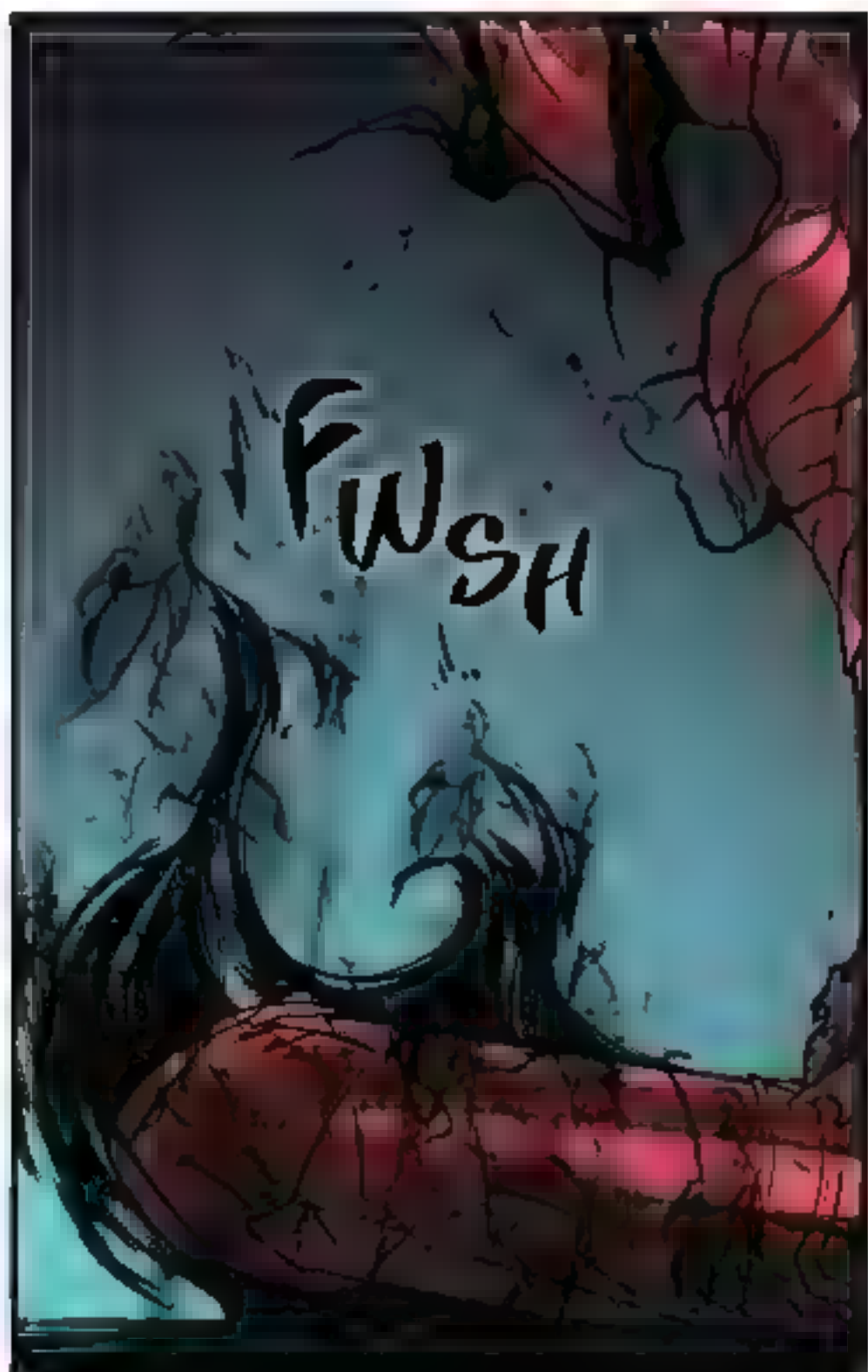


[Active Shadow Extraction: 30/30]

[Shadows stored: 0/20]







You have two attempts remaining.

THIS ISN'T
EASY.

EXTRACTION
DEPENDS ON THE
TARGET'S STATS
AND THE TIME
SINCE DEATH.

THIS GUY WAS
A BOSS-LEVEL
MONSTER, AND IT'S
BEEN OVER FOUR
HOURS SINCE I
KILLED IT.

[SKILL: Shadow Extraction Lv. 1]

Job-exclusive skill.

No mana required.

Extracts mana from a body whose life has
come to an end and transforms it into a
shadow soldier. Odds of extraction failure
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amount of time between death and extraction.

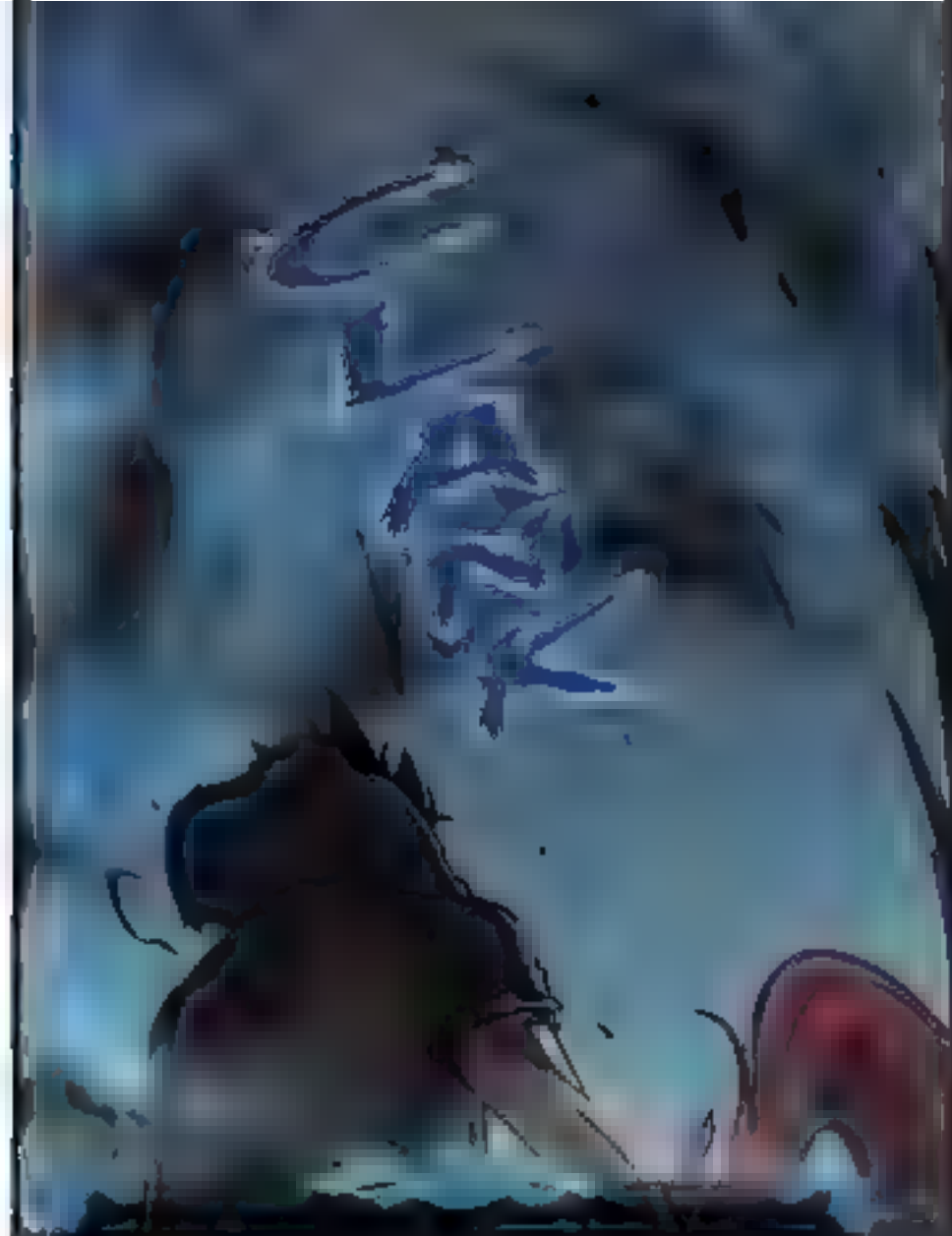
Active Shadow Extraction: 10/30



I HAVE
TWO
CHANCES
LEFT!

SHFF

ARISE.



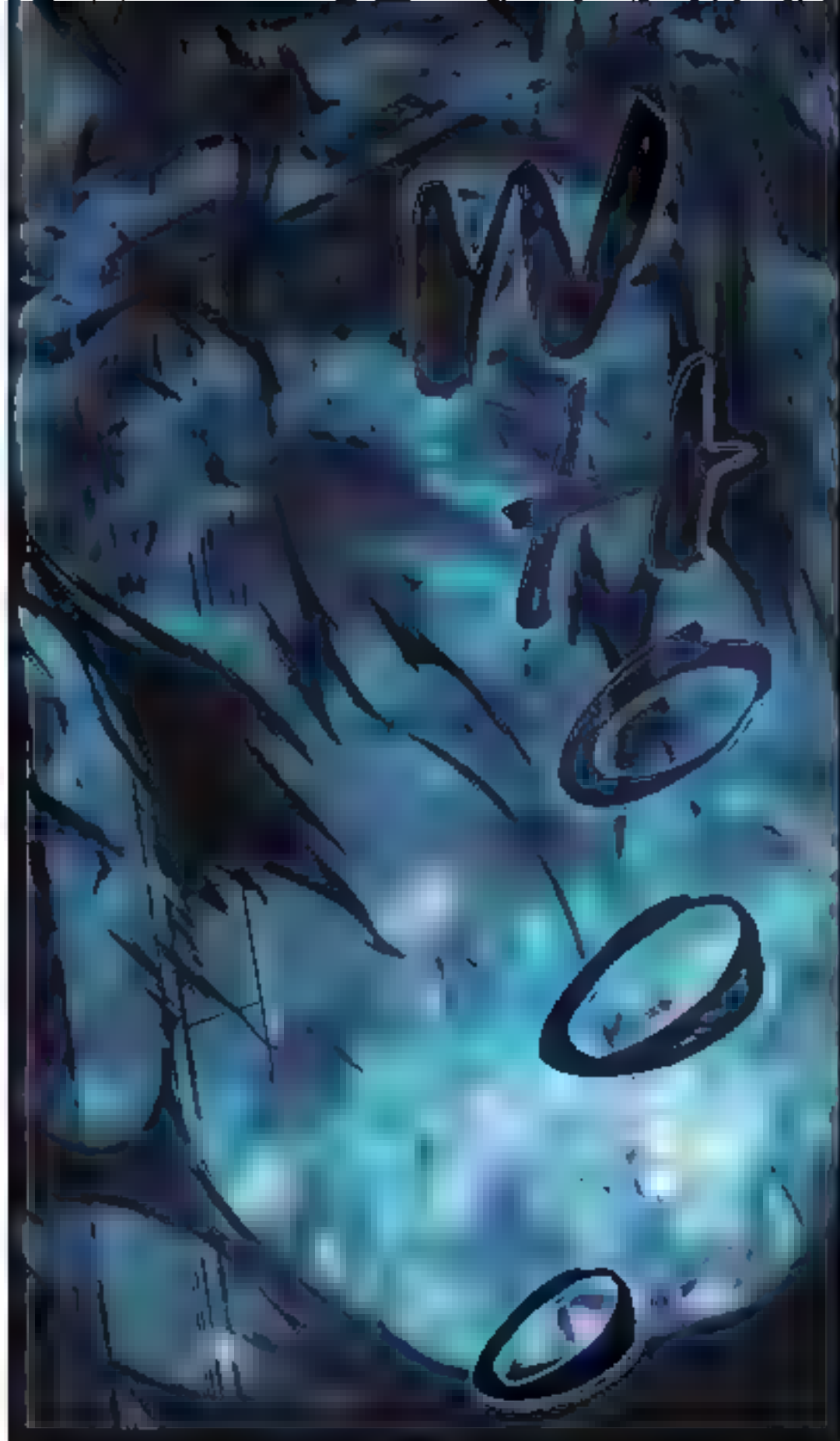
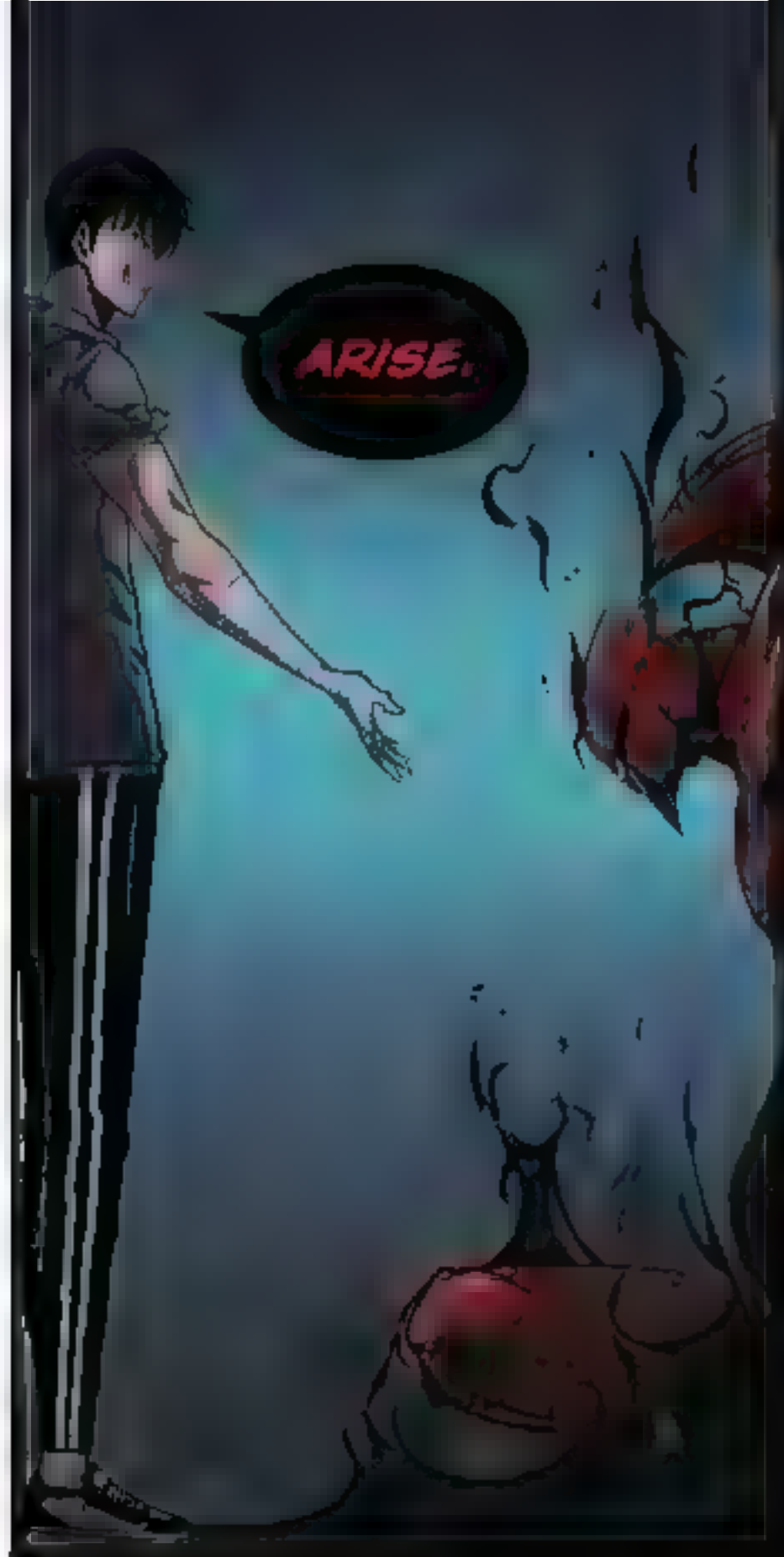
Shadow Extraction has failed.

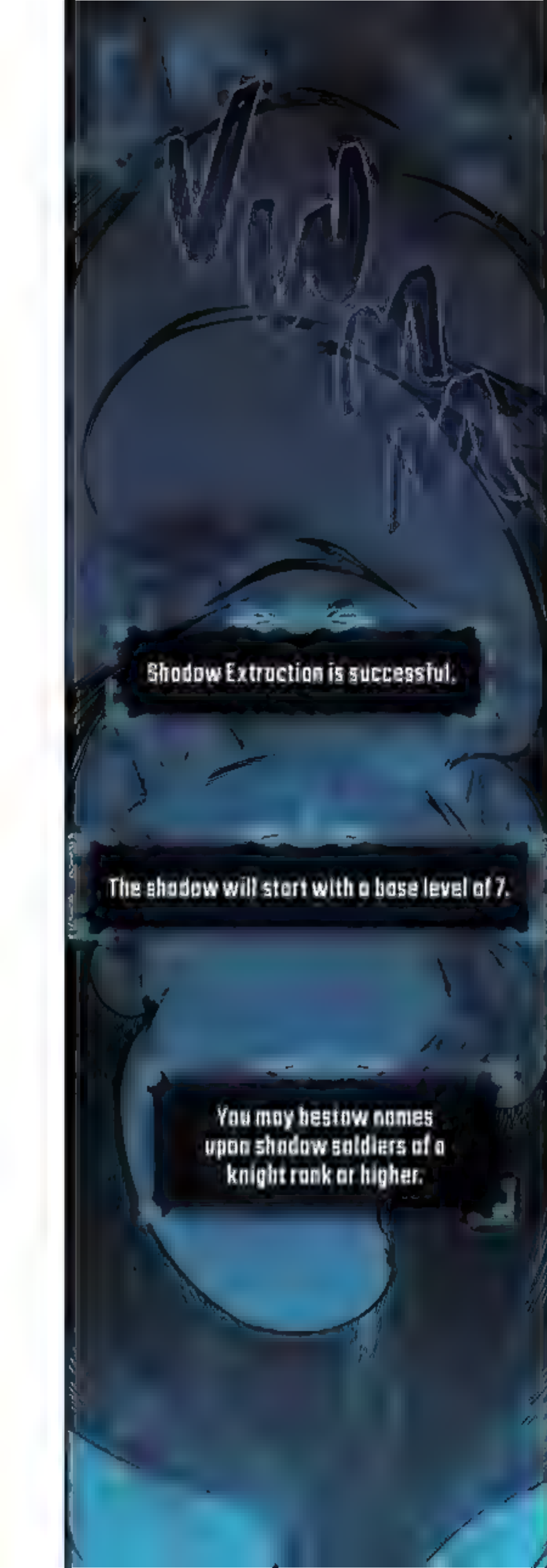
You have one attempt remaining.

THE
THRONE...

INSTEAD OF
GUARDING
THAT EMPTY
THRONE...

...HOW ABOUT
SERVING ME?





Shadow Extraction is successful.

The shadow will start with a base level of 7.

You may bestow names
upon shadow soldiers of a
knight rank or higher.



...YOU ARE
IGRIS!

[Igris Lv. 7]
Knight Rank

STATUS

NAME: Jinwoo Sung LEVEL: 51

JOB: Shadow Monarch FATIGUE: 0

TITLE: Wolf Assassin (and 1 other)

HP: 11035

MP: 1022

STRENGTH: 132 STAMINA: 81

AGILITY: 111 INTELLECT: 70

PERCEPTION: 93

Physical Damage Decrease: 40% Activated
Available points: 10

[SKILLS]

[Passive Skill]

(Unknown) Lv. MAX, Willpower Lv. 1,
Advanced Dagger Wielding Lv. 1

[Active Skill]

Dash Lv. 2, Murderous Intent Lv. 1, Fetal Strike Lv. 2,
Dagger Throw Lv. 1, Stealth Lv. 1, Ruler's Hand Lv. 1

[JOB-EXCLUSIVE SKILLS]

Active skill: Shadow Extraction Lv. 1,
Shadow Storage Lv. 1

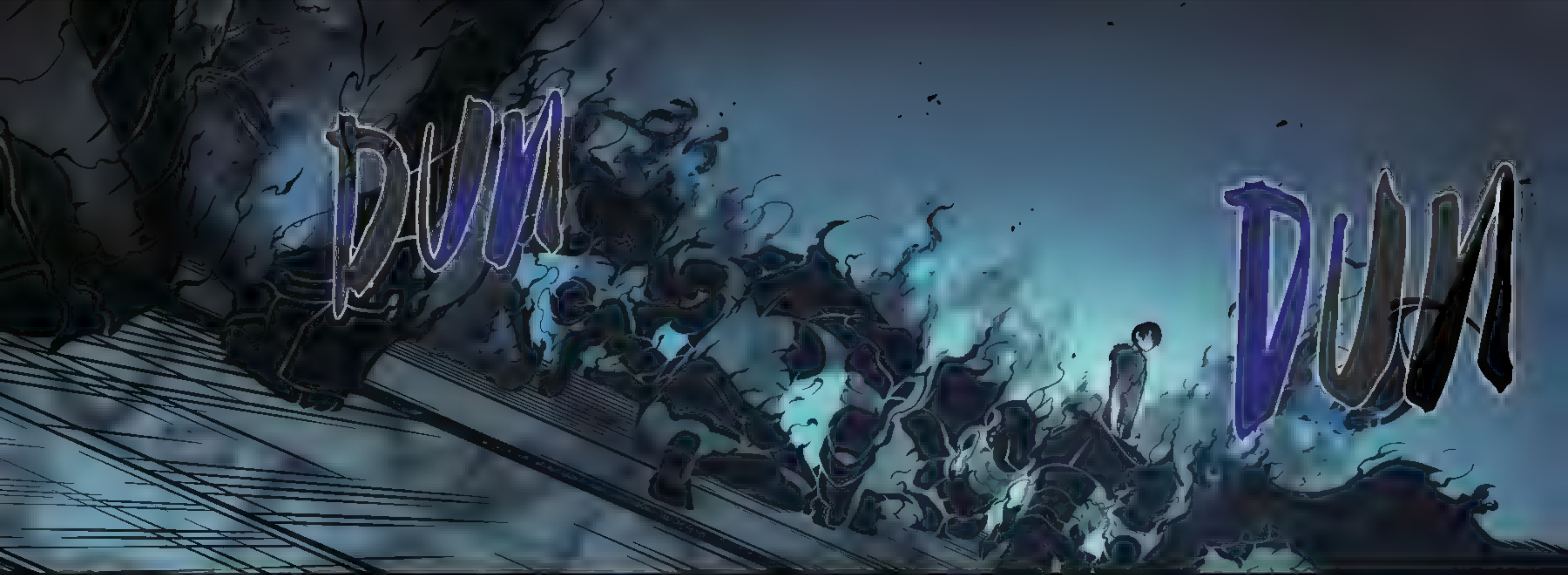
[ITEMS EQUIPPED]

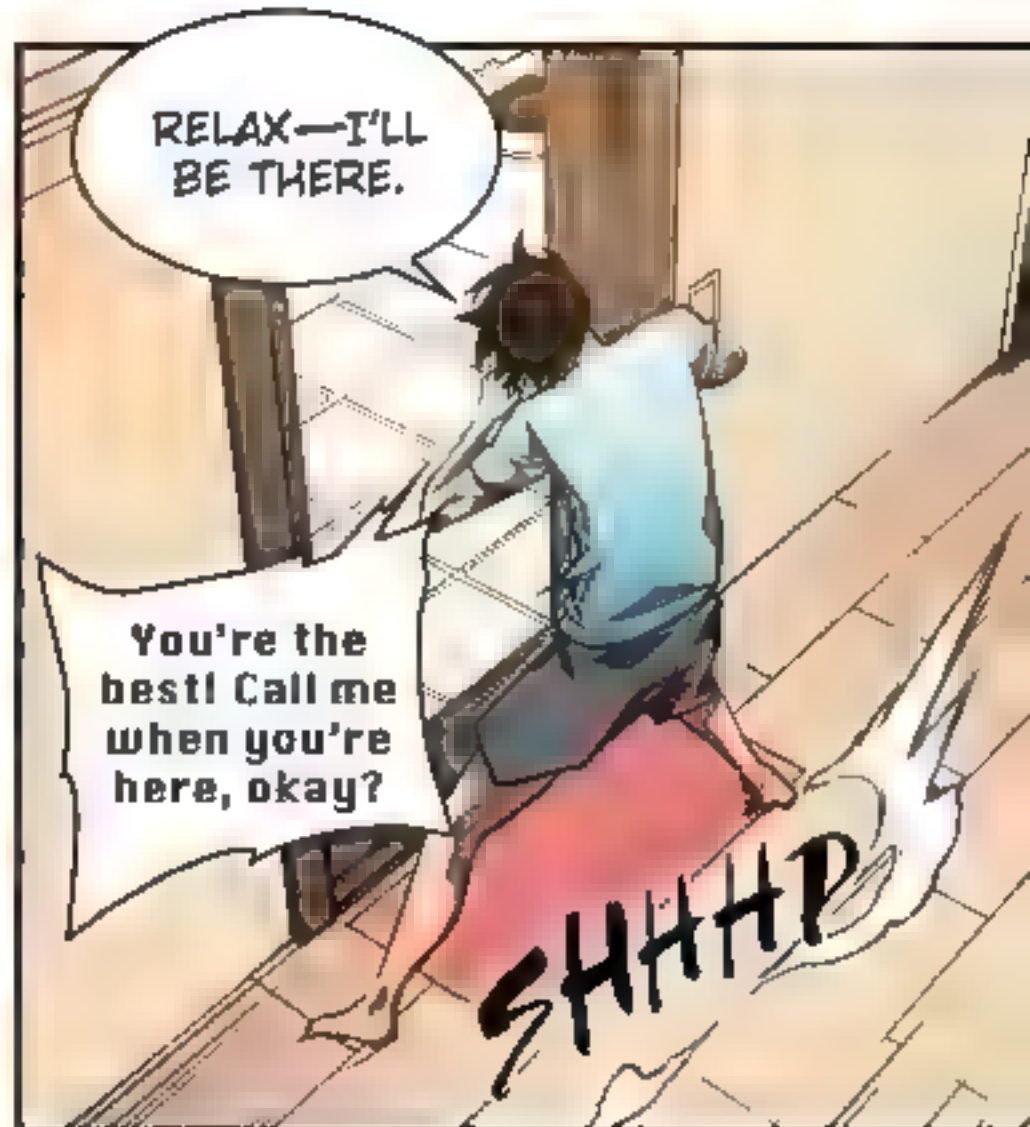
Crimson Knight's Helmet (S), Warden's Collar (A),
High-Rank Knight's Chestplate (B), High-Rank
Knight's Gauntlets (B), High-Rank Mage's Ring (B),
Mid-Rank Assassin's Boots (B)

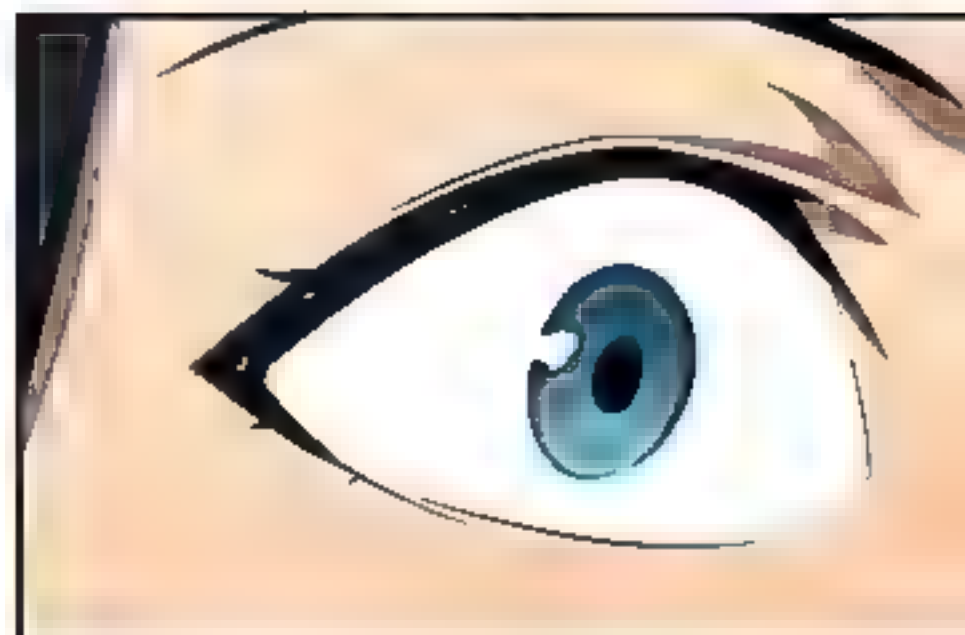
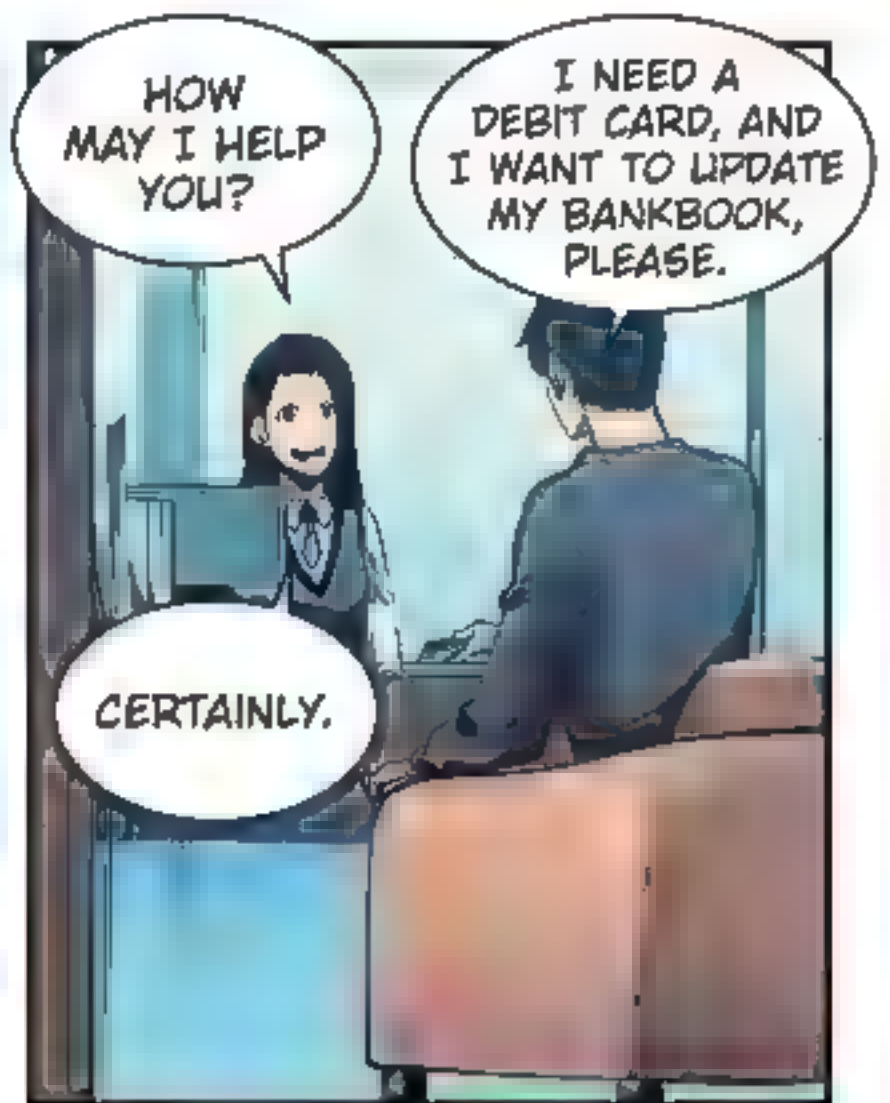
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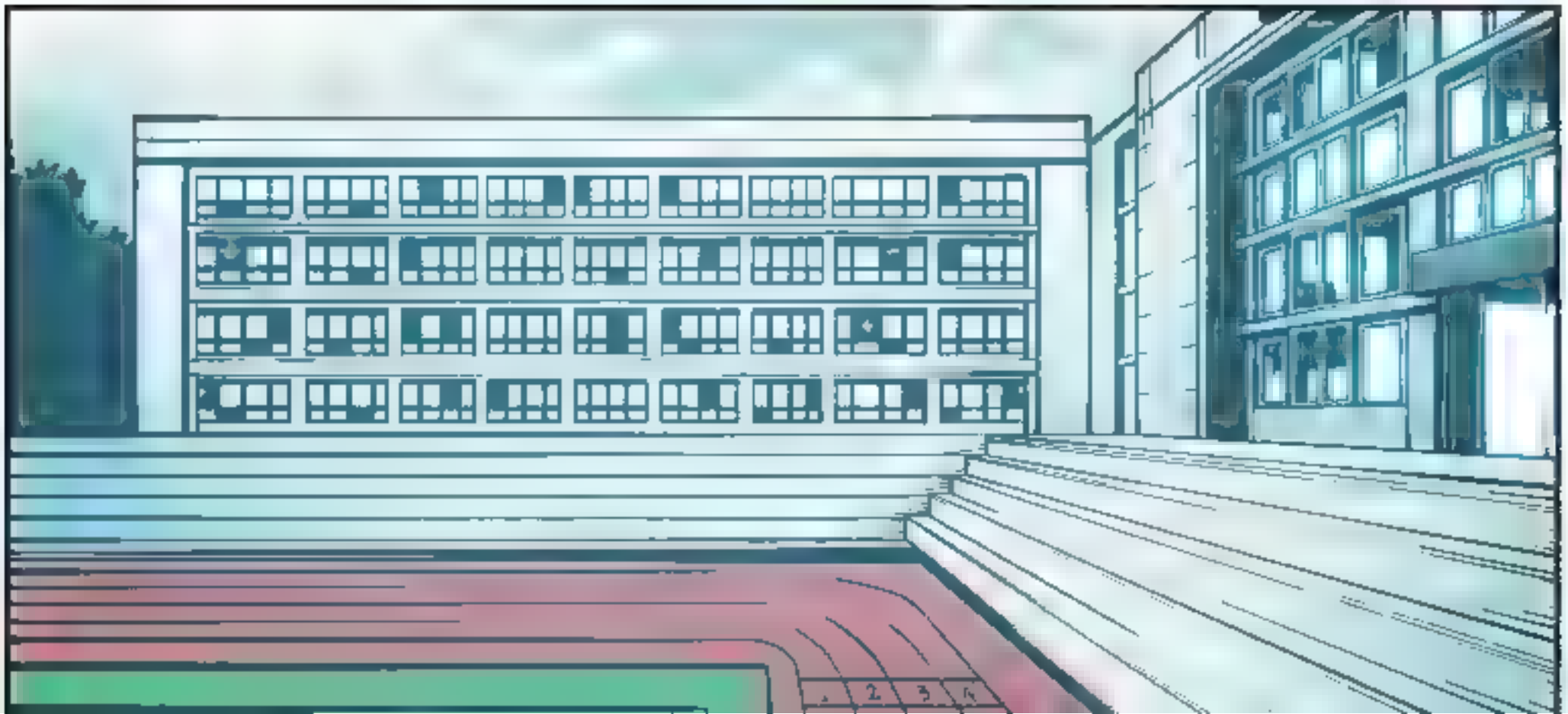
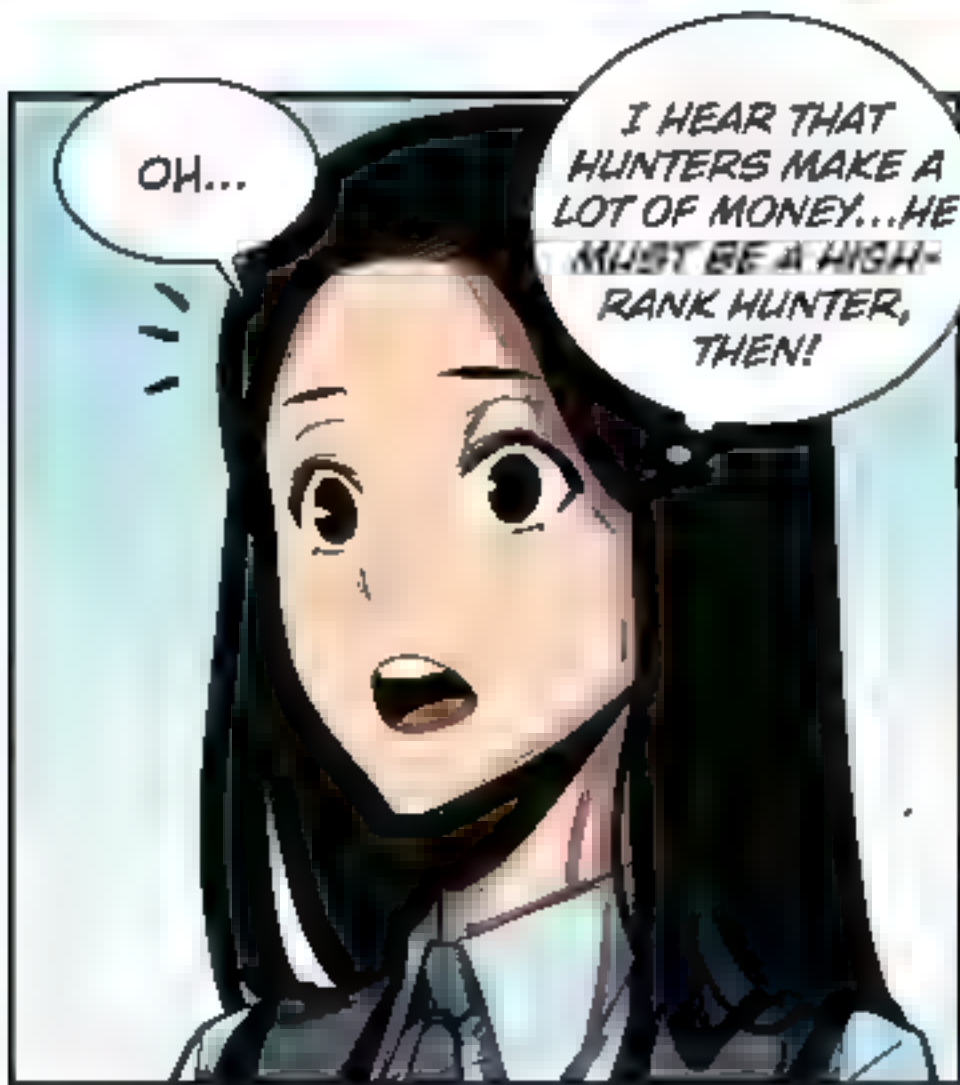
A title given to those who have
gloriously overcome adversity.

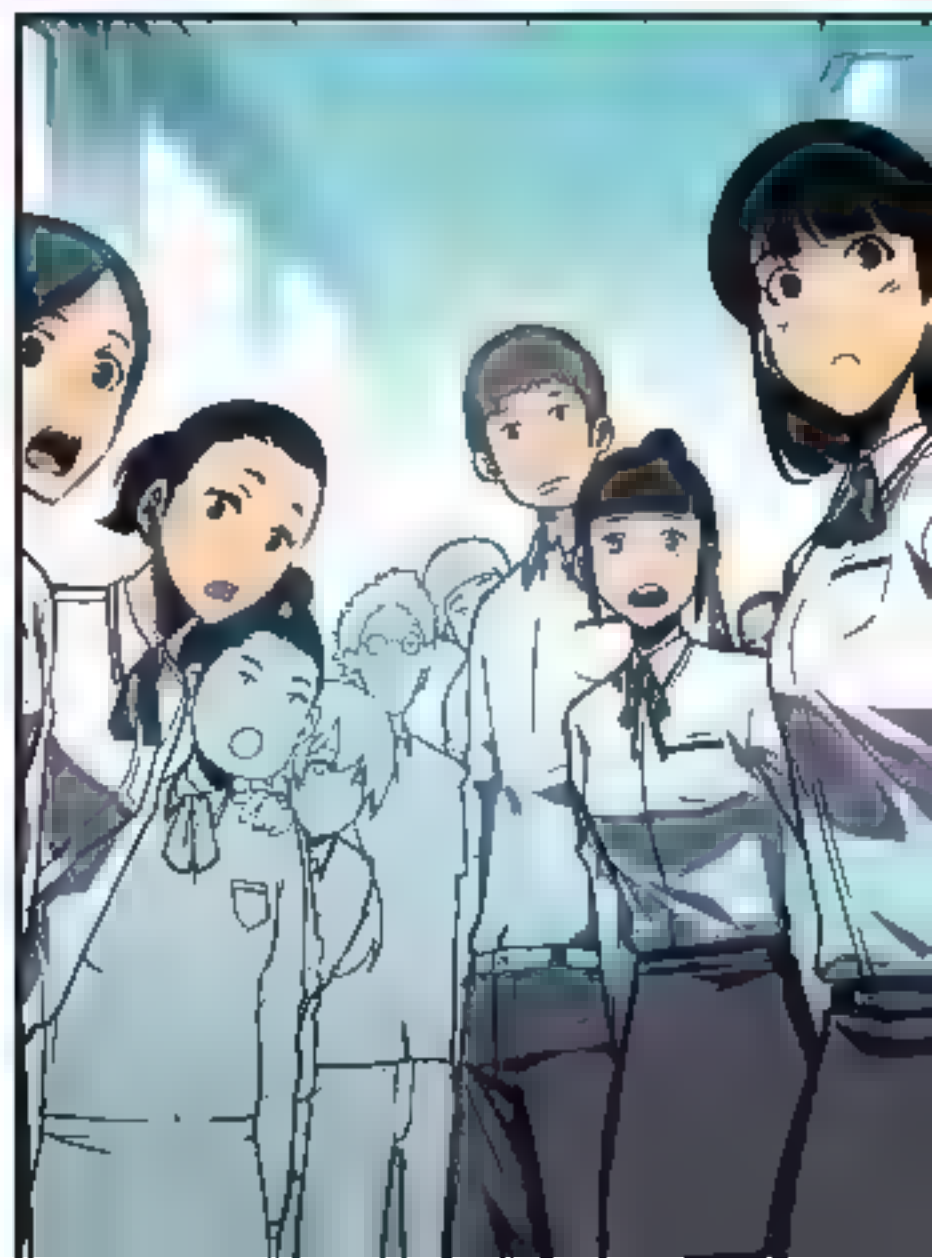
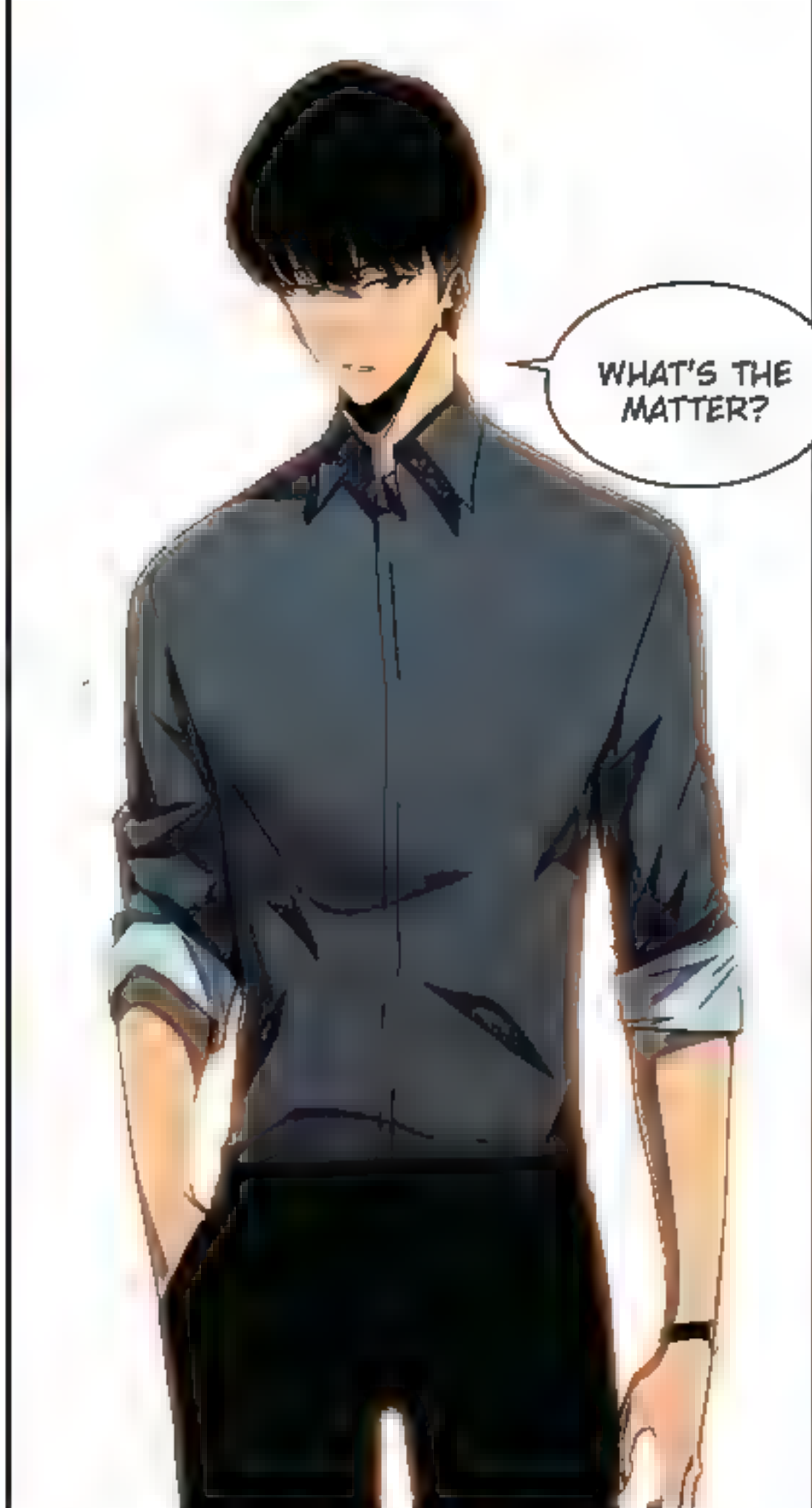
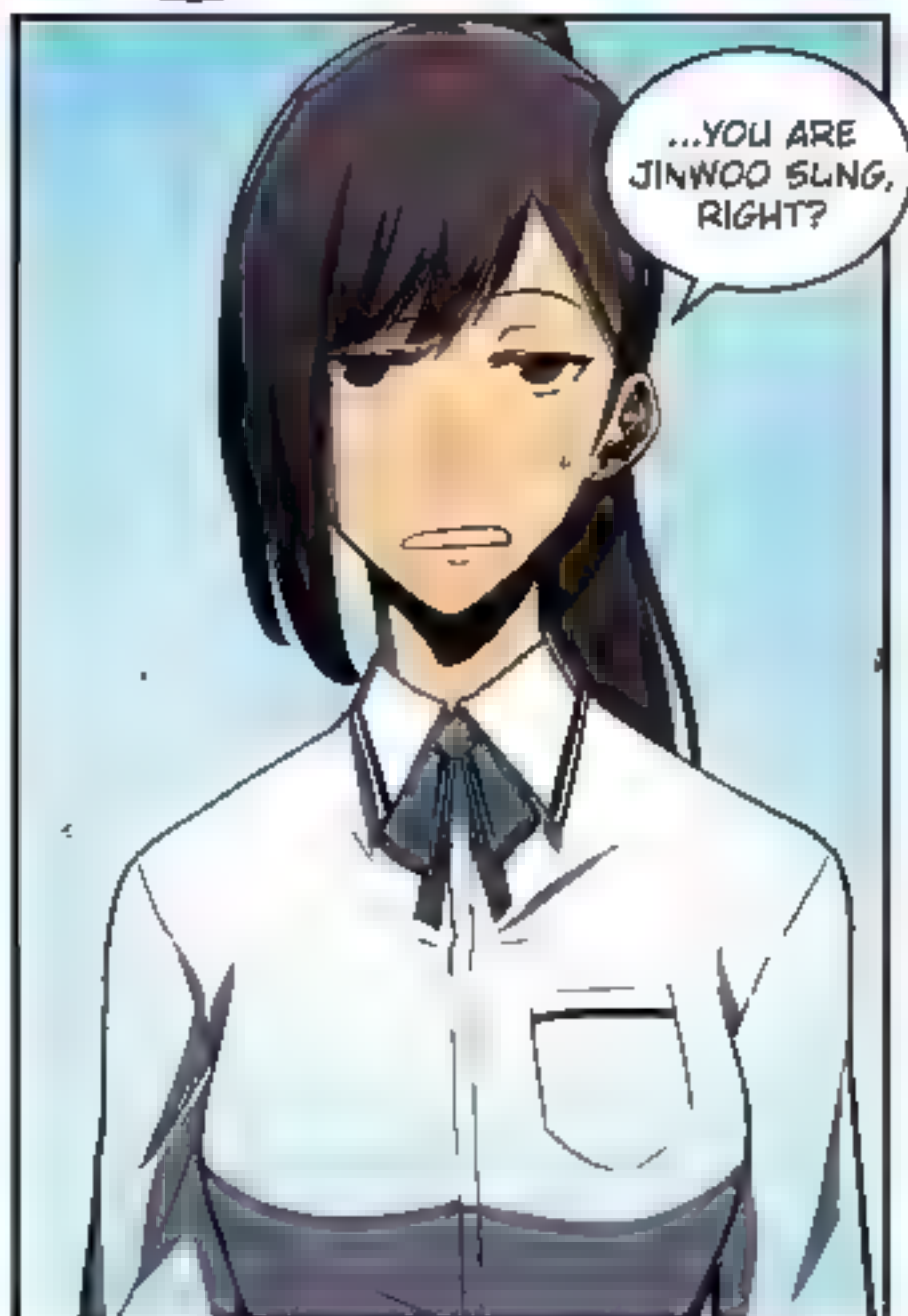
Stat values will increase proportionally
as HP is lost (1% increase per 1% loss).

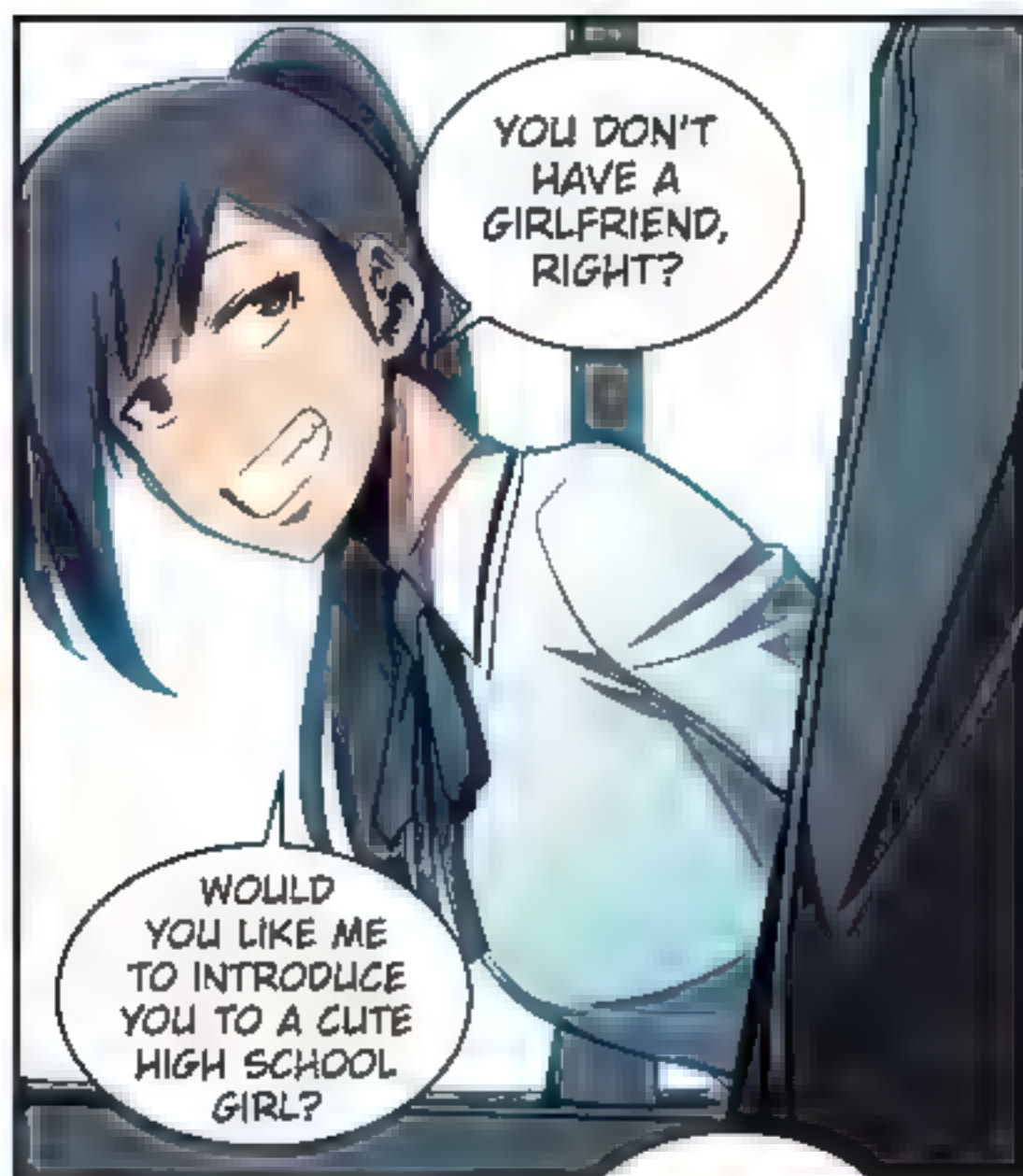
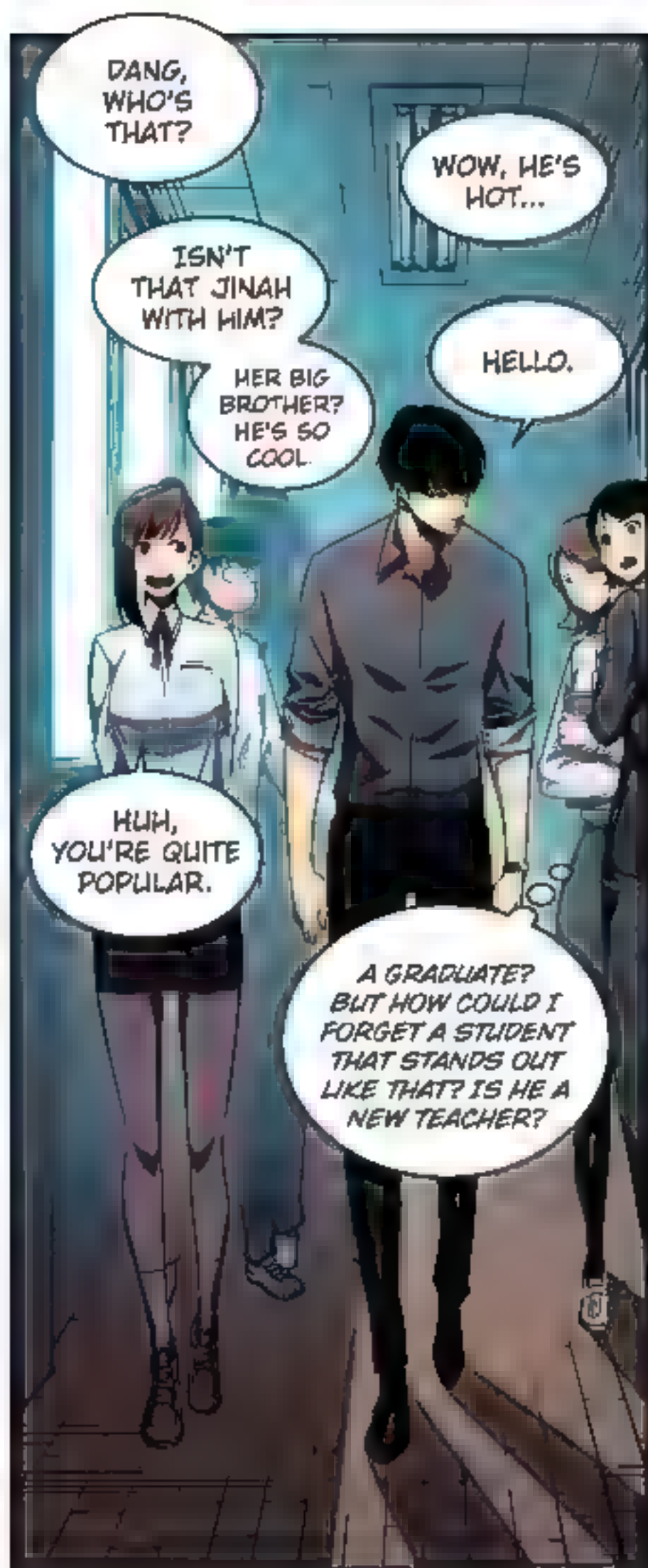














PLEASSED
TO MEET YOU.
I'M JINAH'S
HOMEROOM
TEACHER.

WHO KNEW
SHE HAD
SUCH A COOL
BROTHER?

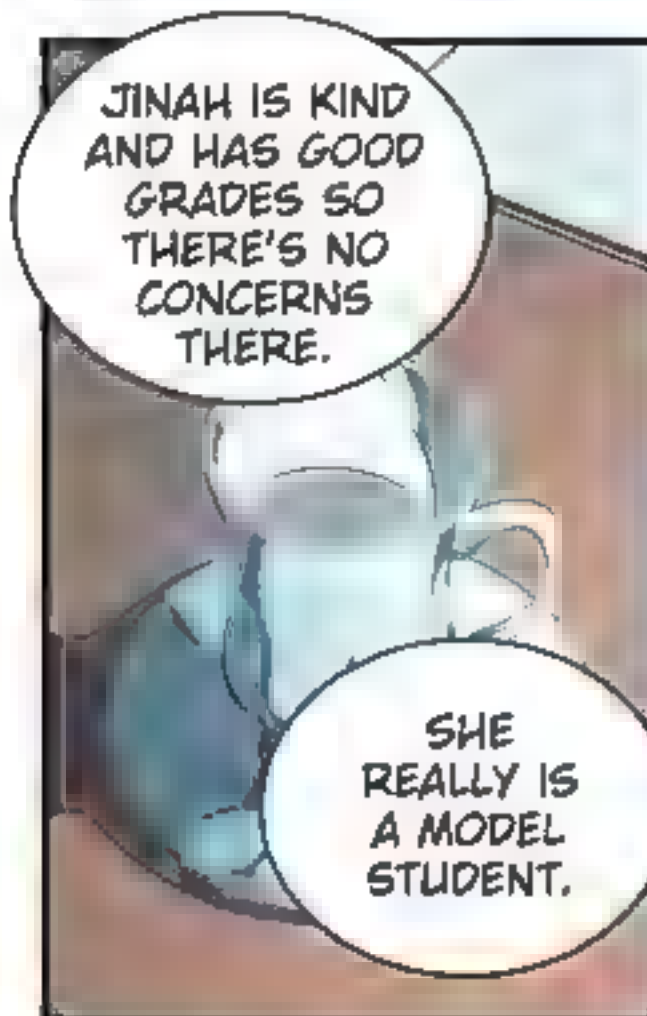


I
GRADUATED
FROM HERE,
BUT...

...I'VE
NEVER
SEEN HER
BEFORE.

PLEASE
HAVE A
SEAT.

THANK
YOU.



JINAH IS KIND
AND HAS GOOD
GRADES SO
THERE'S NO
CONCERNS
THERE.

SHE
REALLY IS
A MODEL
STUDENT.



YOU KNOW
SHE WANTS
TO GO TO MED
SCHOOL?

YES.



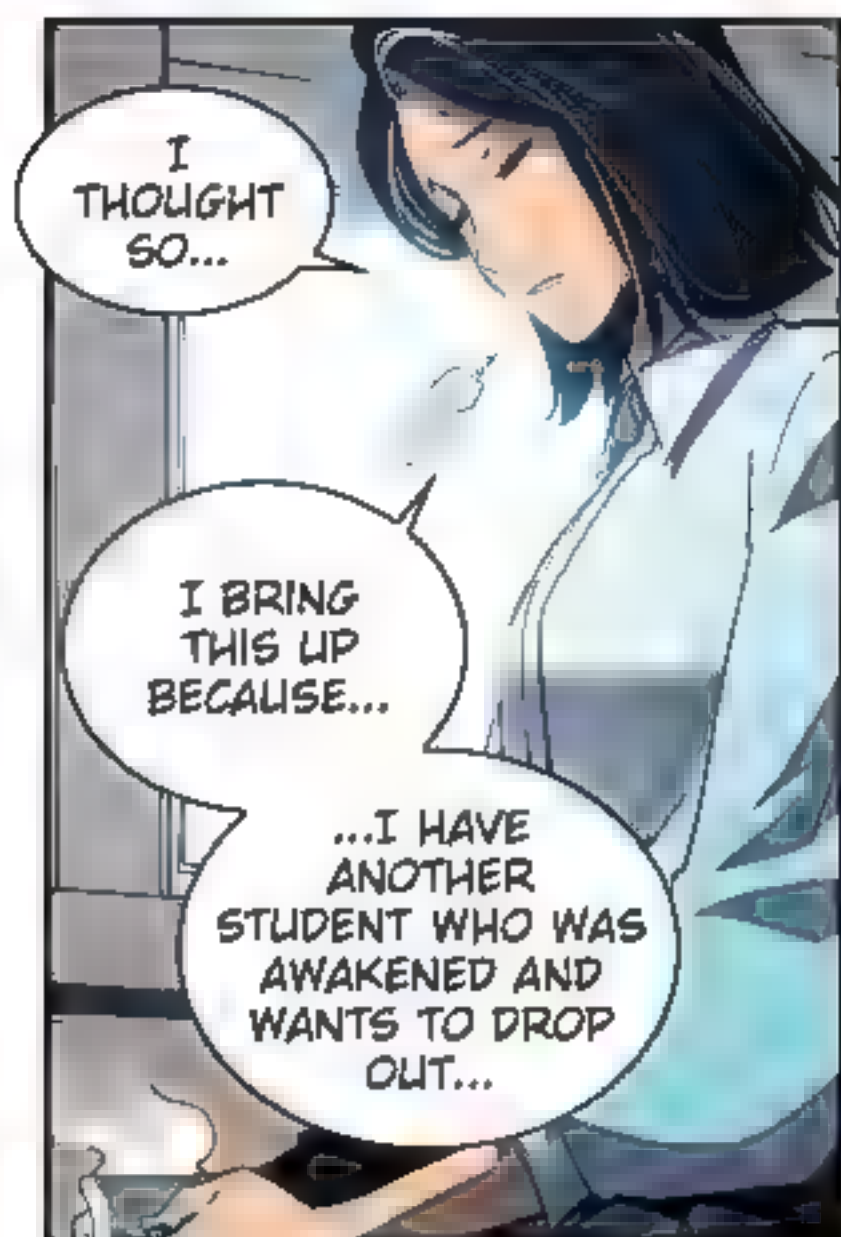
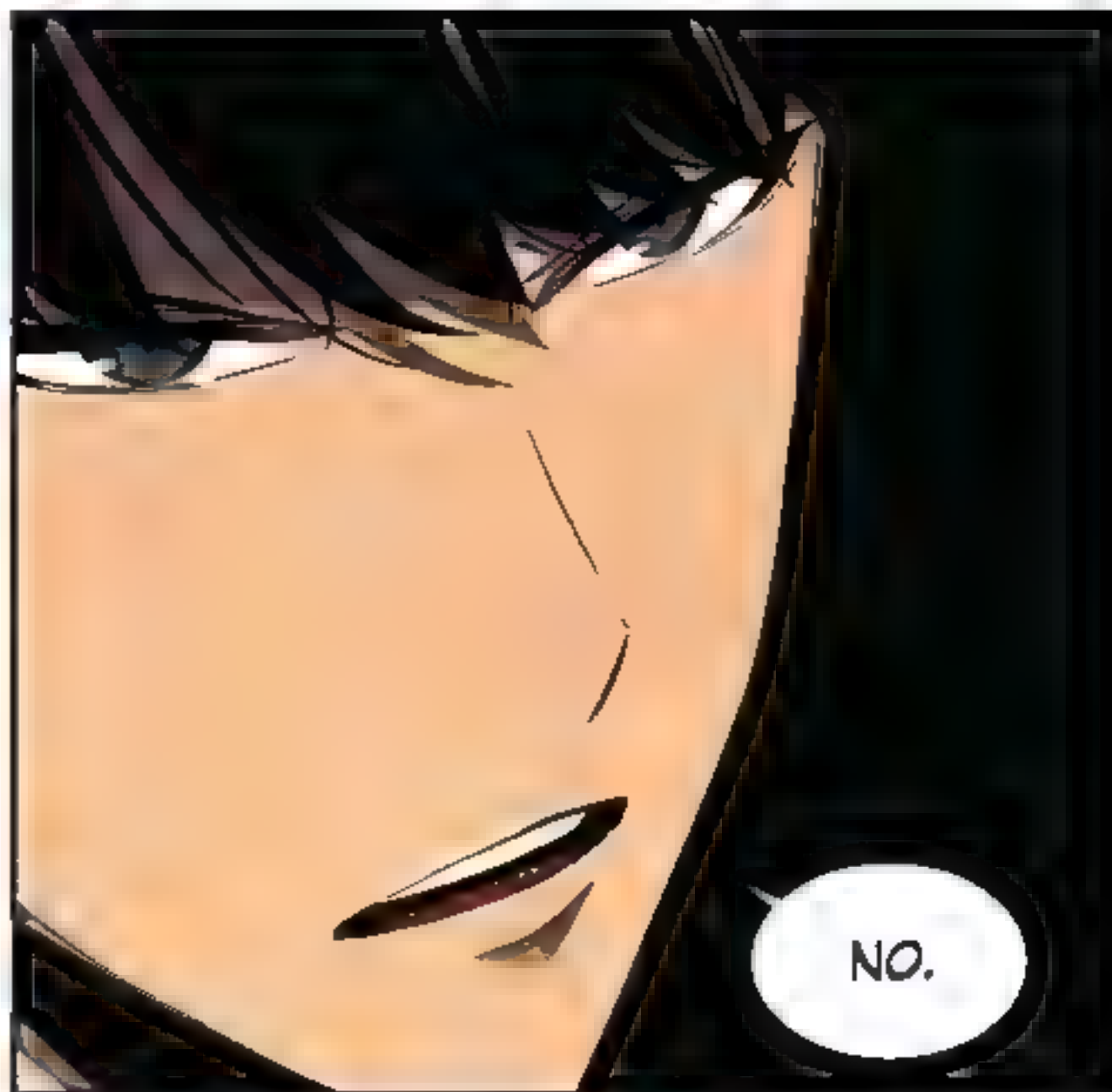
SHE CAN
PULL IT OFF,
SO NO NEED TO
PRESSURE HER
TOO MUCH.

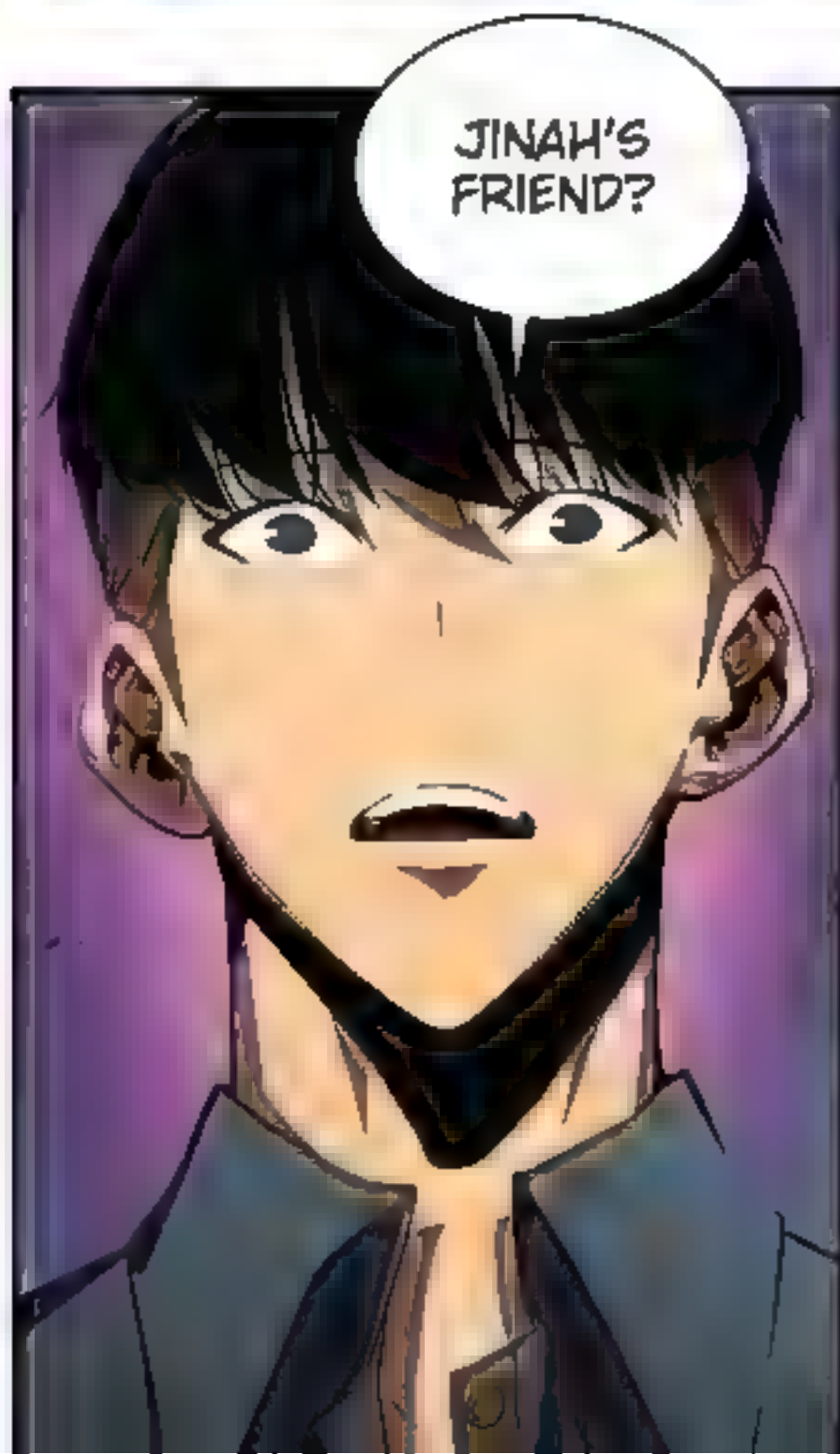
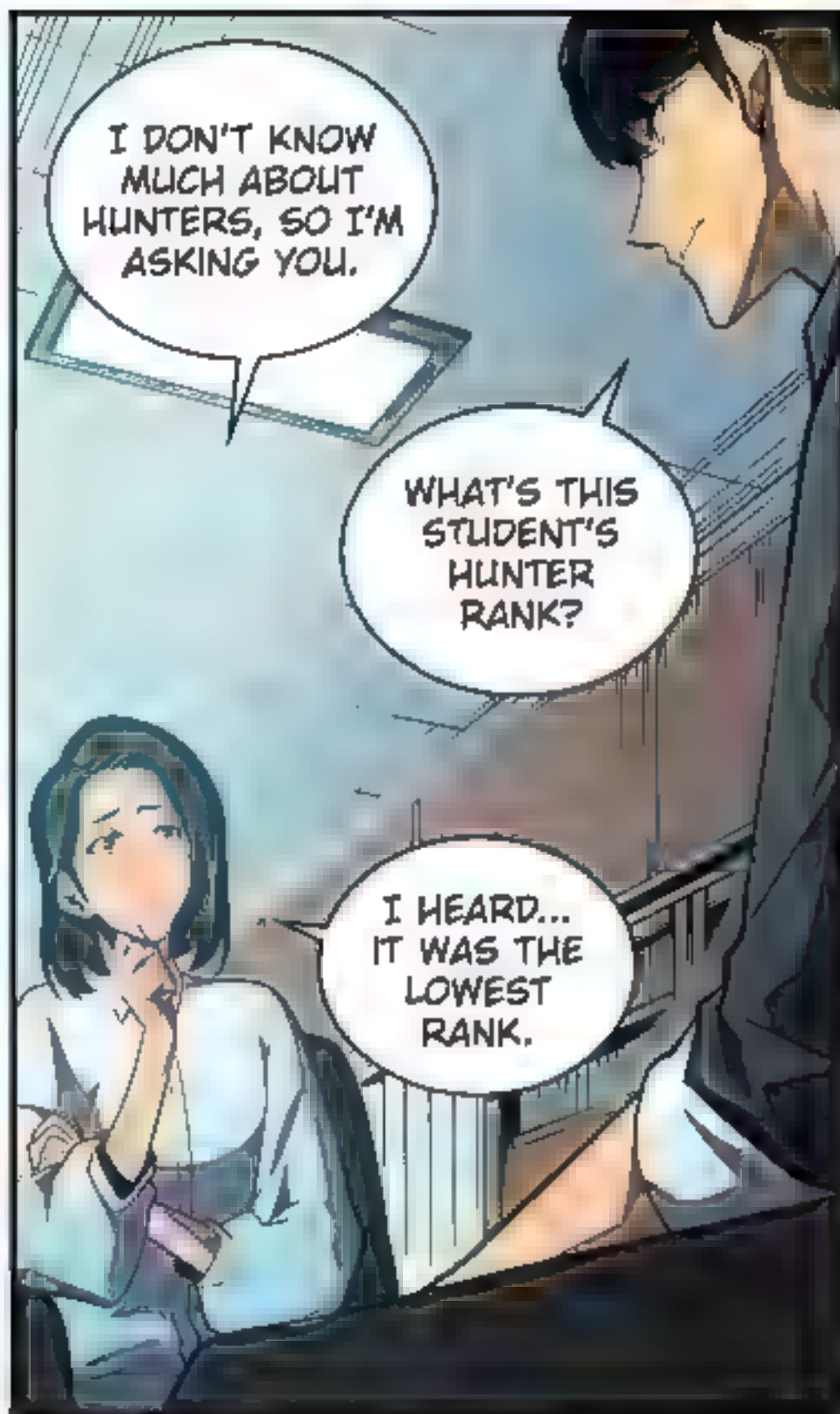
UNDER-
STOOD.

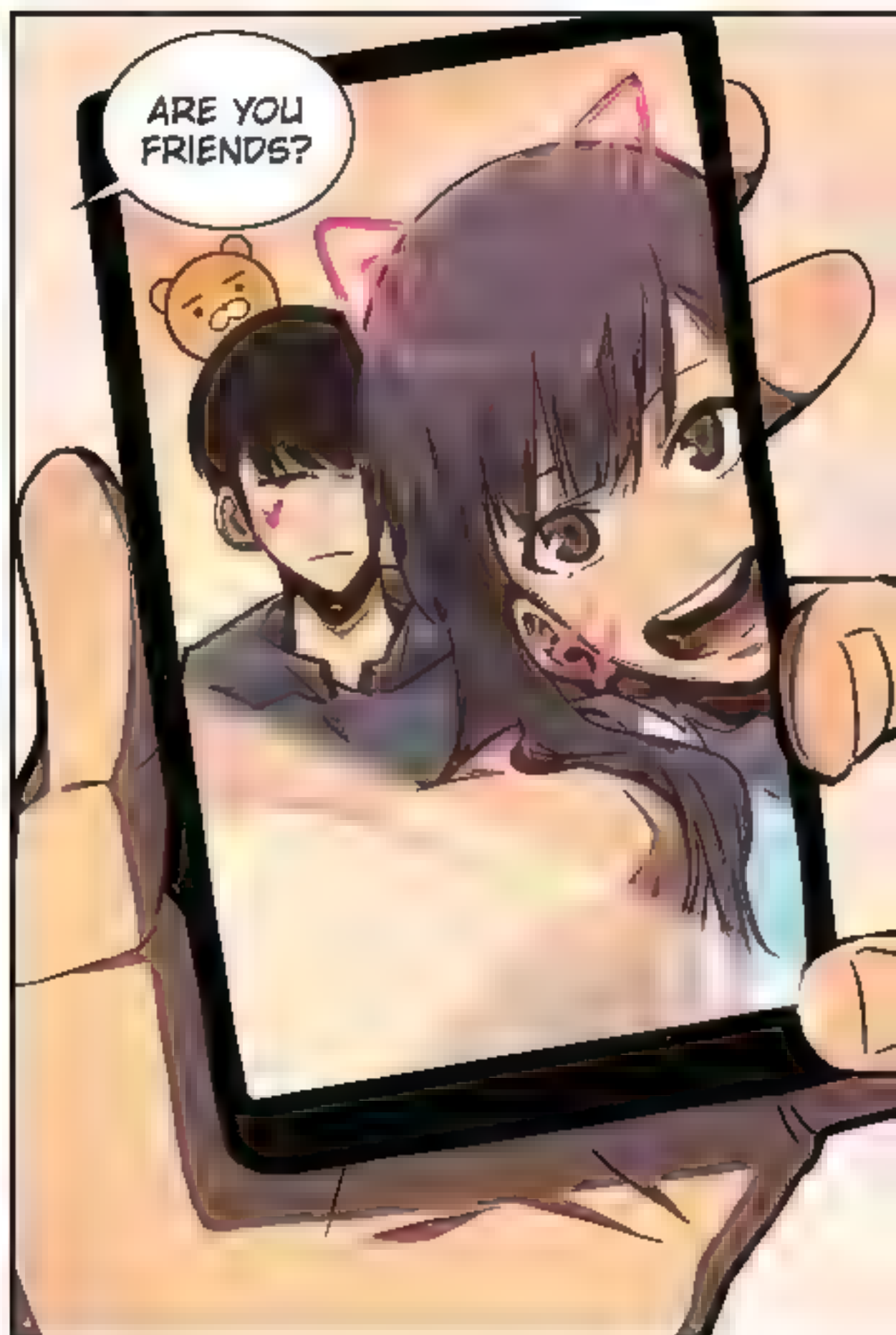
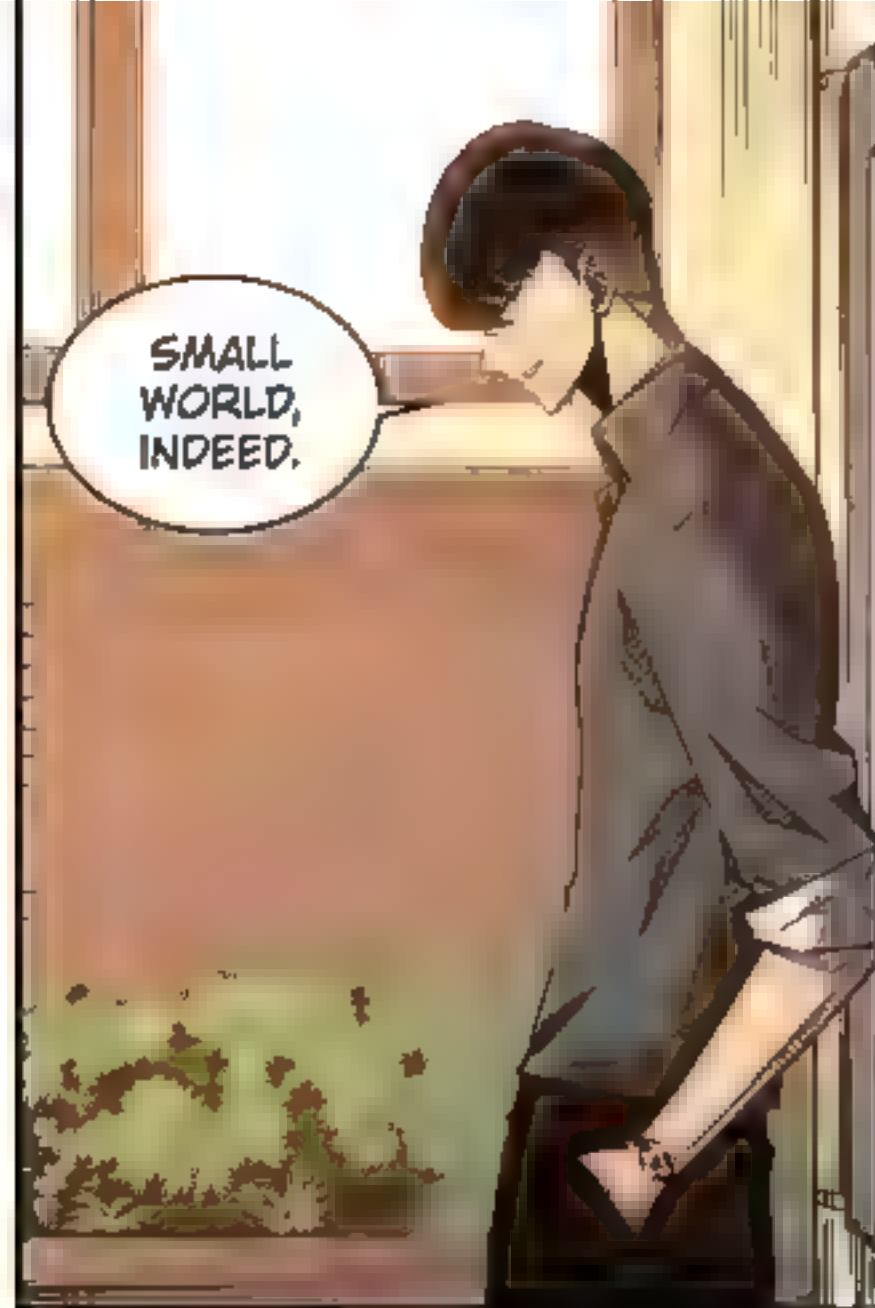


YOU
WORK AS A
HUNTER...

...SO...





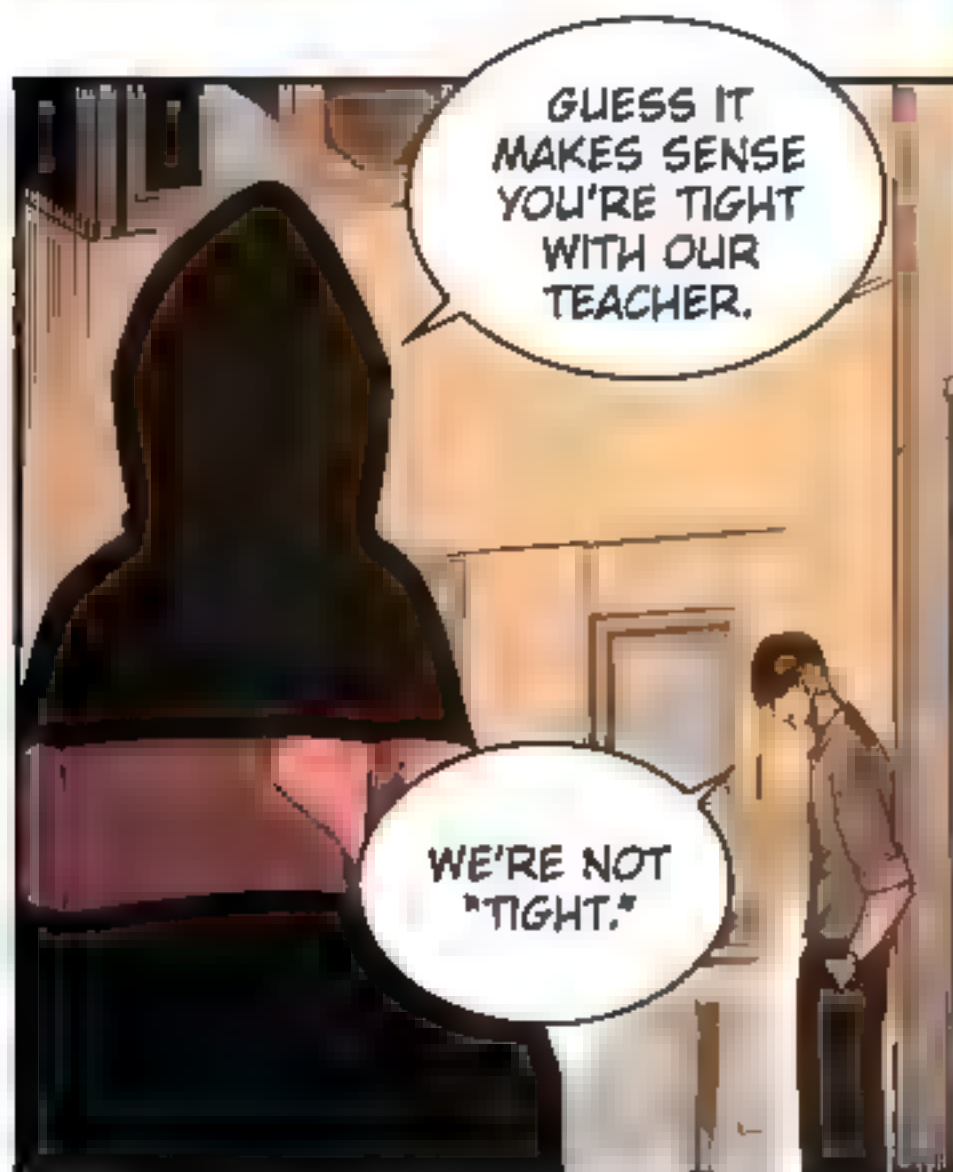




WAIT—
IS THAT
JINAH?

ARE YOU
HER OLDER
BROTHER,
MISTER?

I ACTUALLY
VISITED YOU
ONCE, IN THE
HOSPITAL... WELL, I WAITED
OUTSIDE YOUR
ROOM FOR HER.



GUESS IT
MAKES SENSE
YOU'RE TIGHT
WITH OUR
TEACHER.

WE'RE NOT
"TIGHT."



I DON'T
KNOW WHAT SHE
TOLD YOU, BUT
I'M DONE WITH
SCHOOL.

I'M NOT
QUITTING BEING
A HUNTER
EITHER.



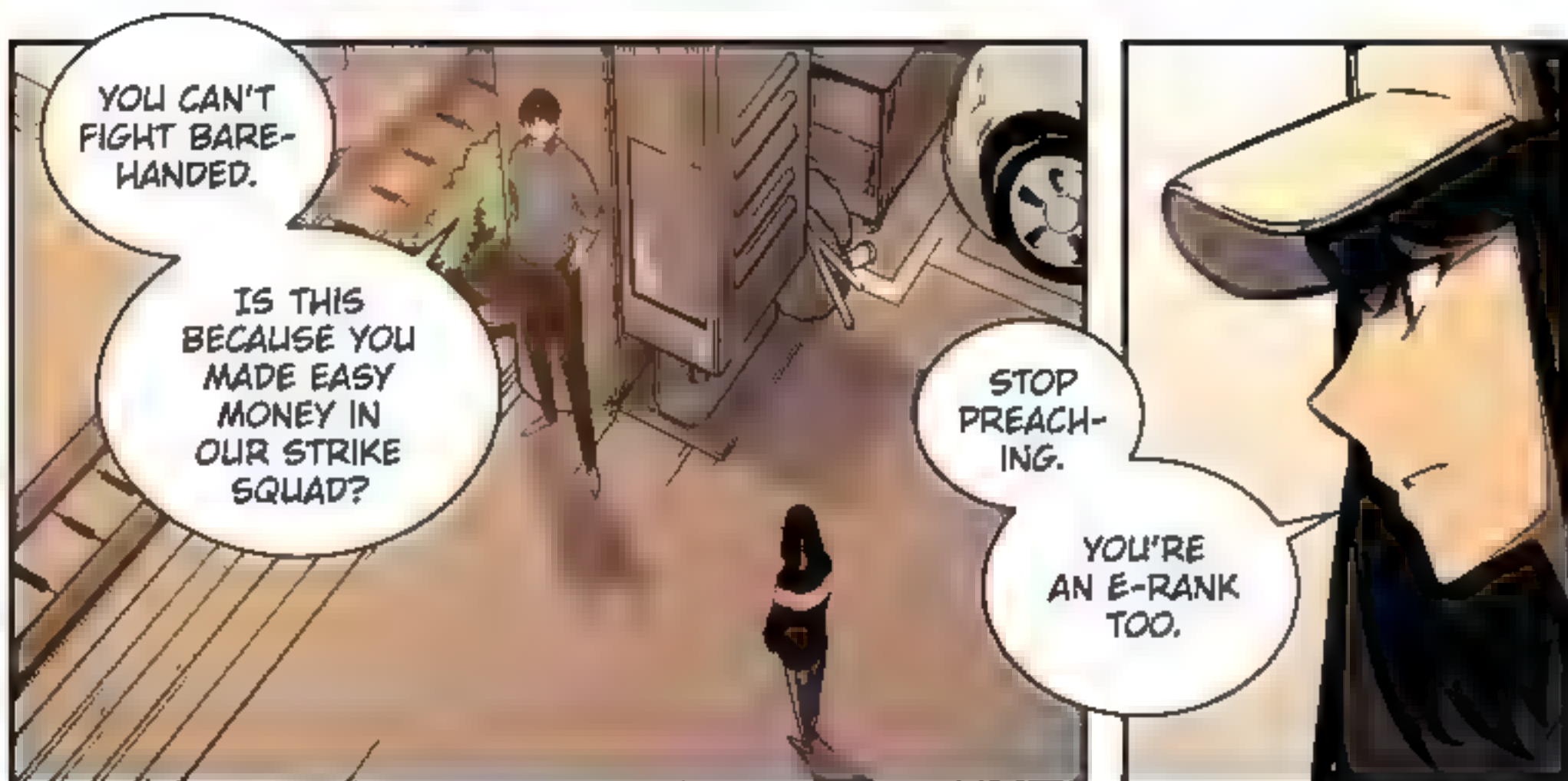
E-RANK,
RIGHT?

BASIC ATTACKS
ARE USELESS ON
MAGIC BEASTS.

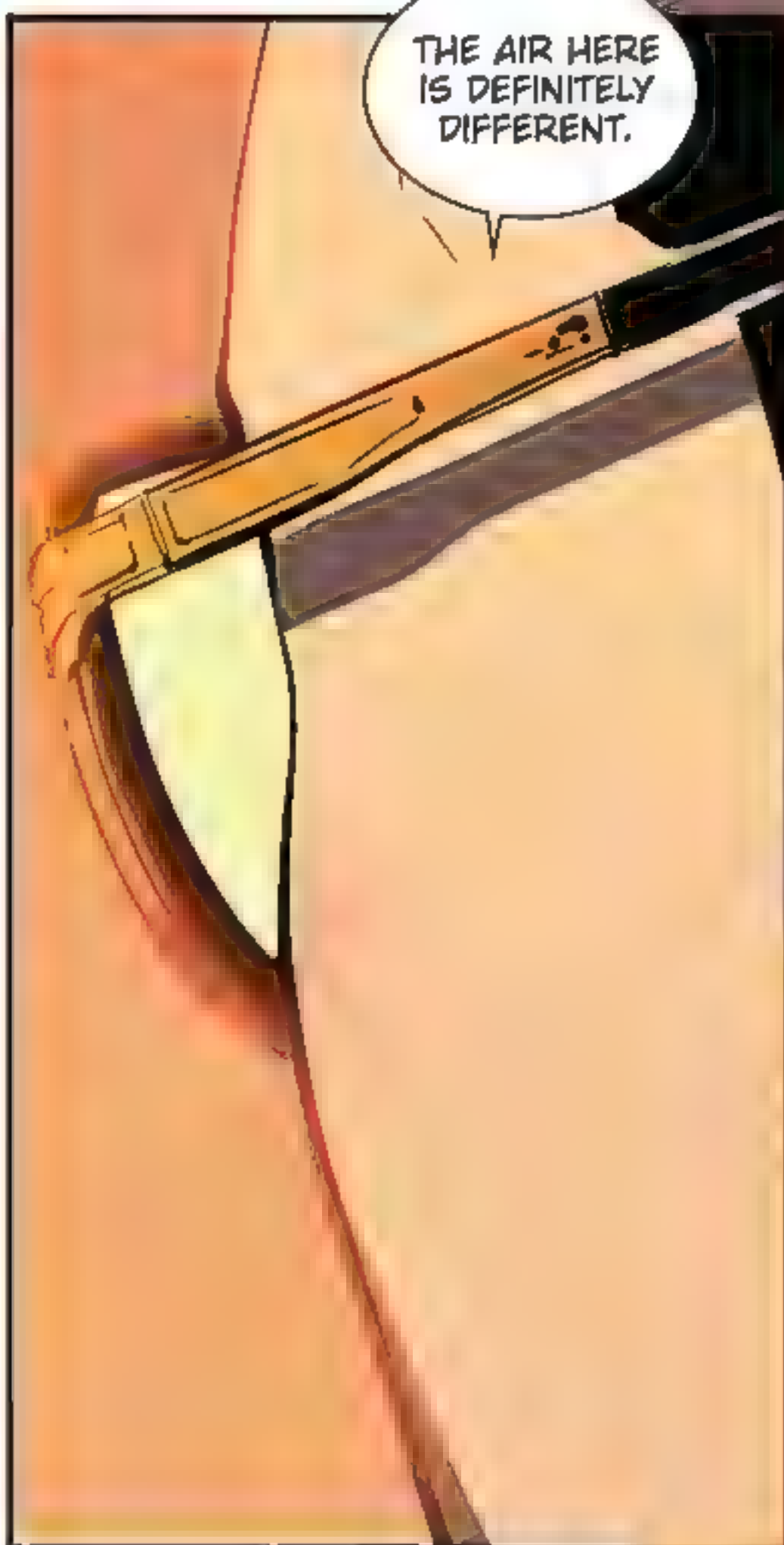
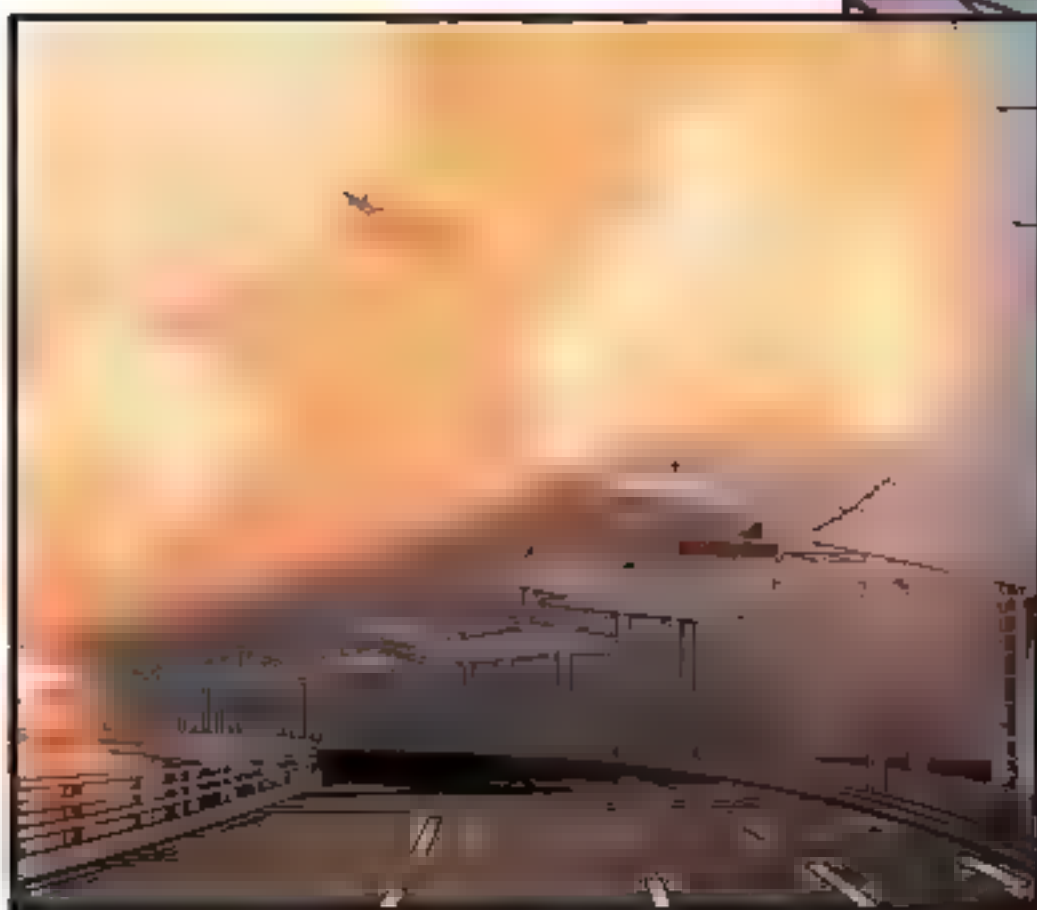
YOU CAN'T
WORK WITHOUT
A MAGICALLY
POWERED
WEAPON.

AND THEY
WEAR OUT FAST,
SO YOU HAVE TO
KEEP REPLACING
THEM.

IT'S A
TOUGH
BUSINESS.



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Leveling



THE AIR HERE
IS DEFINITELY
DIFFERENT.

I GOT TO KOREA
EARLIER THAN
I'D PLANNED.

WELCOME.





WELL,
LOOK WHO
IT IS.

WHAT
BRINGS JINCHUL
WOO OF THE
HUNTER'S
ASSOCIATION
HERE?



IT'S ONLY
NATURAL FOR THE
SURVEILLANCE TEAM
TO GREET AN S-RANK
HUNTER SETTING
FOOT IN KOREA.



SURVEILLANCE
TEAM? STILL
PRESIDENT
GO'S RIGHT
ARM?

IF I WERE
YOU, I'D
CUT OFF HIS
LEFT ARM.

THAT WAY,
THE OLD MAN
COULDN'T DO
ANYTHING WITHOUT
YOU, AND YOU'D
HAVE IT ALL.



HOW LONG
WILL YOU BE
HERE?

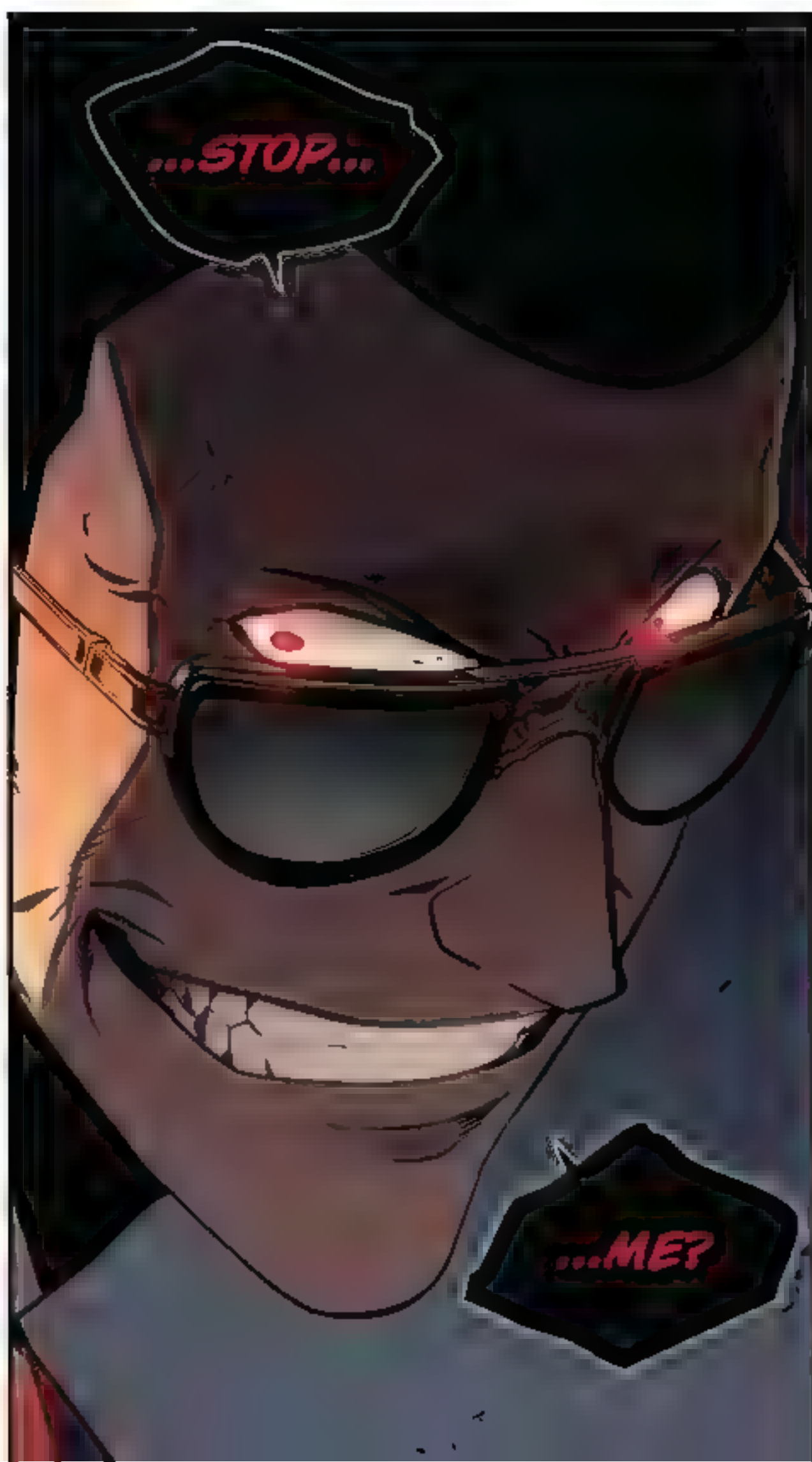
I'VE GOT NO
NOSTALGIA FOR
KOREA, SO NOT
LONG.

DON'T
WORRY—
AS SOON AS MY
BUSINESS IS
SETTLED, I'M
GONE.



AFTER ABANDONING
YOUR COUNTRY,
WHAT'S BROUGHT
YOU BACK IS...

...E-RANK HUNTER
JINWOO SUNG AND
D-RANK HUNTER
JINHO YOO?





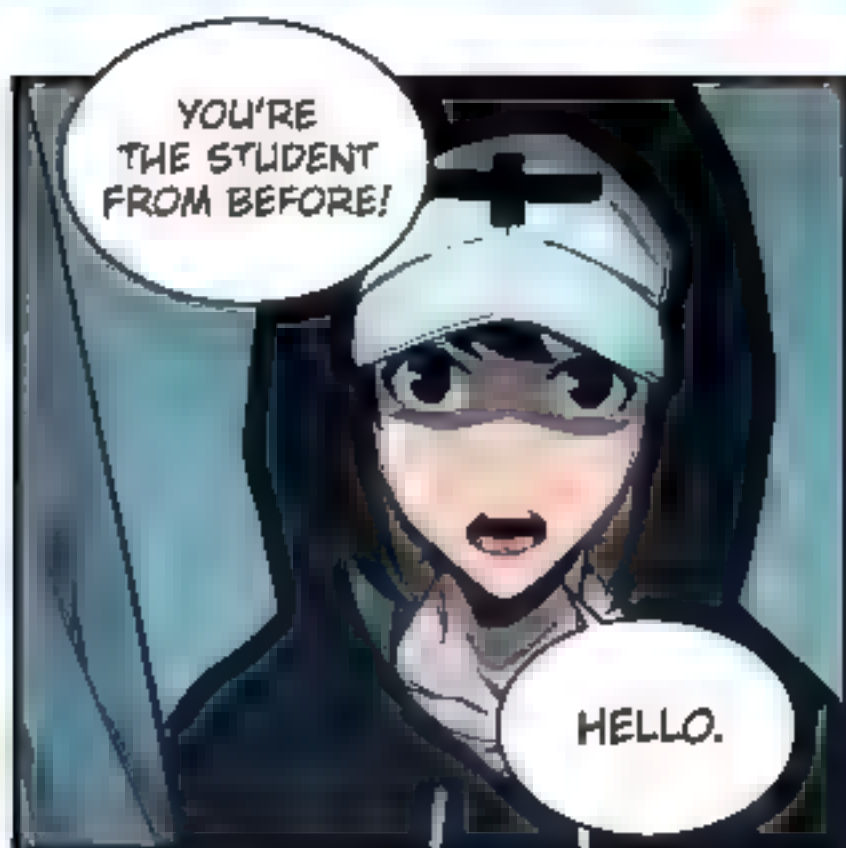


IT'S BEEN
A WHILE,
MANAGER
AN.



I'M SANGMIN
AN, MANAGER
OF THE SECOND
ADMINISTRATION
TEAM OF THE WHITE
TIGER GUILD.

I'M KICHUL
HYUN,
ASSISTANT
MANAGER.



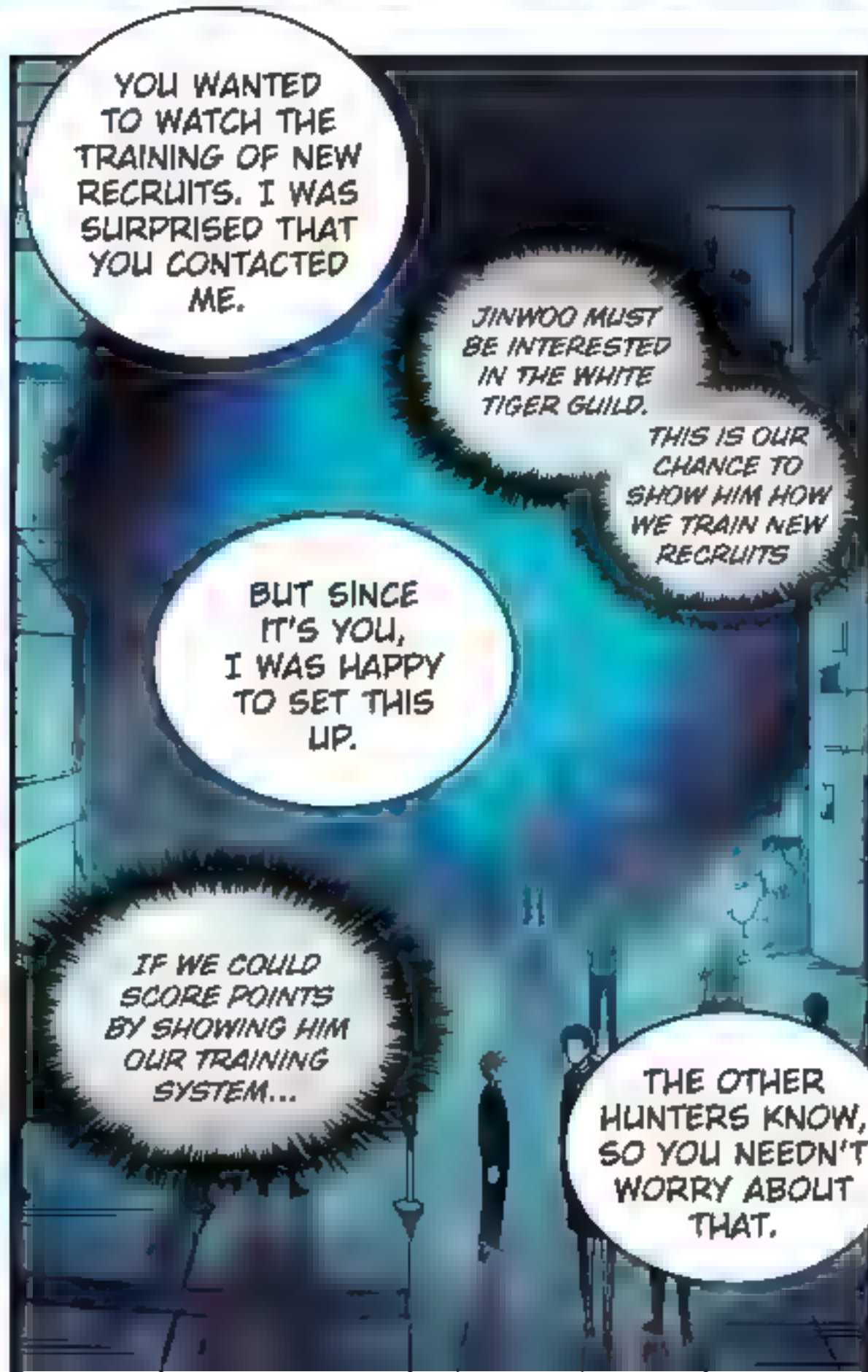
YOU'RE
THE STUDENT
FROM BEFORE!

HELLO.



AN E-RANK...
GUESS THERE'S
NOT MUCH TO
SEE HERE.

NO, I
SHOULDN'T
JUDGE HER,
CONSIDERING
HUNTER SUNG'S
CASE.



YOU WANTED
TO WATCH THE
TRAINING OF NEW
RECRUITS. I WAS
SURPRISED THAT
YOU CONTACTED
ME.

JINWOO MUST
BE INTERESTED
IN THE WHITE
TIGER GUILD.

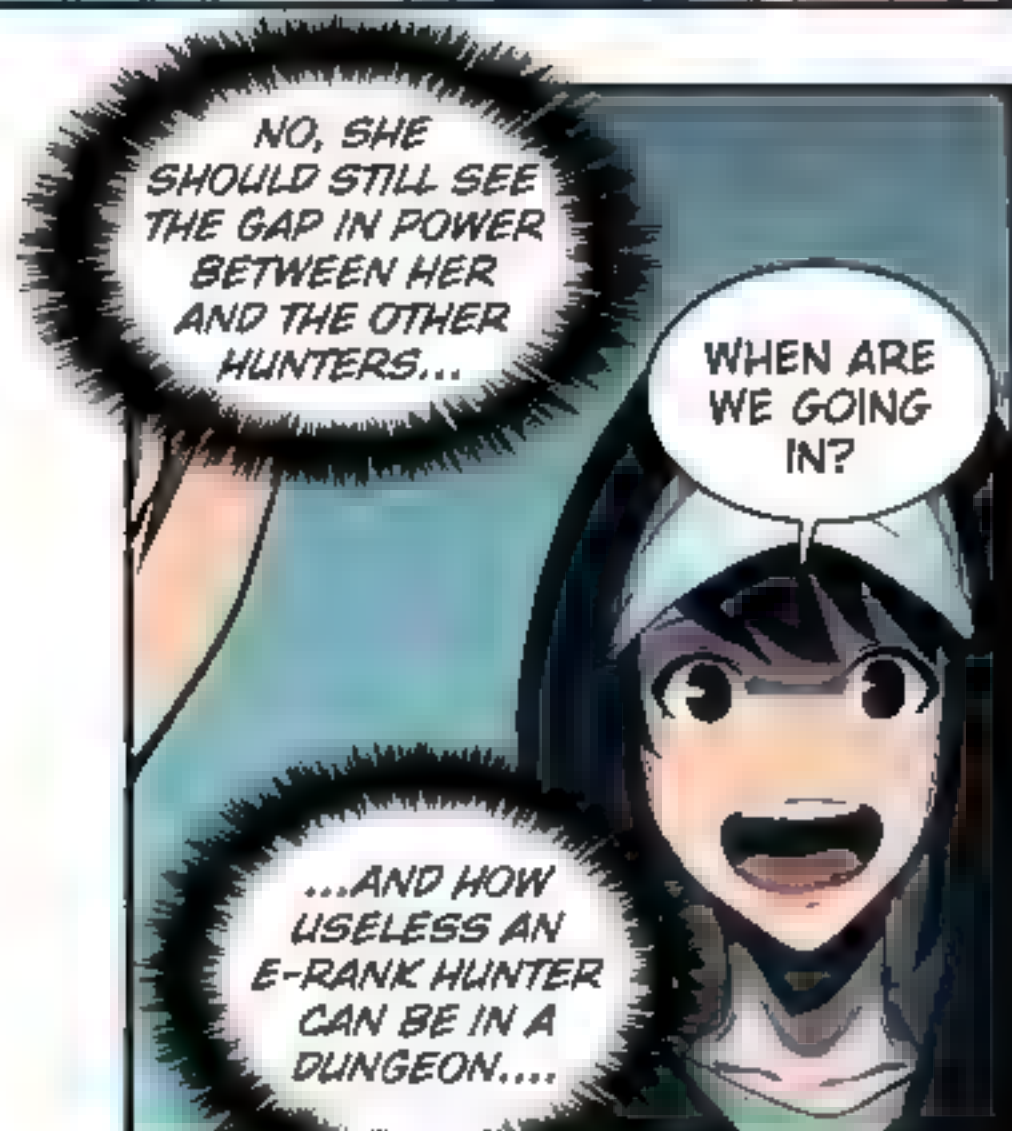
THIS IS OUR
CHANCE TO
SHOW HIM HOW
WE TRAIN NEW
RECRUITS

BUT SINCE
IT'S YOU,
I WAS HAPPY
TO SET THIS
UP.

IF WE COULD
SCORE POINTS
BY SHOWING HIM
OUR TRAINING
SYSTEM...

THE OTHER
HUNTERS KNOW,
SO YOU NEEDN'T
WORRY ABOUT
THAT.







IS
THIS...?

THE SURFACE
IS RIPPLING
LIKE WATER.

SOMETHING'S
OFF.

GOING
THROUGH FEELS
DIFFERENT FROM
OTHER GATES!

WHAT'S
THIS WEIRD
SENSATION?

DANGER! WE
NEED TO QUICKLY
GET OUT OF
HERE...!



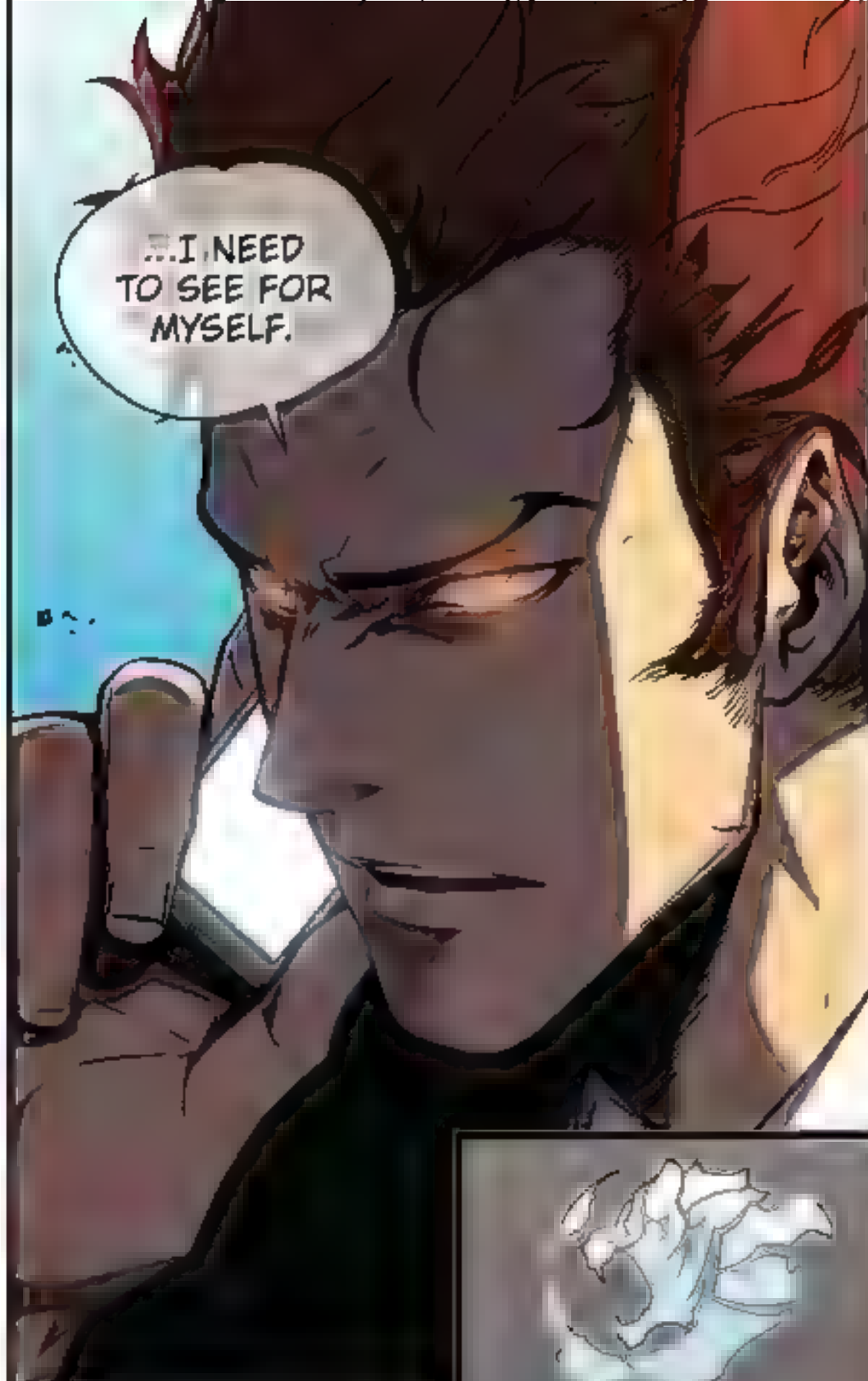
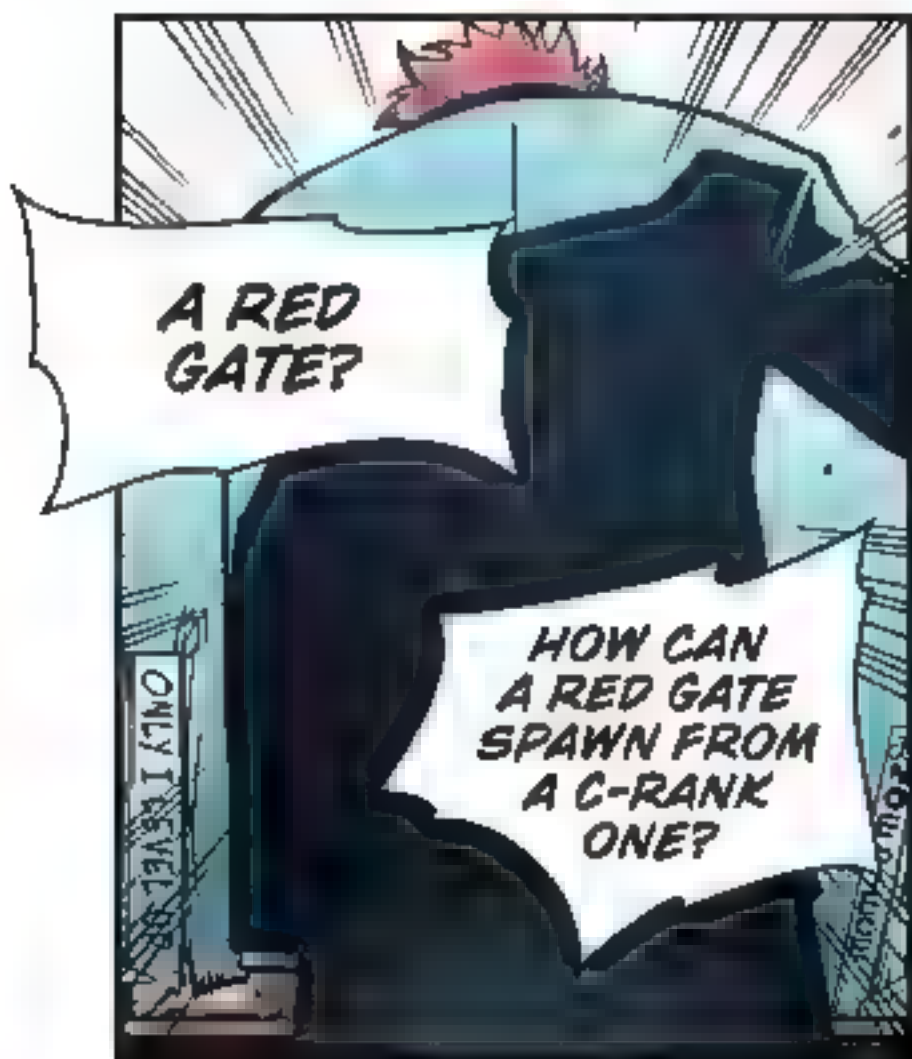
**MANGER
AN! CALL
YOUR MAIN
STRIKE
SQUAD—
NOW!!**

**HUNTER
SUNG!**

**THIS ISN'T
A MATTER
FOR THE
MAIN
STRIKE
SQUAD!**

**I HAVE
TO CALL
PRESIDENT
BAEK!**





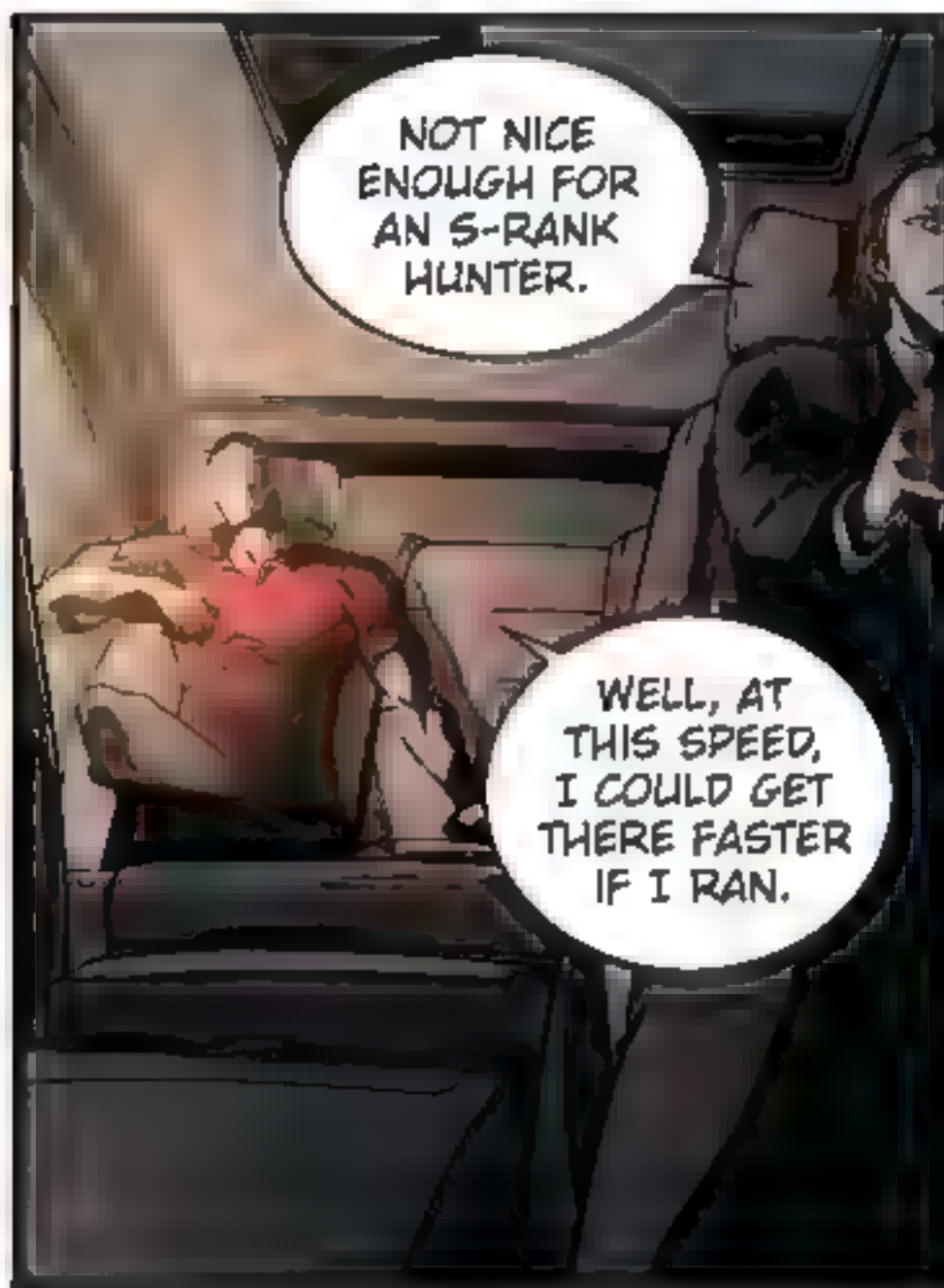
S-RANK YOONHO BAEK
PRESIDENT OF THE
WHITE TIGER GUILD



WHITE TIGER

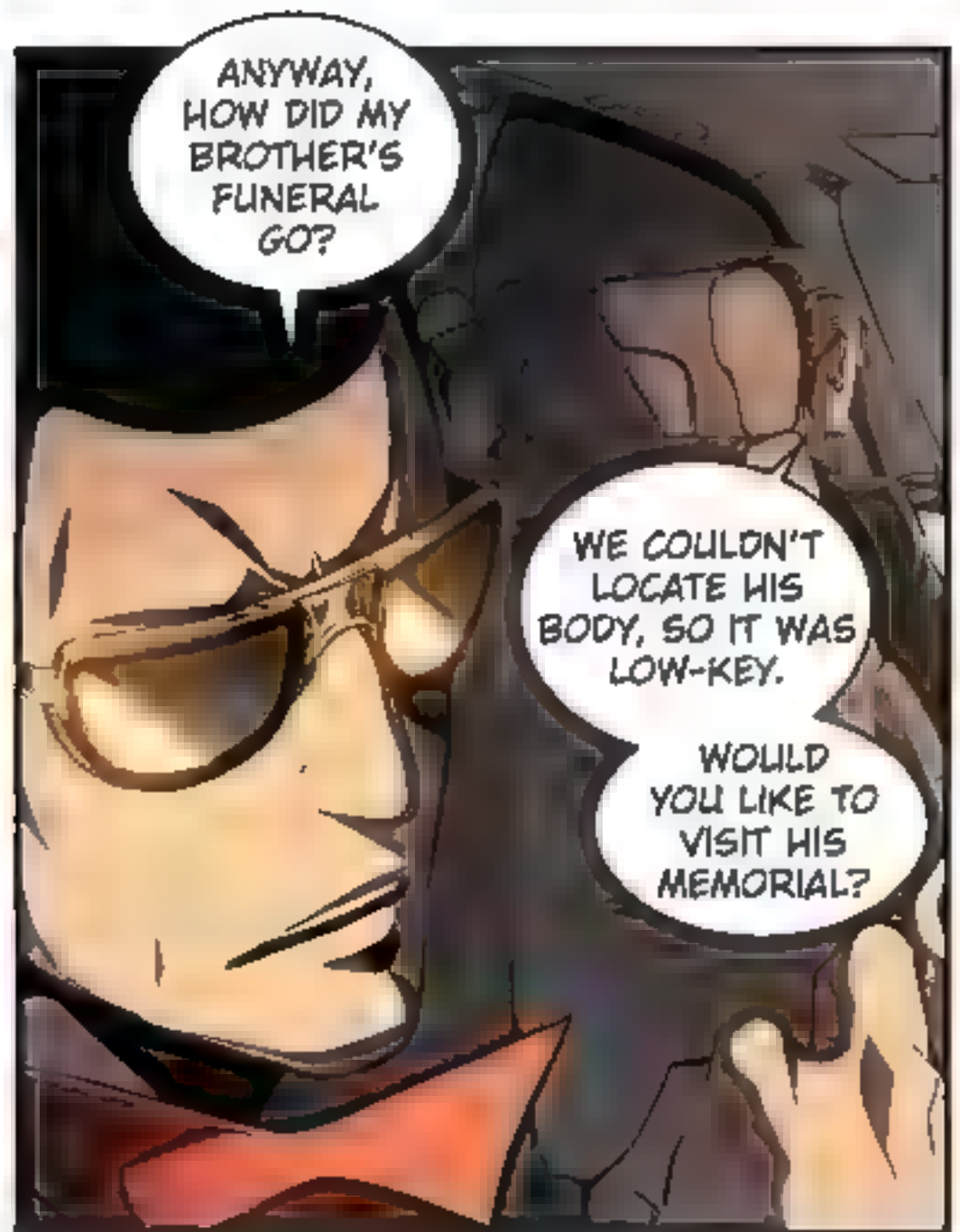
A guild based in Seoul.
Broke off from the Reapers Guild,
previously the top guild in Korea,
and is continuously expanding.
One of the top five guilds in the
country.





NOT NICE
ENOUGH FOR
AN S-RANK
HUNTER.

WELL, AT
THIS SPEED,
I COULD GET
THERE FASTER
IF I RAN.



ANYWAY,
HOW DID MY
BROTHER'S
FUNERAL
GO?

WE COULDN'T
LOCATE HIS
BODY, SO IT WAS
LOW-KEY.

WOULD
YOU LIKE TO
VISIT HIS
MEMORIAL?



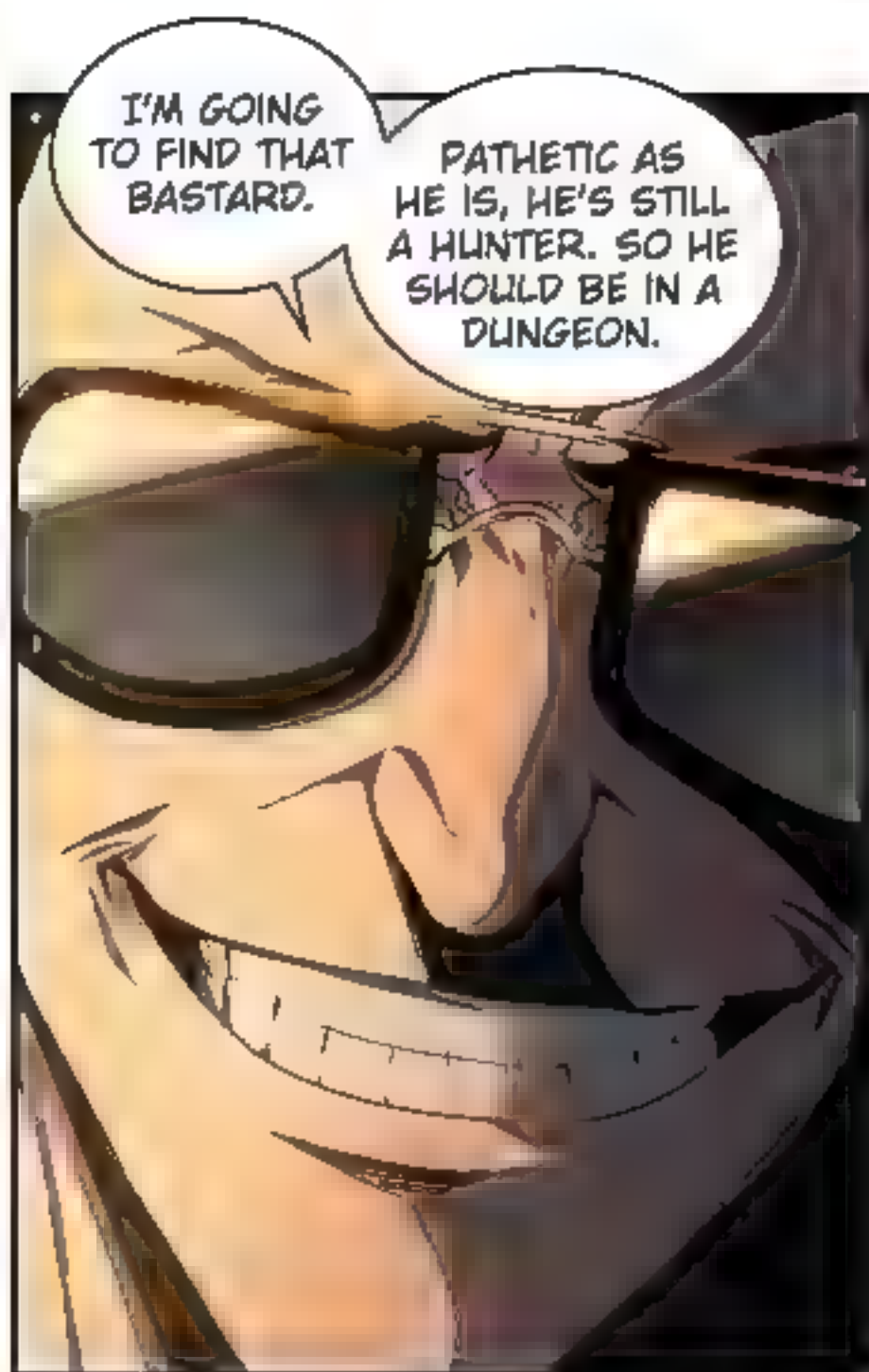
I'M NOT
INTERESTED
IN THE
DEAD.

I'M MORE
INTERESTED IN
THE GARBAGE MY
BROTHER LEFT
BEHIND.



THEN WHERE
WOULD YOU
LIKE TO GO?

TO A
DUNGEON,
OF COURSE.



I'M GOING TO FIND THAT BASTARD.

PATHETIC AS HE IS, HE'S STILL A HUNTER. SO HE SHOULD BE IN A DUNGEON.

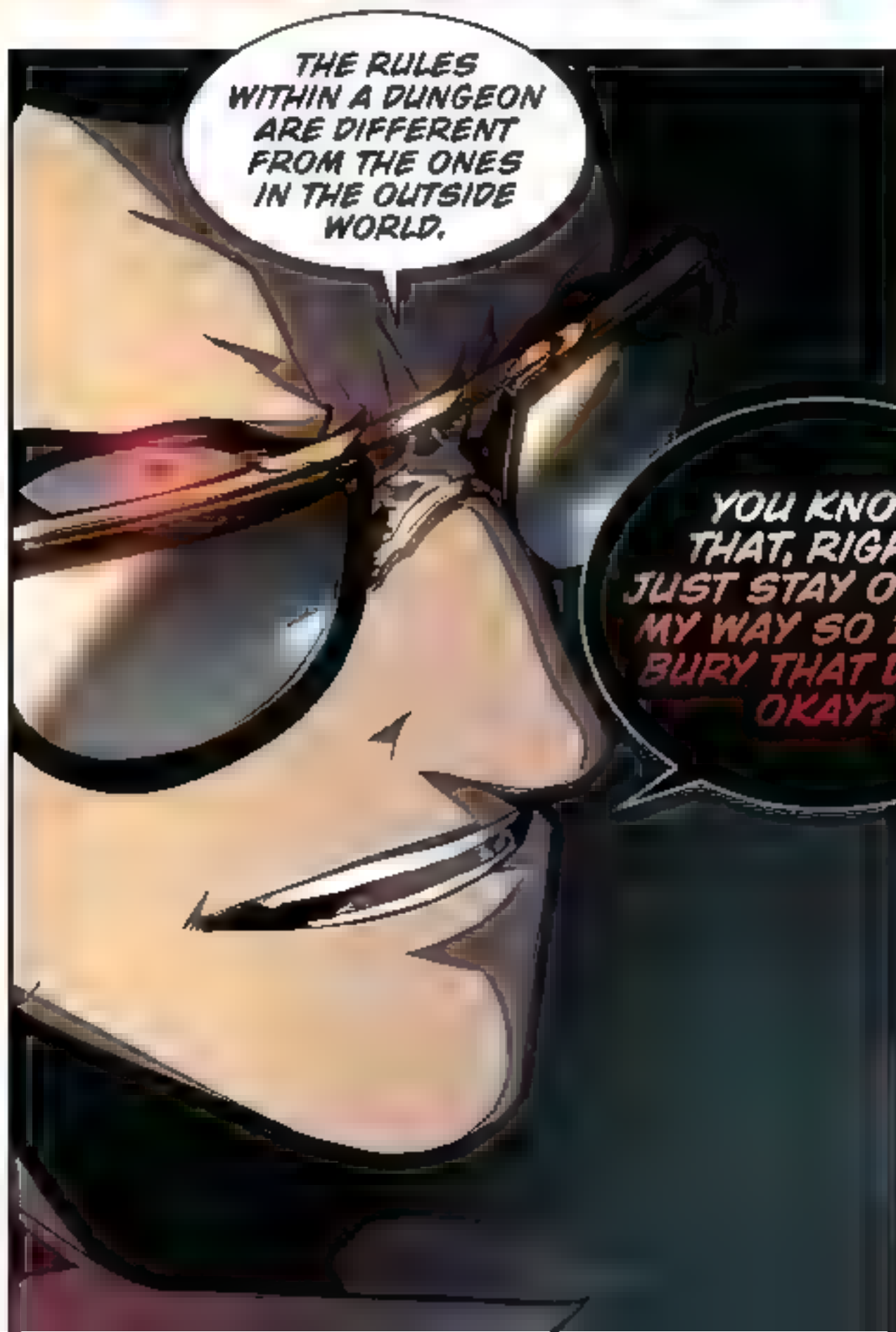


THERE ARE MORE THAN A FEW GATES IN KOREA. HOW ARE YOU PLANNING TO FIND HIM...?



THIS IS THE 21ST CENTURY. IT'S EASY.

I HEARD JINWOO SUNG JUST WENT INSIDE A DUNGEON.

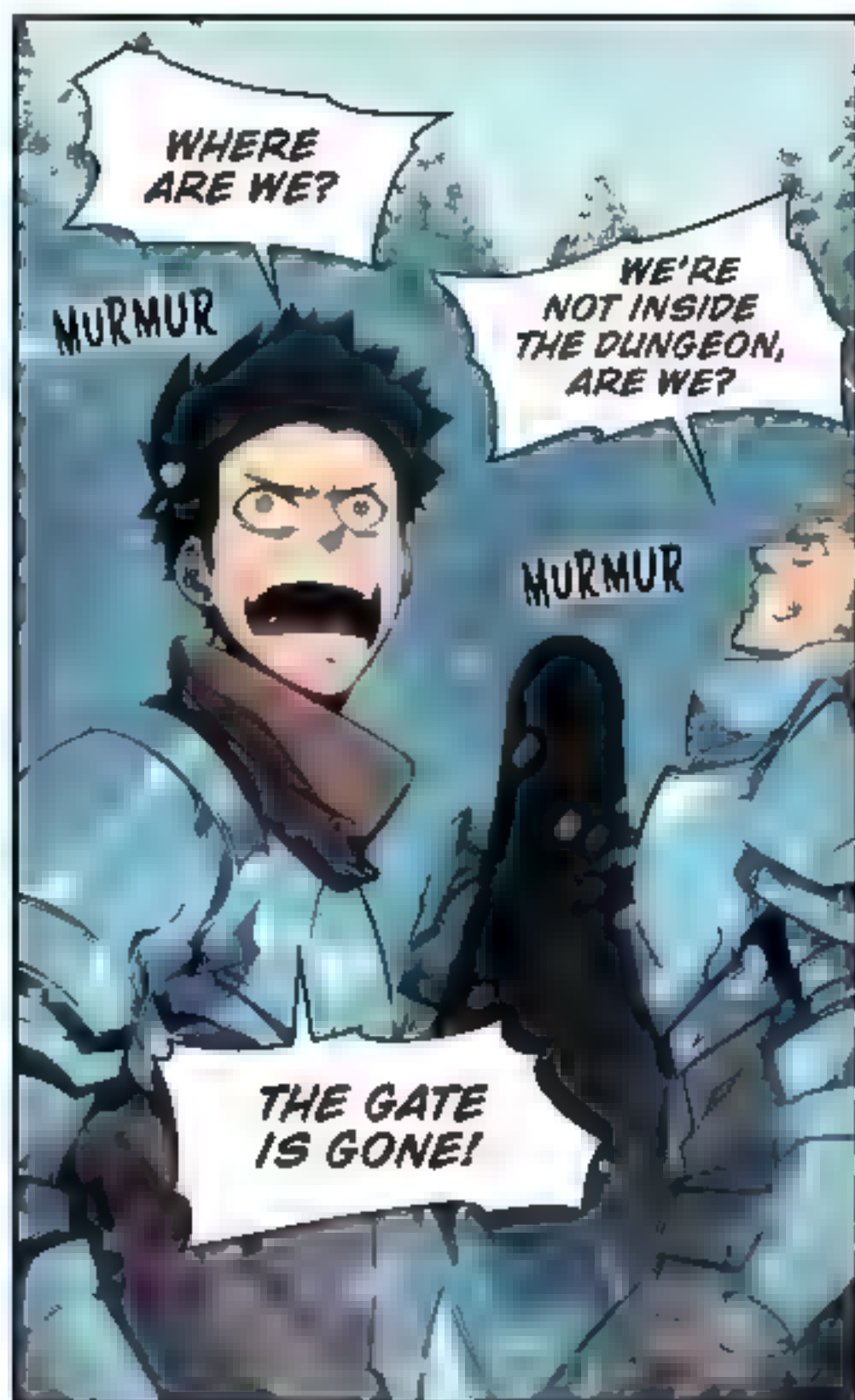
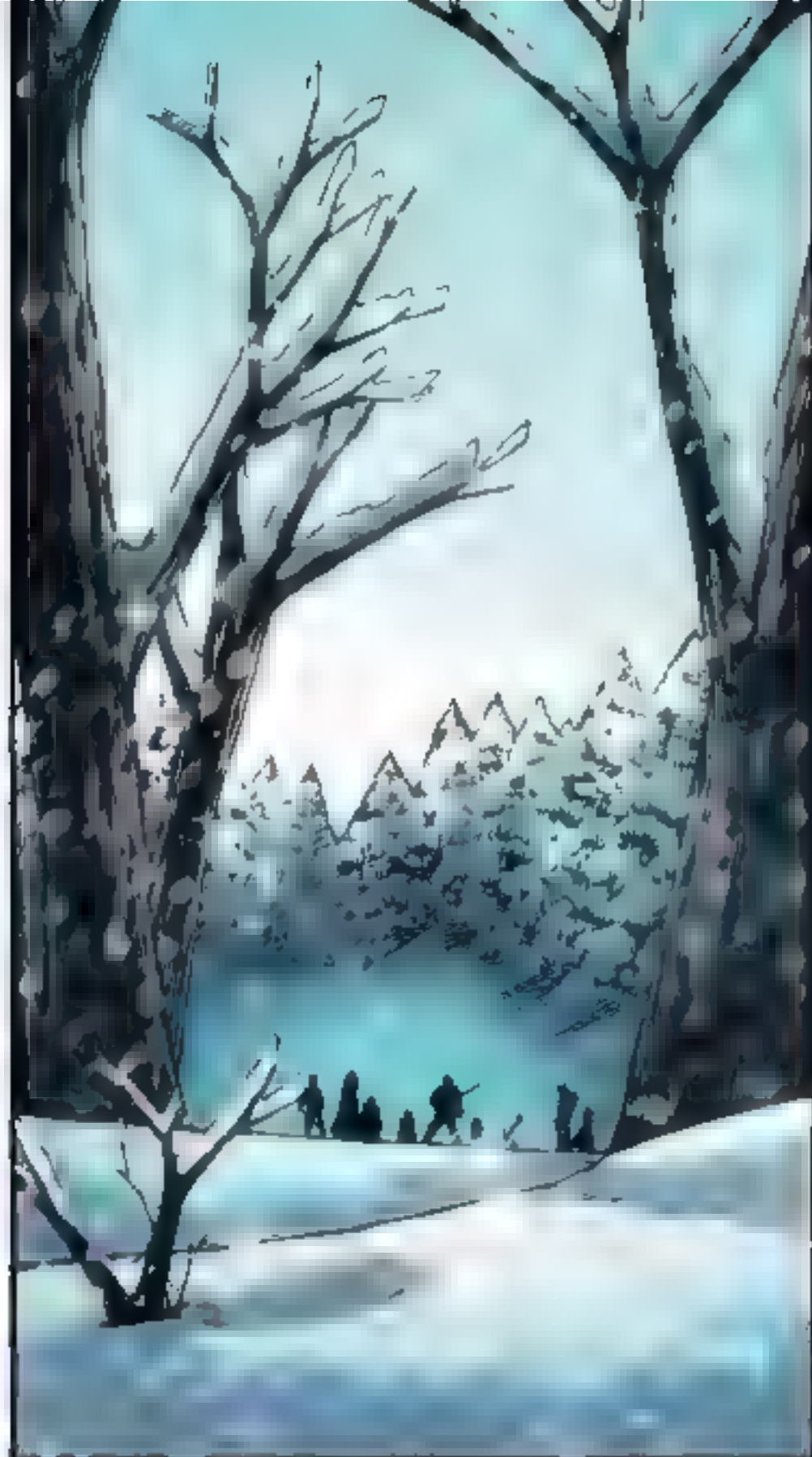


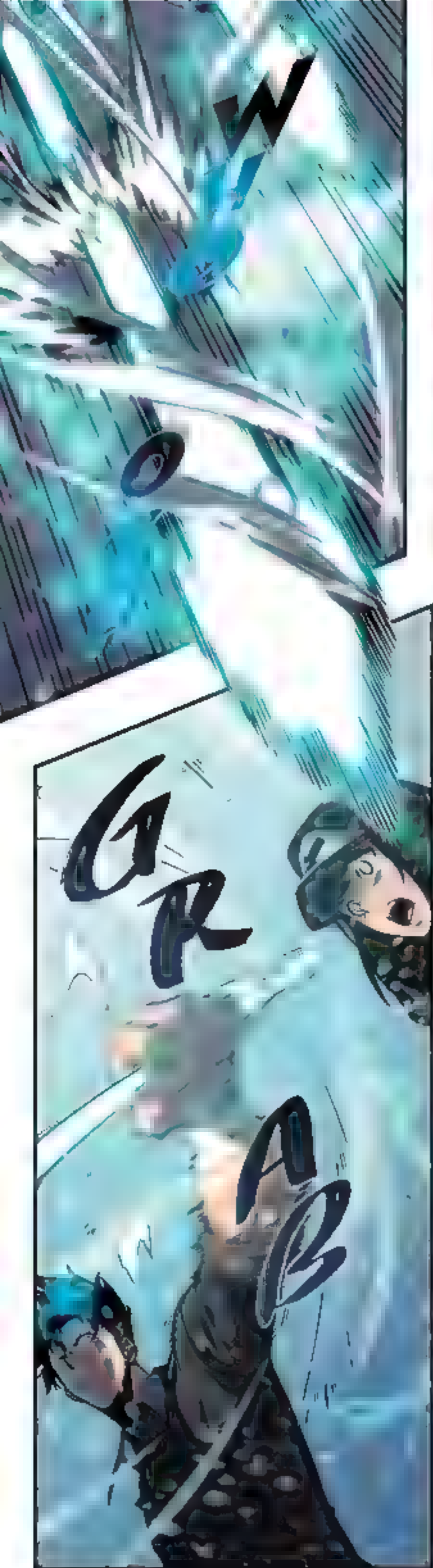
THE RULES WITHIN A DUNGEON ARE DIFFERENT FROM THE ONES IN THE OUTSIDE WORLD.

YOU KNOW THAT, RIGHT? JUST STAY OUT OF MY WAY SO I CAN BURY THAT DUDE, OKAY?



...RIGHT.







ICE ELVES?!

ICE ELVES...
THAT'S WHY
WE COULDN'T
SENSE THEIR
PRESENCE.

ICE ELVES—

HUNTERS WHO
HAVE FOUGHT
THEM CALL THEM
BY A DIFFERENT
NAME.

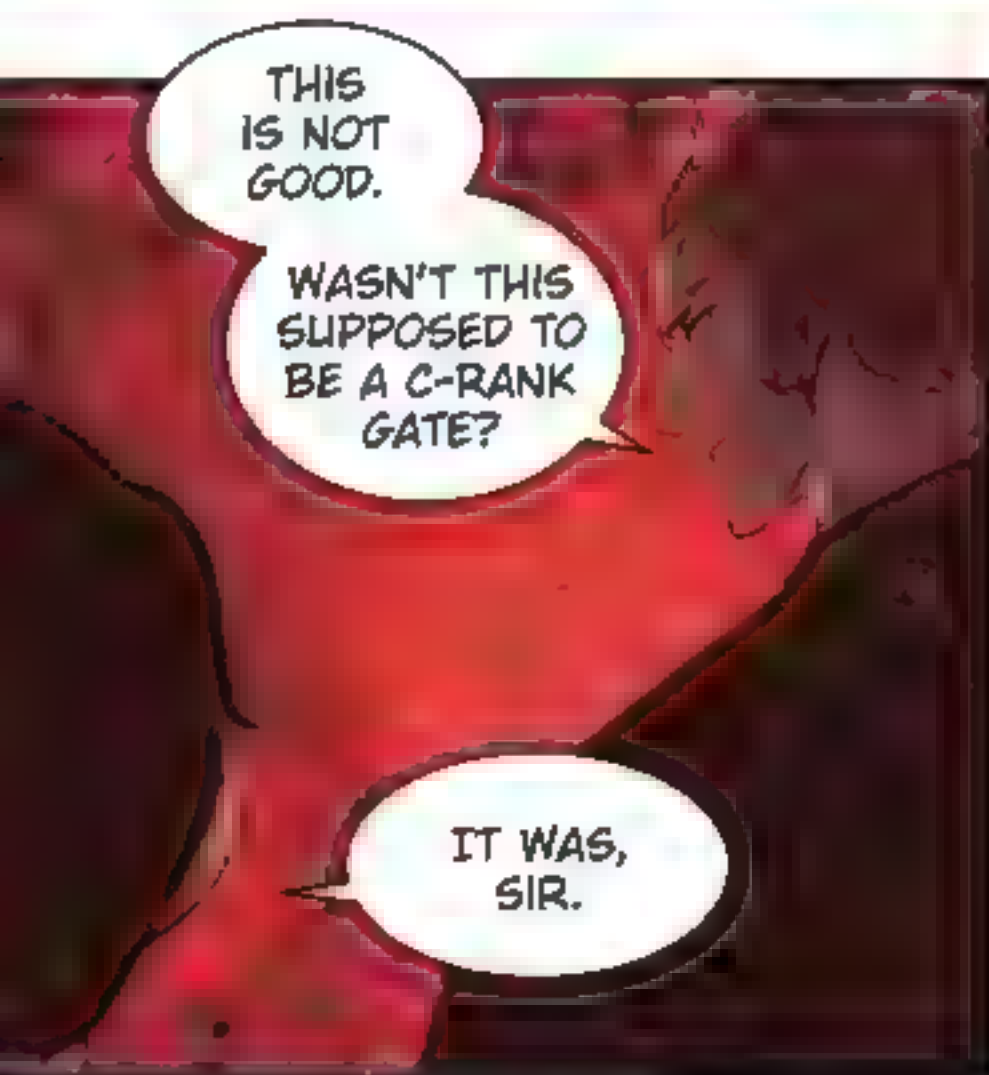
IT'S COMPLETELY DIFFERENT
FROM A PRETTY WORD LIKE
"ELF," BUT IT'S ONE THEY
EARNED FROM THEIR BRUTAL
ATTACKS ON HUNTERS—

SMIRK

**ICE
SLAYERS.**



IT'S FIRMLY
BLOCKED.



THIS
IS NOT
GOOD.

WASN'T THIS
SUPPOSED TO
BE A C-RANK
GATE?

IT WAS,
SIR.



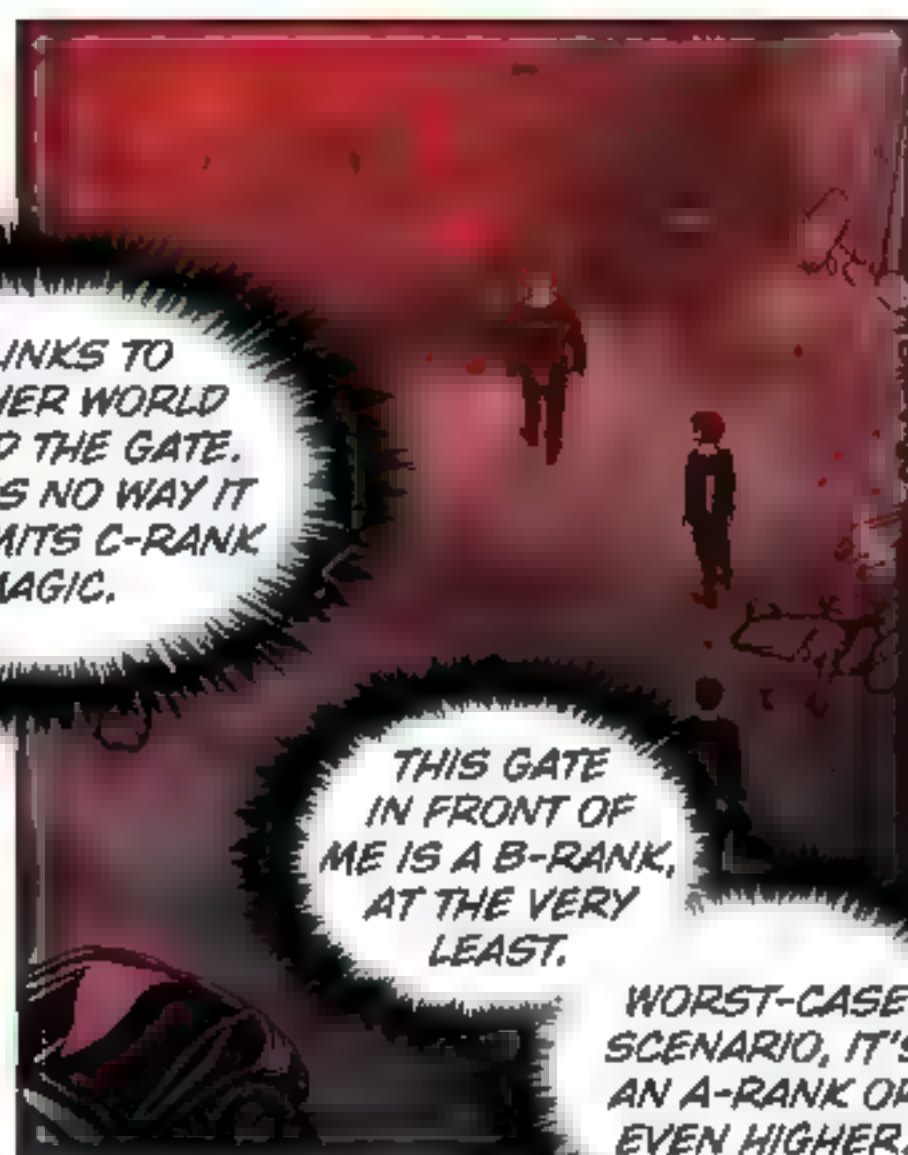
DID YOU
NOTIFY THE
ASSOCIATION?

YES,
SIR...

...BUT
THEY INSIST IT'S
A C-RANK GATE
AND REFUSE TO
HELP...



**THOSE
BASTARDS!**

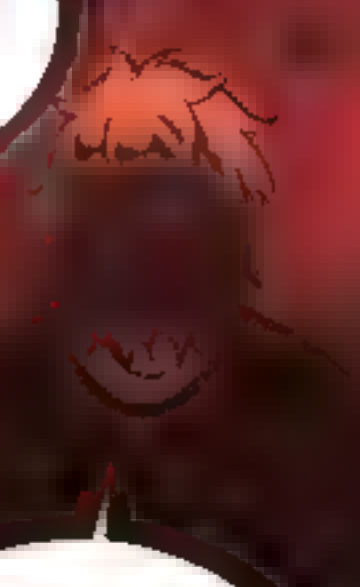


IT LINKS TO
ANOTHER WORLD
BEYOND THE GATE.
THERE'S NO WAY IT
ONLY EMITS C-RANK
MAGIC.

THIS GATE
IN FRONT OF
ME IS A B-RANK,
AT THE VERY
LEAST.

WORST-CASE
SCENARIO, IT'S
AN A-RANK OR
EVEN HIGHER.

A RED GATE
CAN ONLY
SPAWN FROM
HIGHER-RANK
DUNGEONS.



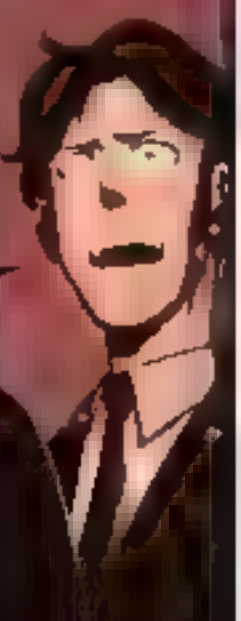
SIR, SHOULD WE MEASURE THE GATE AGAIN WITH OUR MANA METER?

ONCE THEY'VE TURNED RED, THESE GATES ARE SEALED TIGHT, SO IT'D BE IMPOSSIBLE TO GET A READING.

AT THIS RATE, THERE'S NO WAY TO DETECT THE EXACT RANK OF THIS GATE.



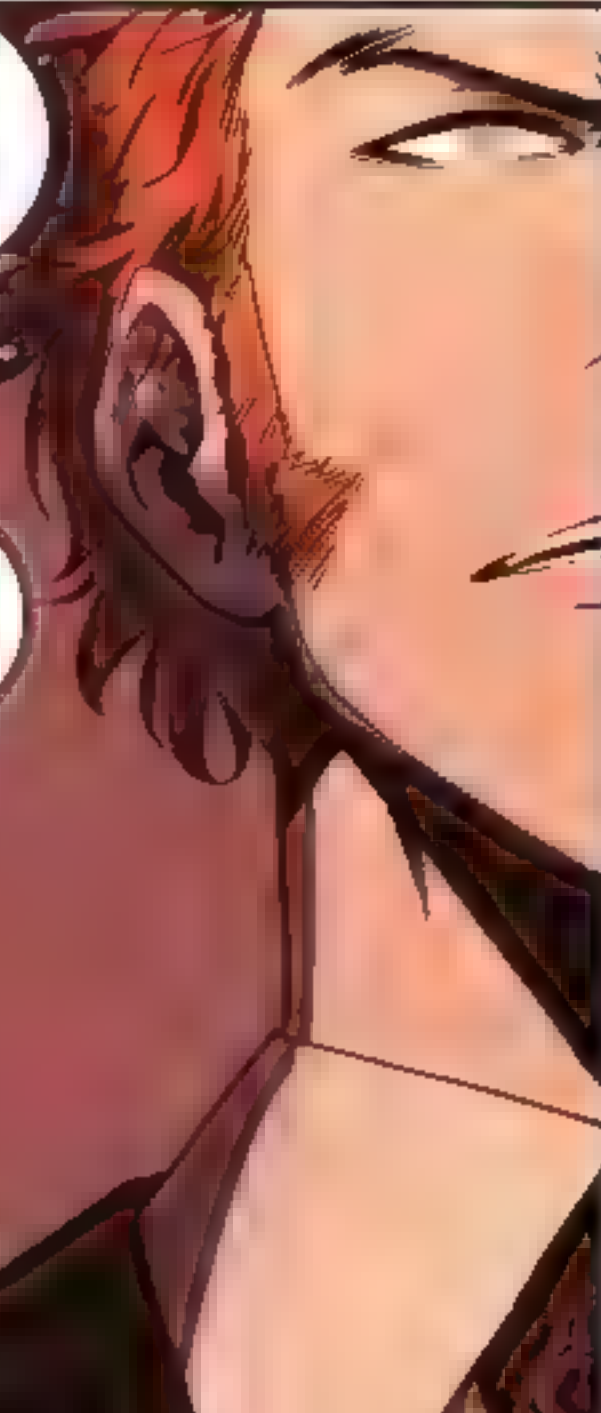
HOW MANY OF OUR MEMBERS ARE INSIDE?



TWELVE WENT IN, SIR.

HOW MANY OF THEM ARE HIGHER-RANK HUNTERS?

THE LEADER IS HUNTER CHUL KIM, AN A-RANK, AND WITH HIM ARE SEVEN B-RANK HUNTERS.



ONE A-RANK AND SEVEN B-RANK HUNTERS...

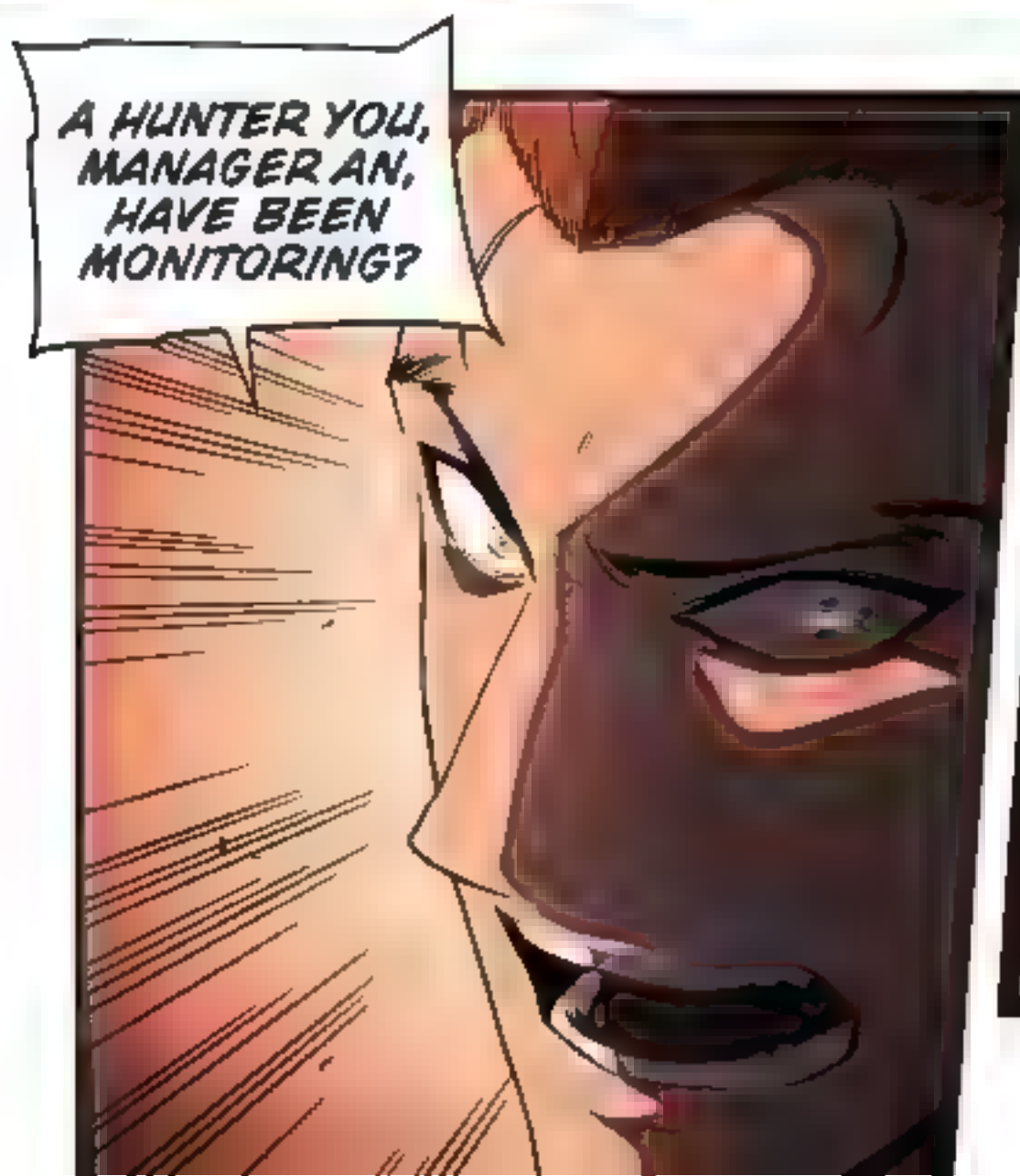


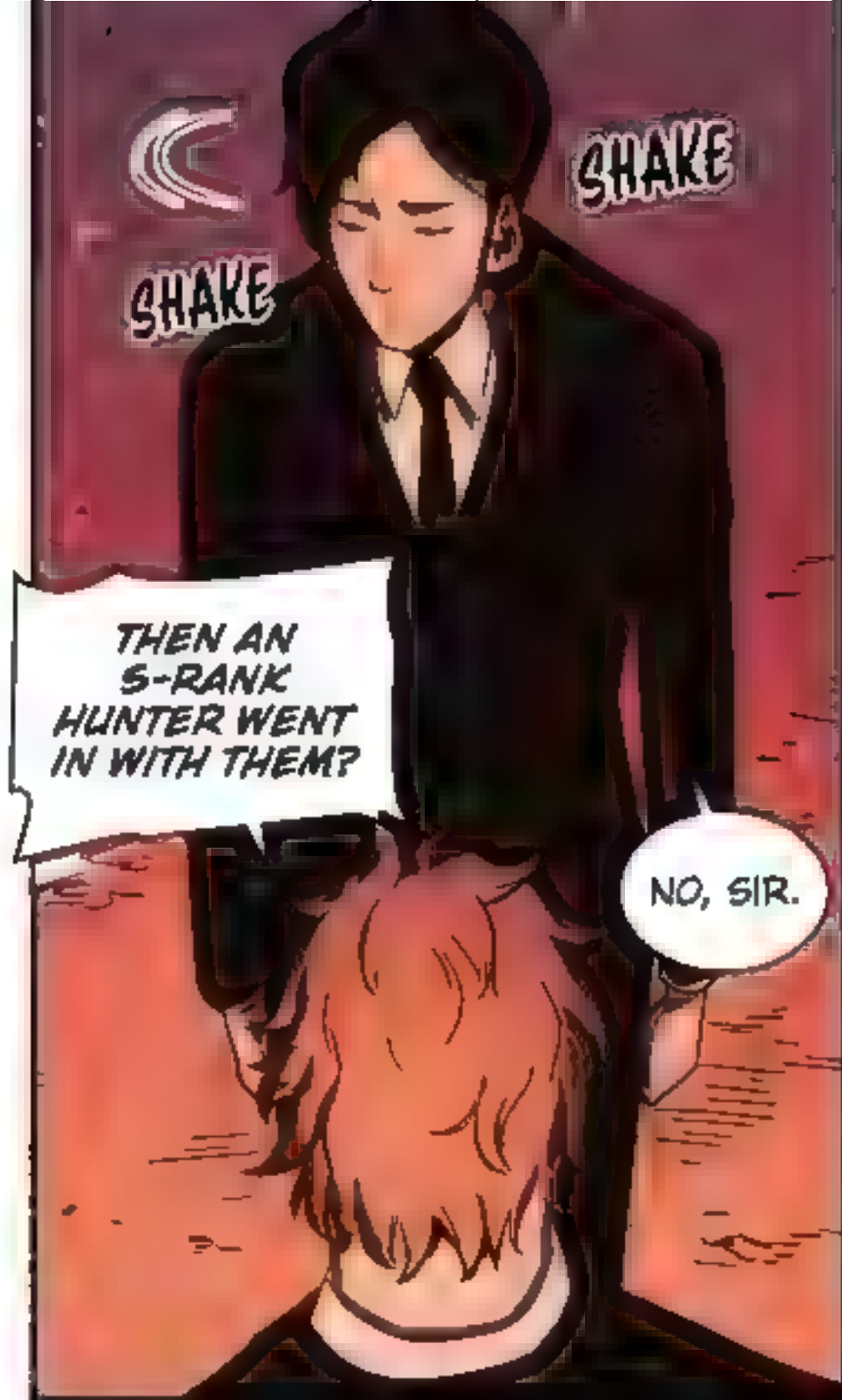
THE NEW RECRUITS...ARE THEY GOING TO BE OKAY?

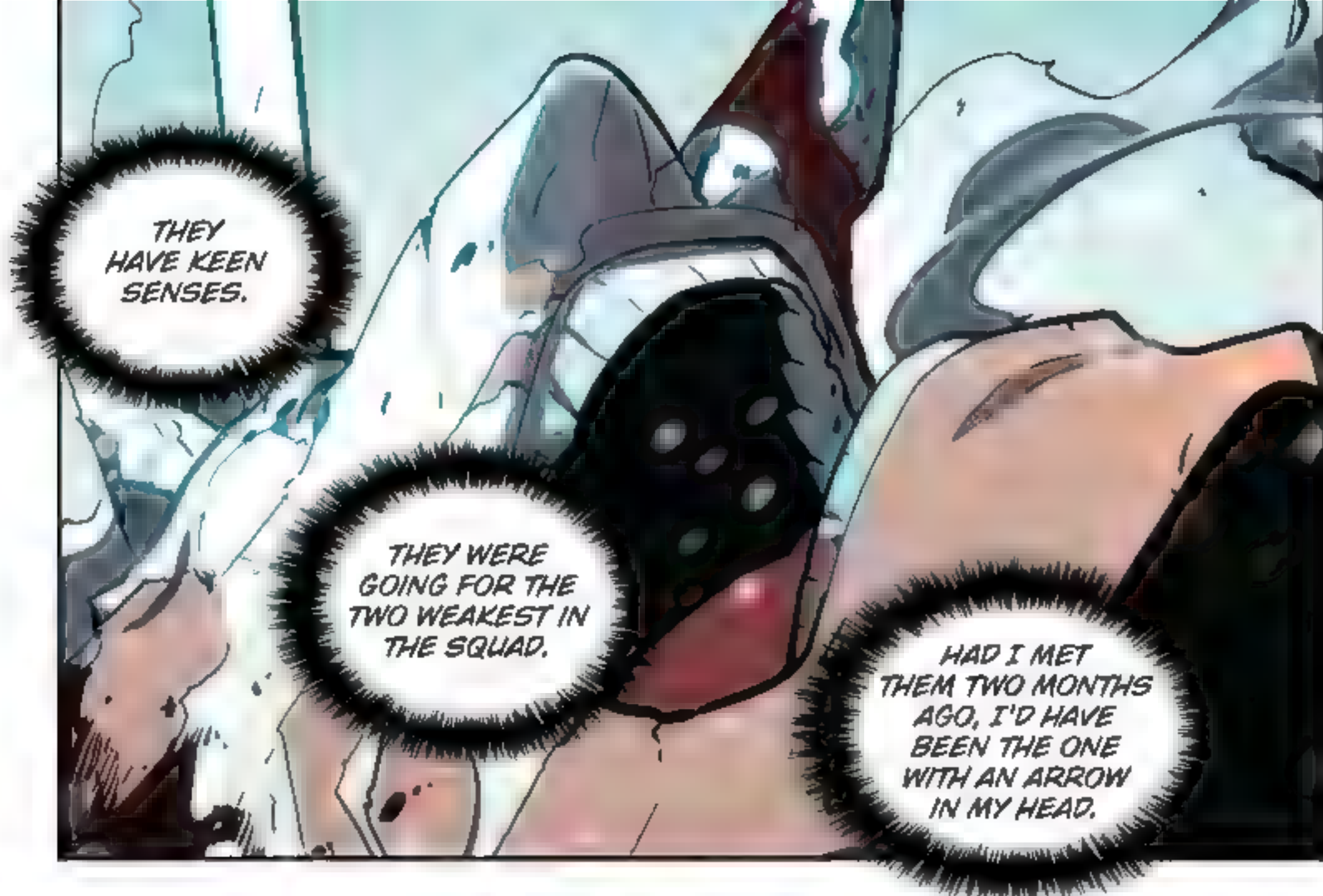
THIS GATE IS PROBABLY A B- OR A-RANK. S-RANK GATES ARE RARE AND TRIGGER NATIONAL-LEVEL DISASTERS, SO WE CAN RULE THAT OUT.

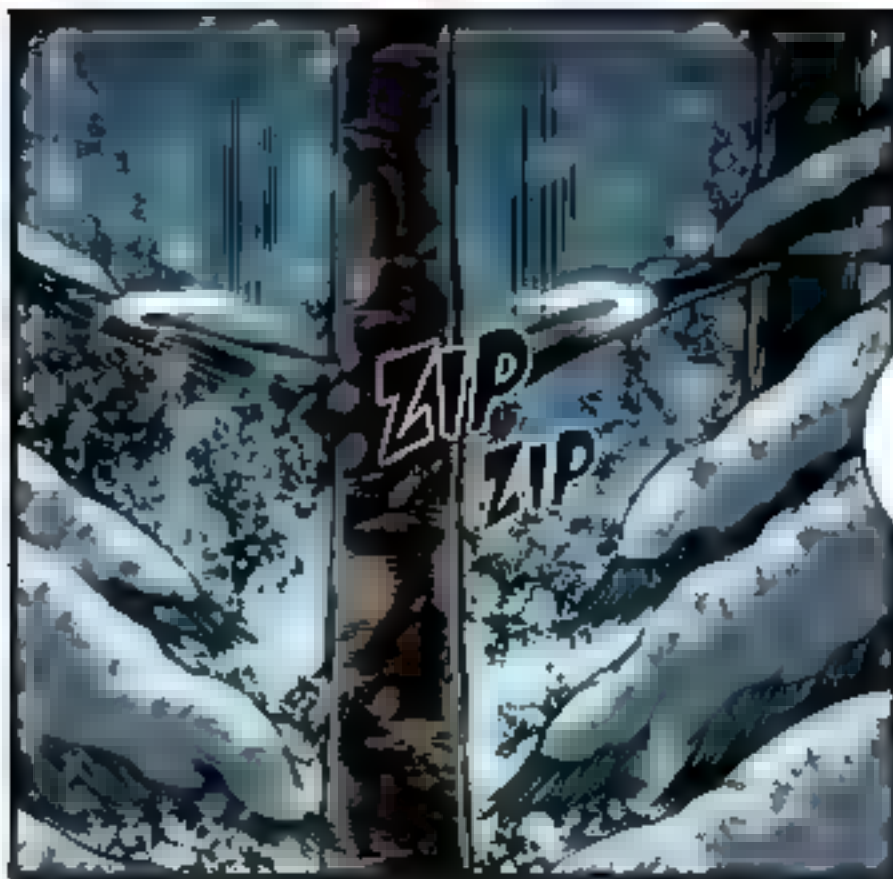
IF IT'S B-RANK, WE NEED AT LEAST THREE A- OR HIGHER-RANK HUNTERS.

IF IT'S AN A-RANK, WE NEED AT LEAST ONE S-RANK HUNTER OR TEN OR MORE A-RANK HUNTERS.







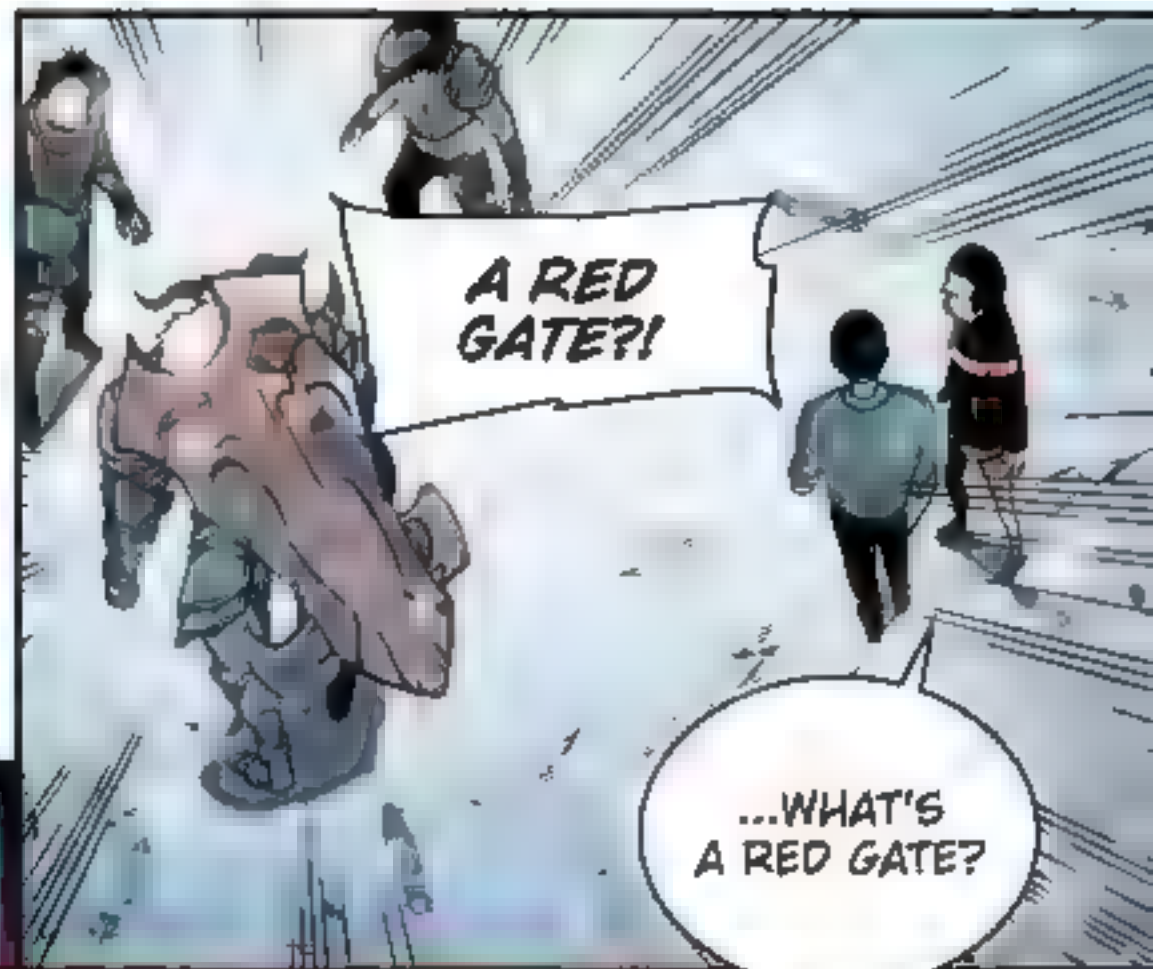


...I WILL
END YOU
MYSELF.

THAT WAS
THE WELCOMING
PARTY.

SOME OF
YOU MAY HAVE
ALREADY FIGURED
IT OUT, BUT WE'RE
INSIDE A RED
GATE.

THAT MEANS
NO ONE CAN ENTER
OR LEAVE UNTIL WE
ALL DIE OR THE GATE
EXPIRES AND
THERE'S A DUNGEON
BREAK.

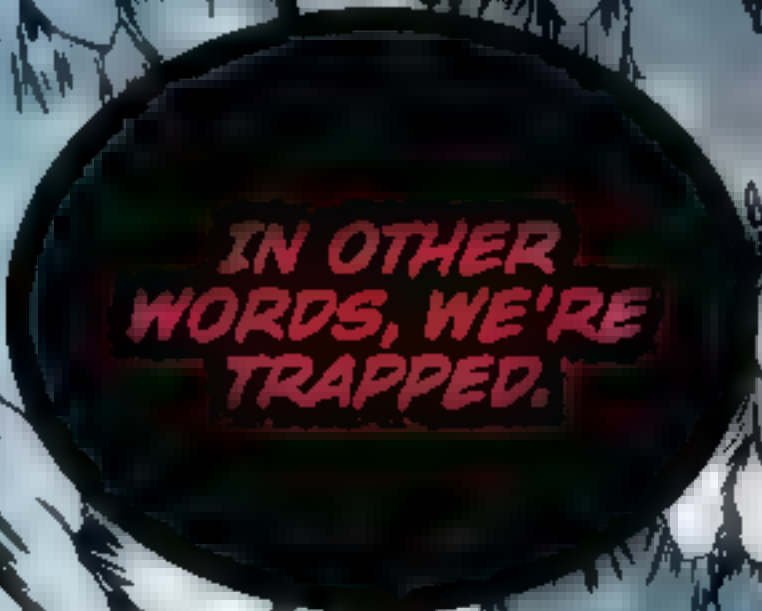


...WHAT'S
A RED GATE?

IT'S A
SPECIAL GATE
LEADING TO
A DIFFERENT
WORLD.

ONCE YOU'RE
INSIDE, YOU'RE
BLOCKED FROM
ALL EXTERNAL
FORCES.

YOU CAN
ONLY ESCAPE BY
KILLING THE BOSS
OR WAITING FOR A
DUNGEON BREAK TO
OCCUR.

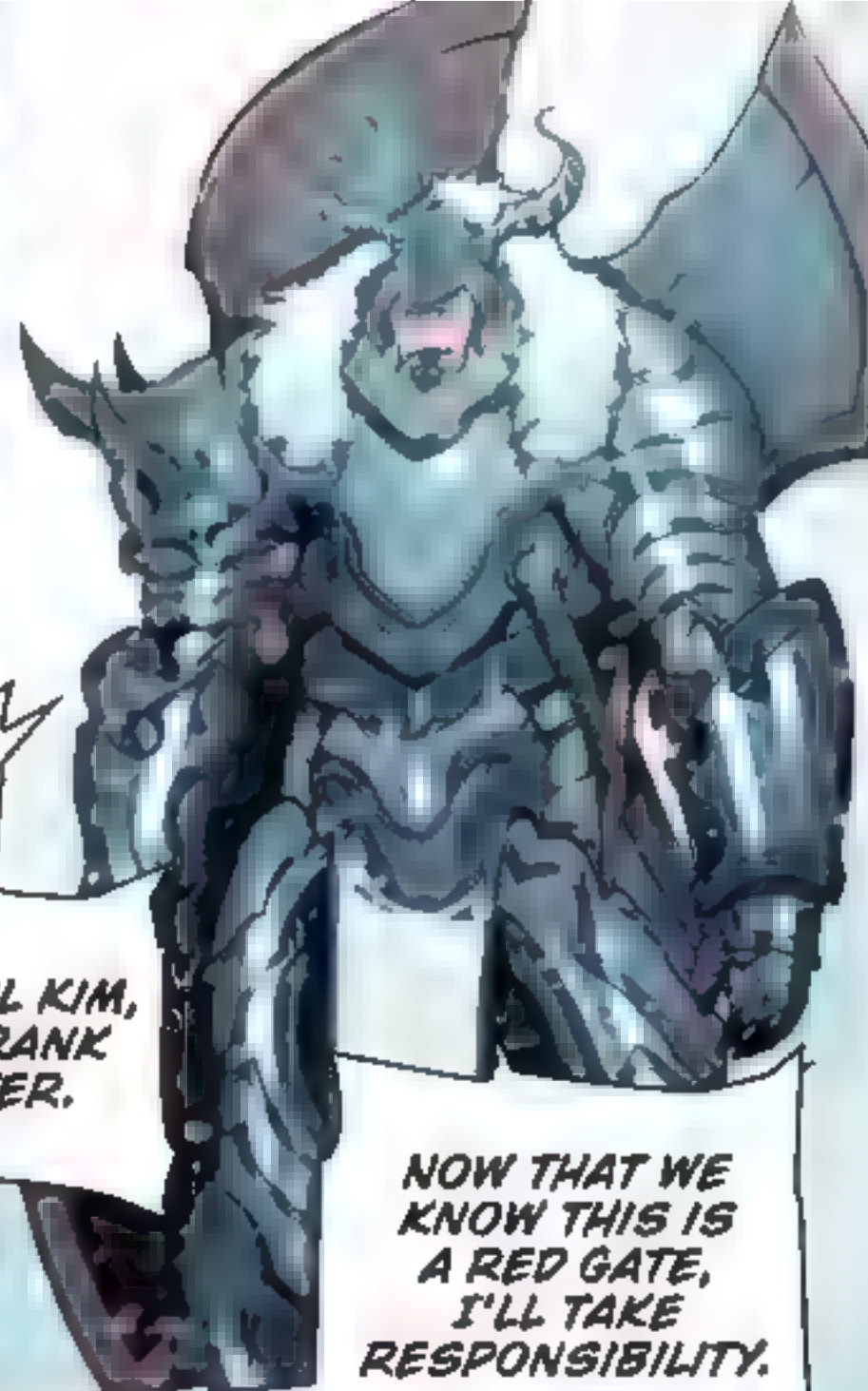


**IN OTHER
WORDS, WE'RE
TRAPPED.**



**I'LL
INTRODUCE
MYSELF ONE
MORE TIME.**

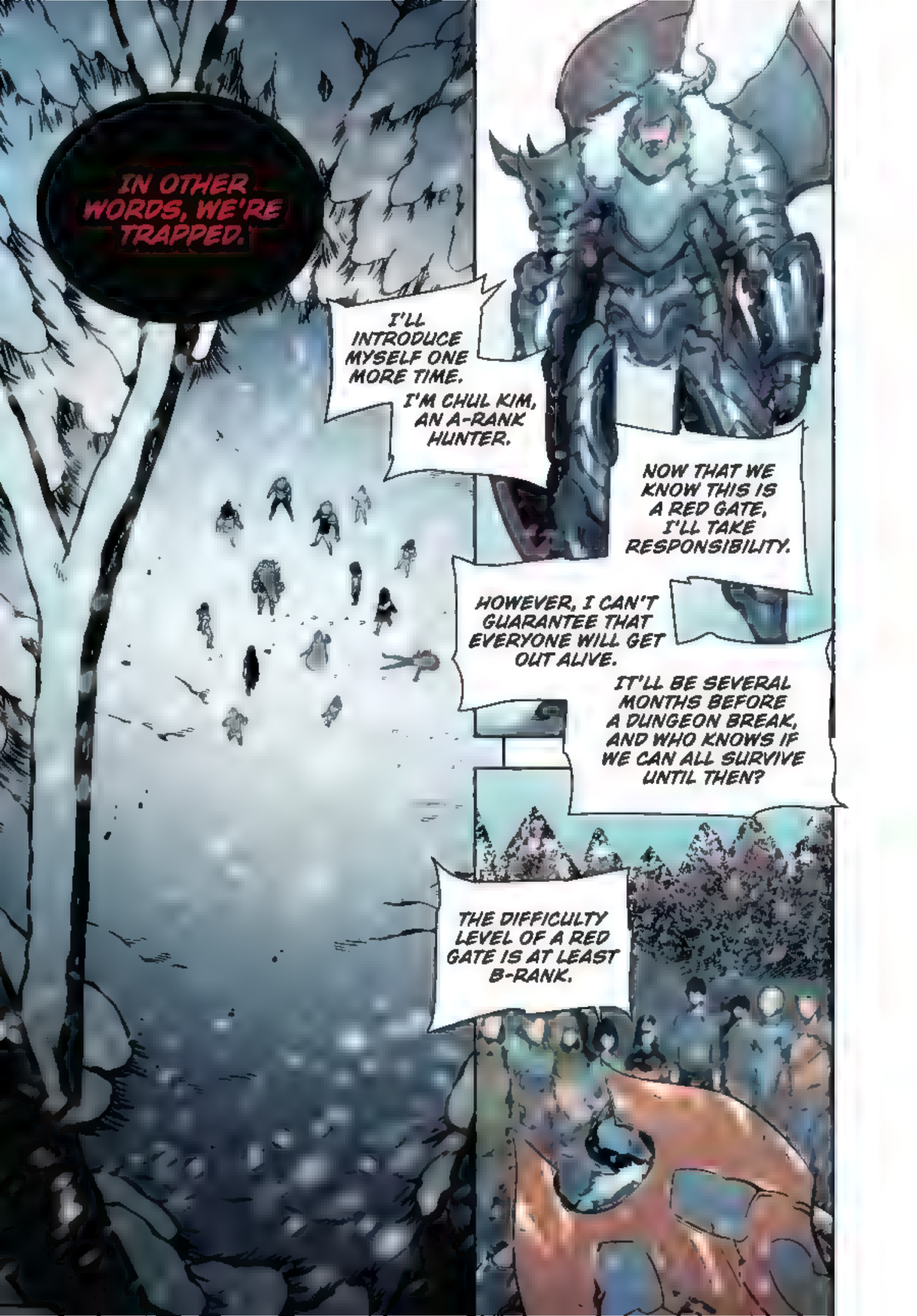
**I'M CHUL KIM,
AN A-RANK
HUNTER.**



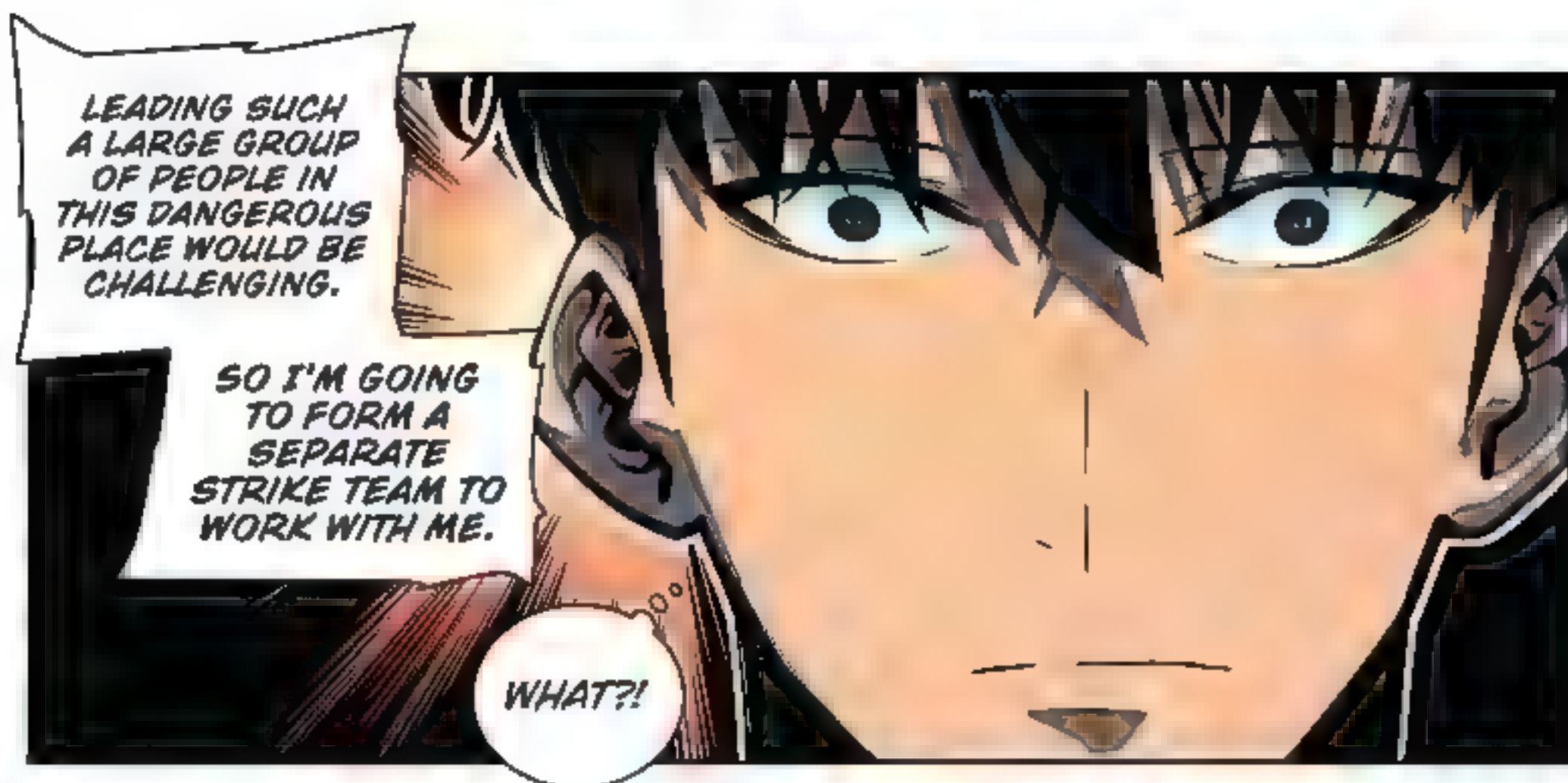
**NOW THAT WE
KNOW THIS IS
A RED GATE,
I'LL TAKE
RESPONSIBILITY.**

**HOWEVER, I CAN'T
GUARANTEE THAT
EVERYONE WILL GET
OUT ALIVE.**

**IT'LL BE SEVERAL
MONTHS BEFORE
A DUNGEON BREAK,
AND WHO KNOWS IF
WE CAN ALL SURVIVE
UNTIL THEN?**



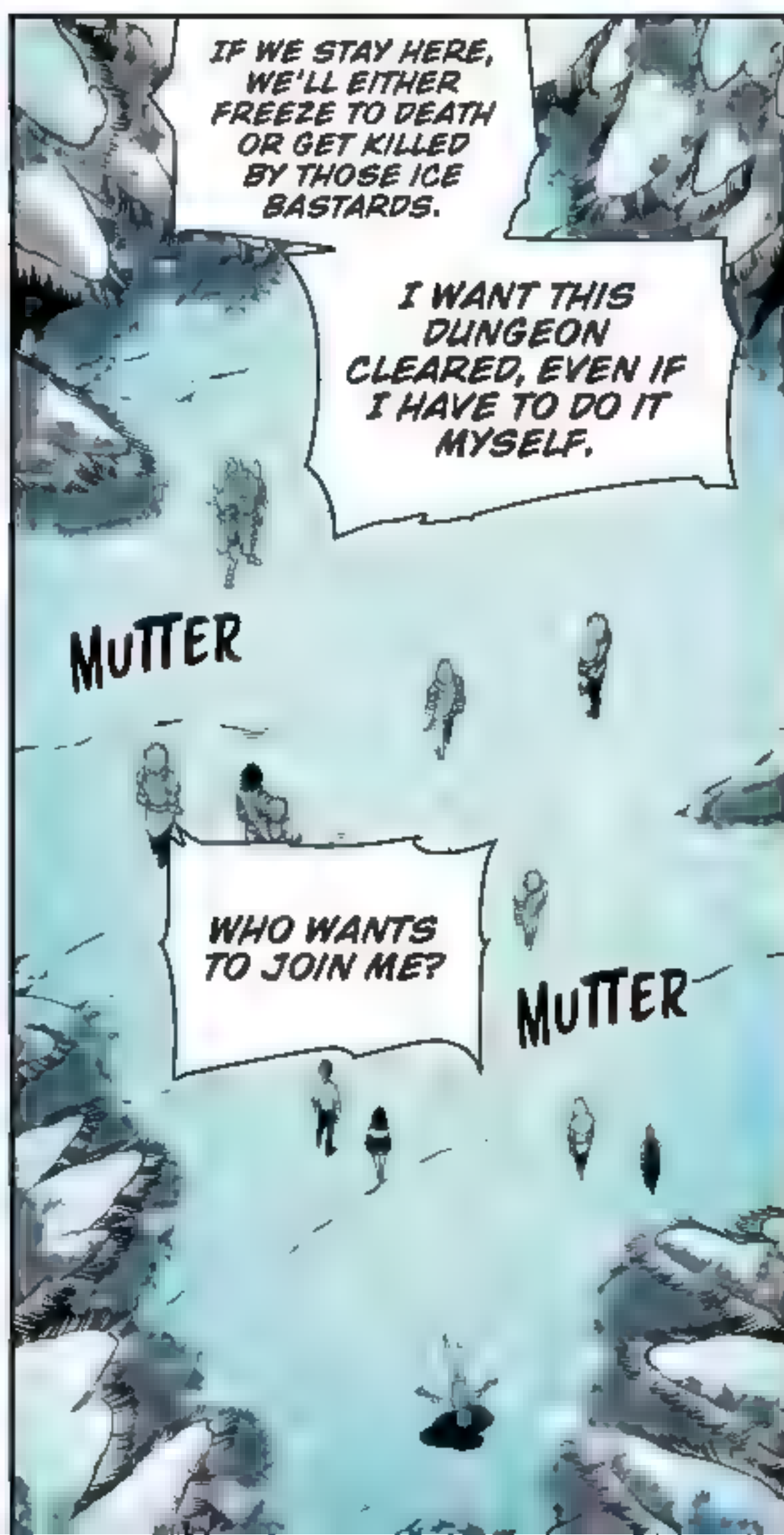
**THE DIFFICULTY
LEVEL OF A RED
GATE IS AT LEAST
B-RANK.**



LEADING SUCH
A LARGE GROUP
OF PEOPLE IN
THIS DANGEROUS
PLACE WOULD BE
CHALLENGING.

SO I'M GOING
TO FORM A
SEPARATE
STRIKE TEAM TO
WORK WITH ME.

WHAT?!



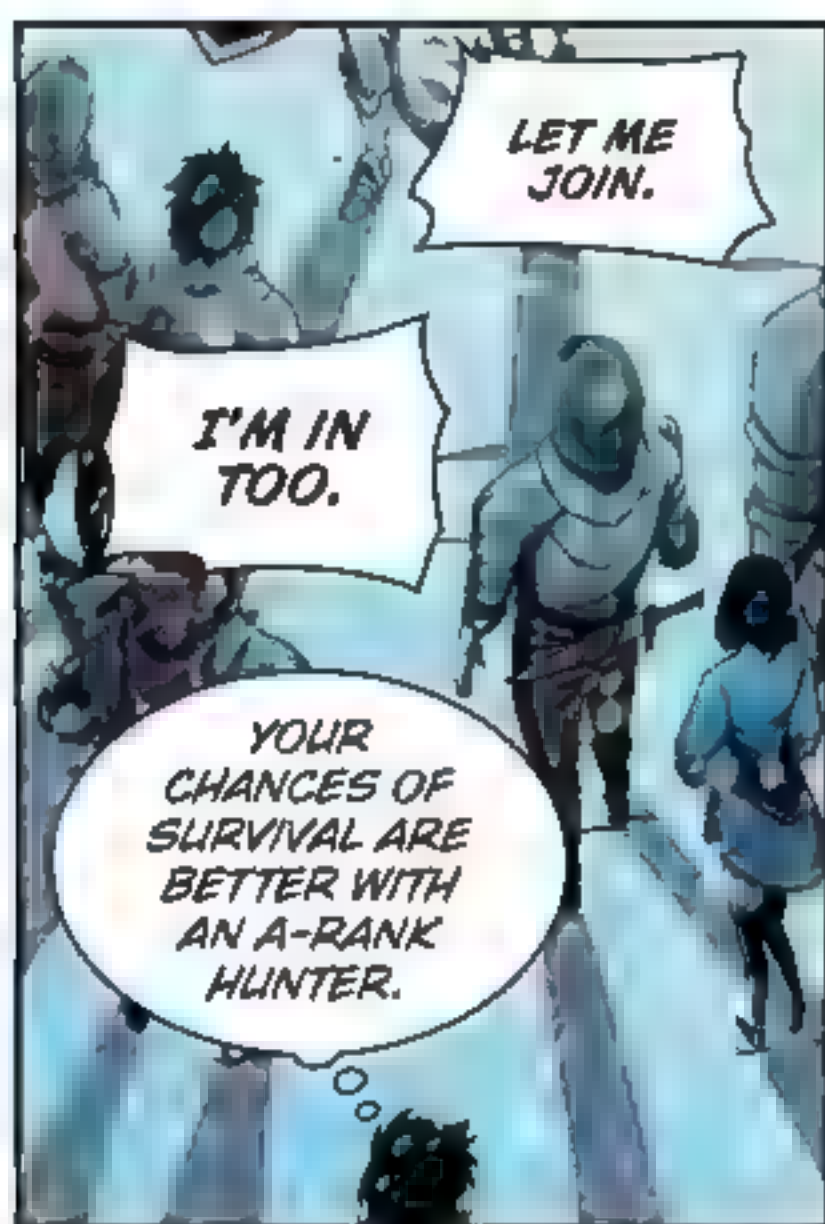
IF WE STAY HERE,
WE'LL EITHER
FREEZE TO DEATH
OR GET KILLED
BY THOSE ICE
BASTARDS.

I WANT THIS
DUNGEON
CLEARED, EVEN IF
I HAVE TO DO IT
MYSELF.

MUTTER

WHO WANTS
TO JOIN ME?

MUTTER



LET ME
JOIN.

I'M IN
TOO.

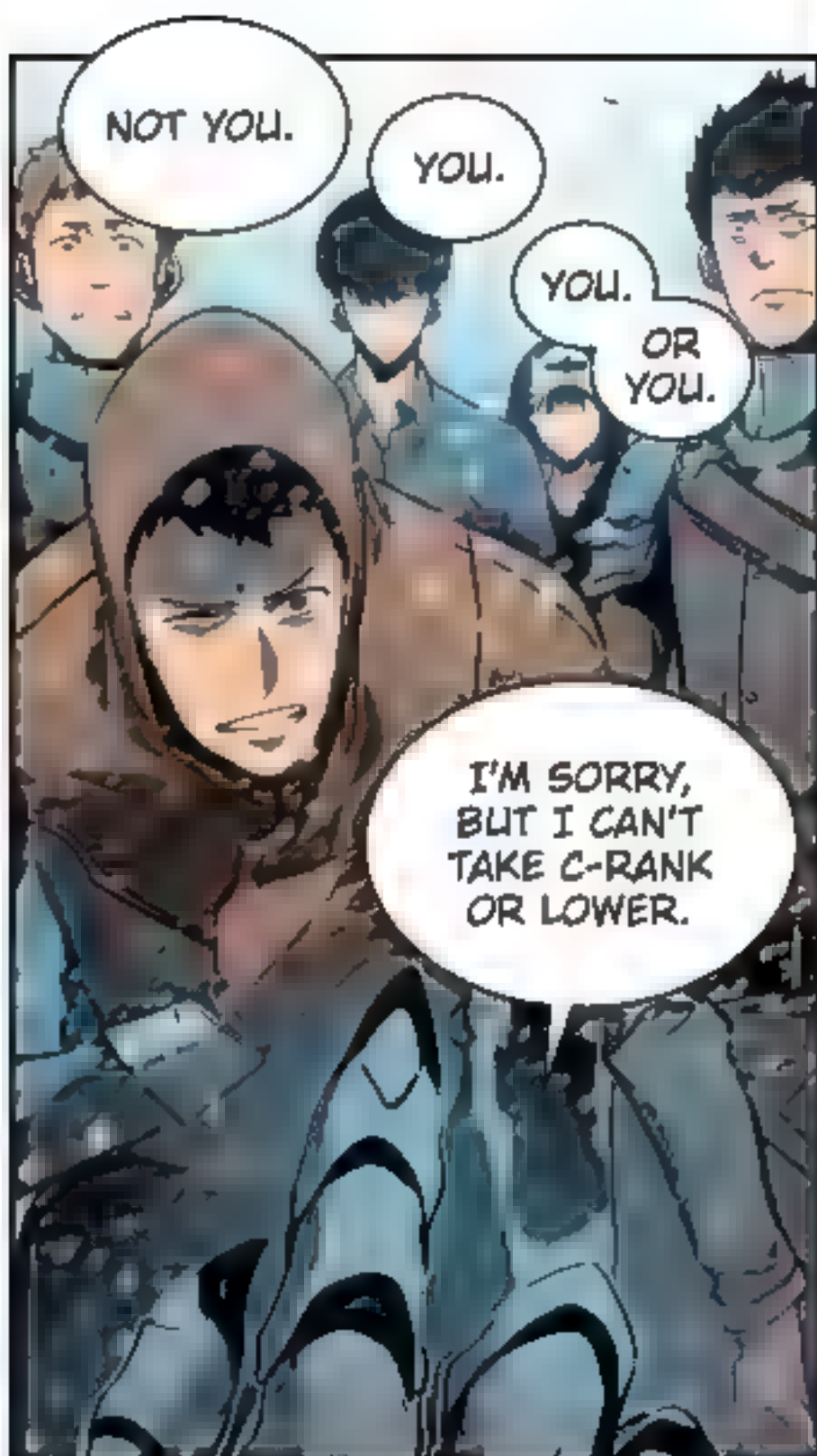
YOUR
CHANCES OF
SURVIVAL ARE
BETTER WITH
AN A-RANK
HUNTER.

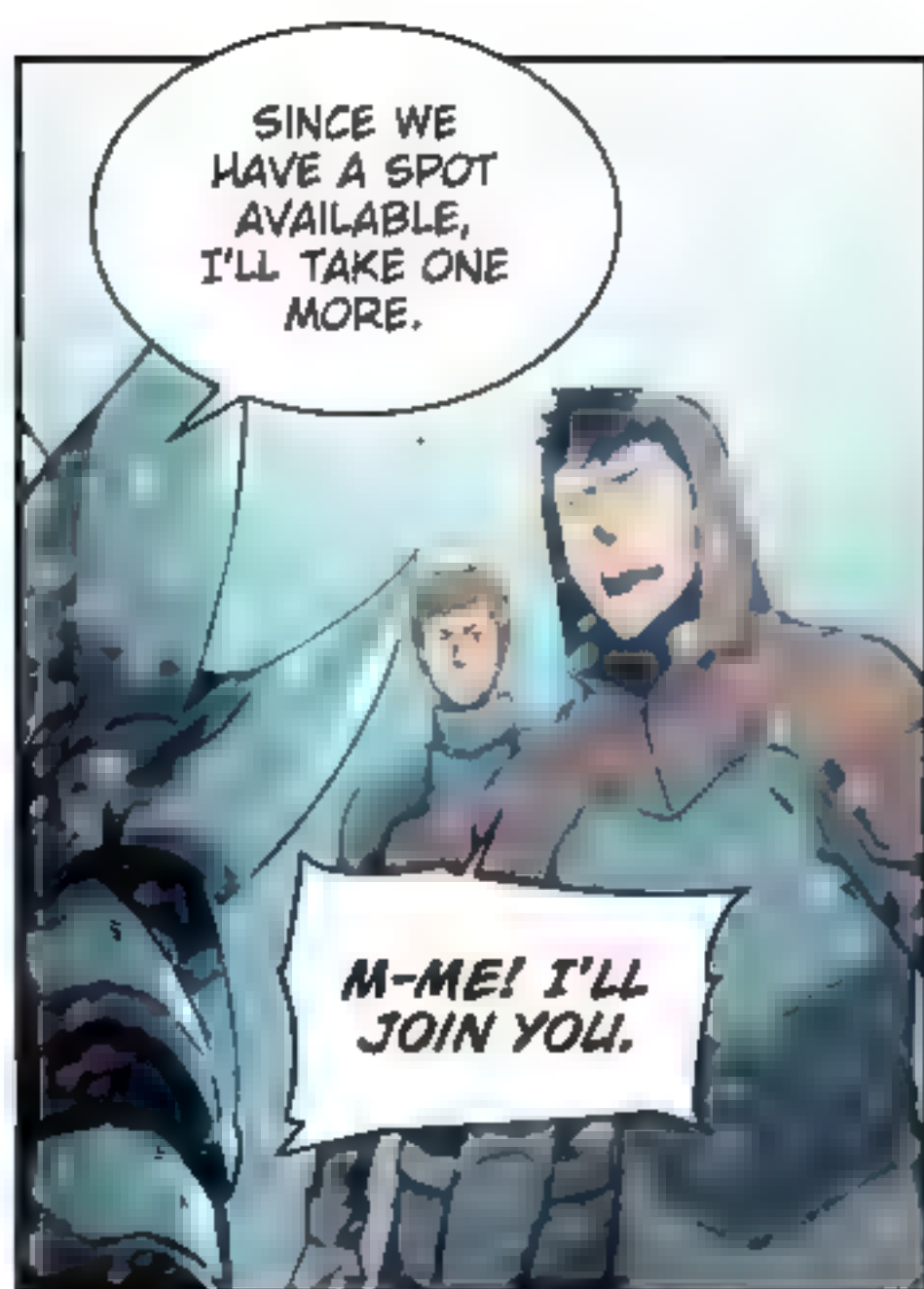


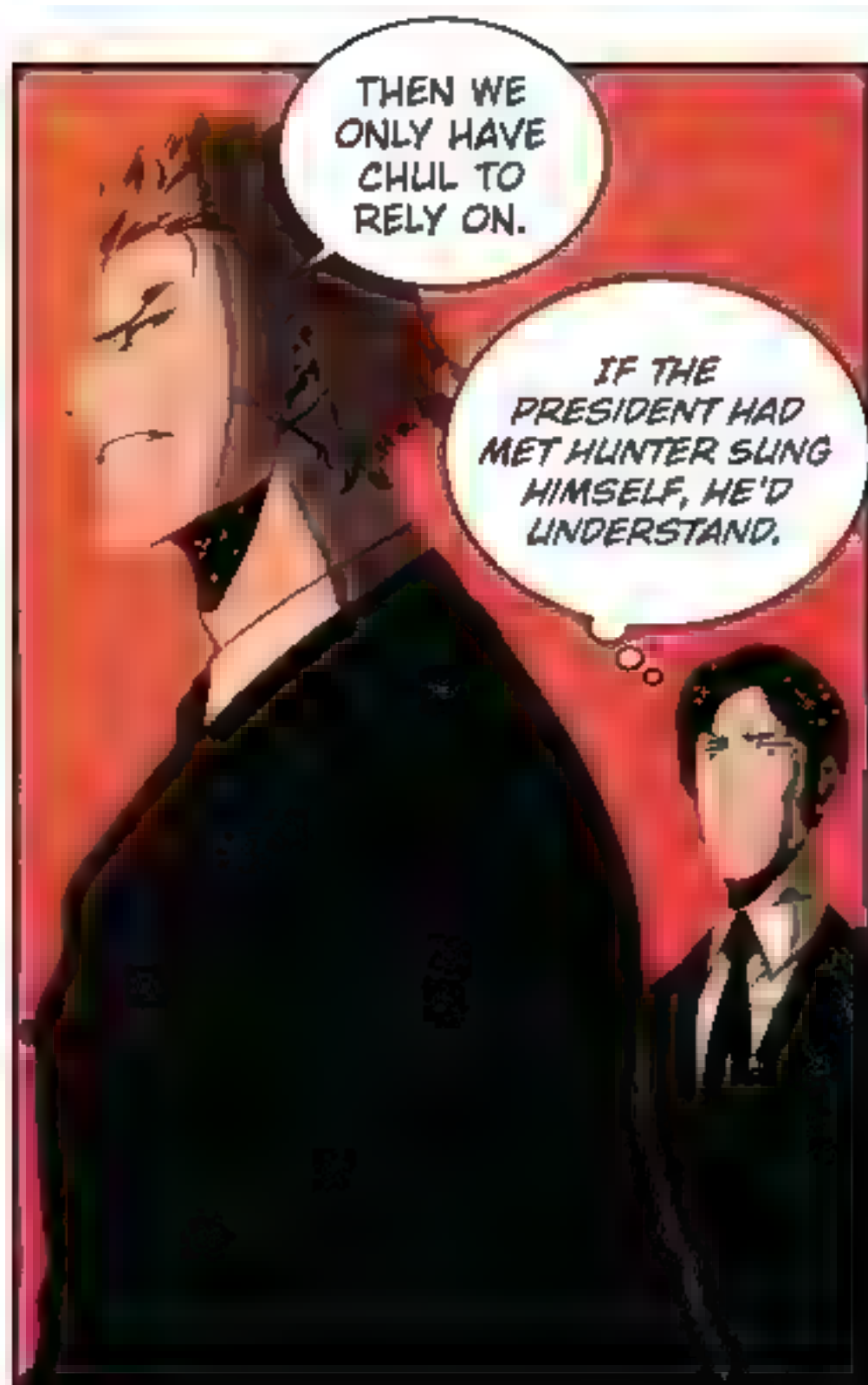
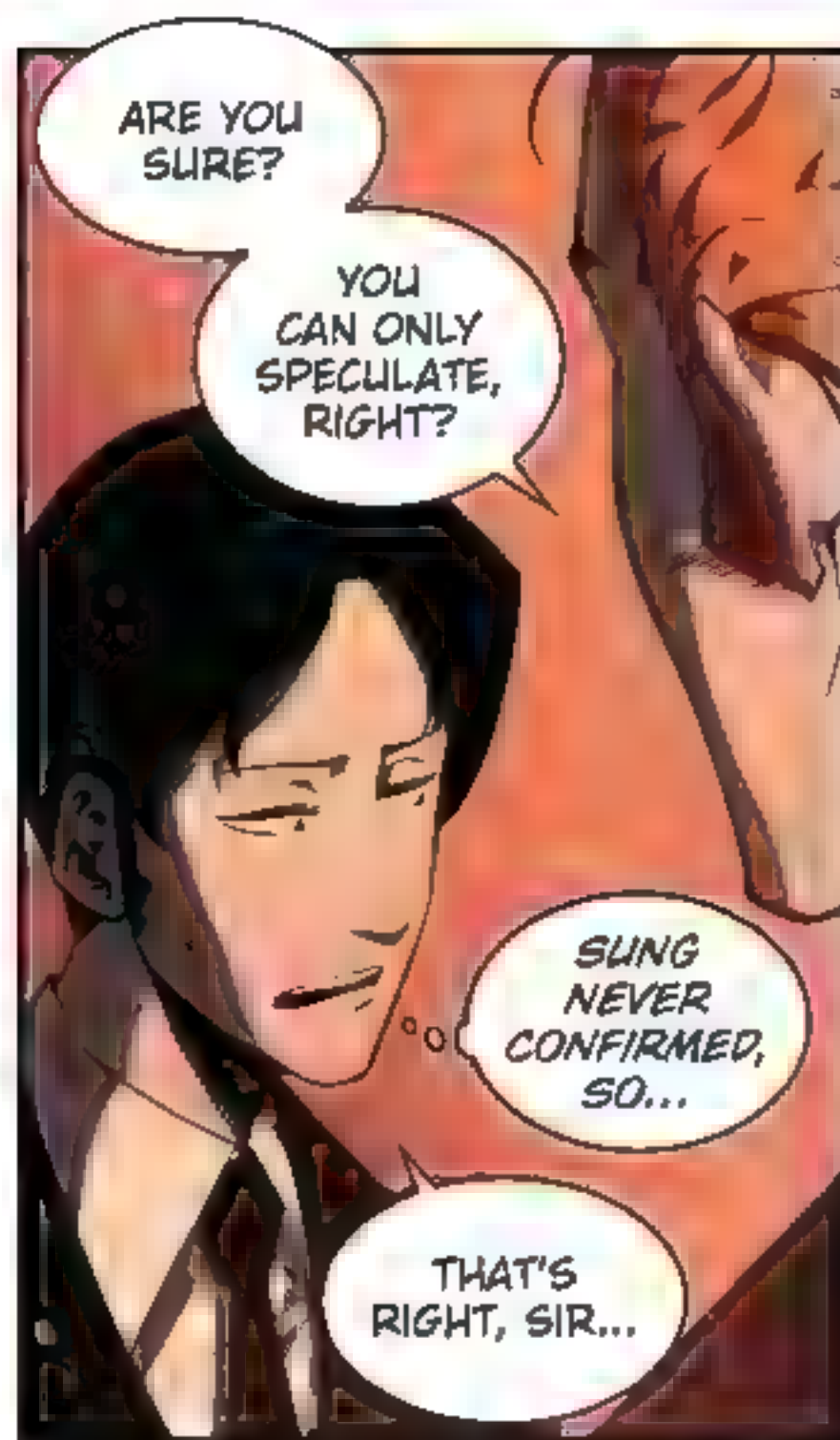
NOT YOU.

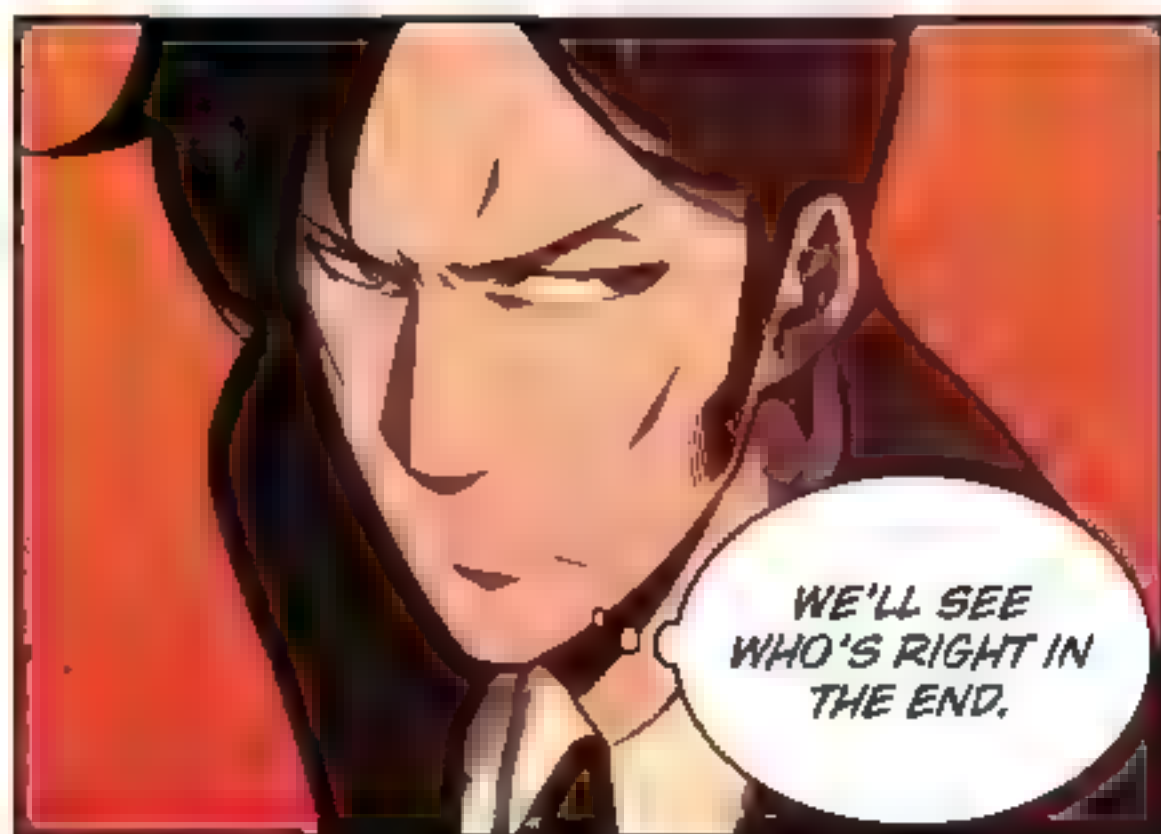
BAM

GAH!





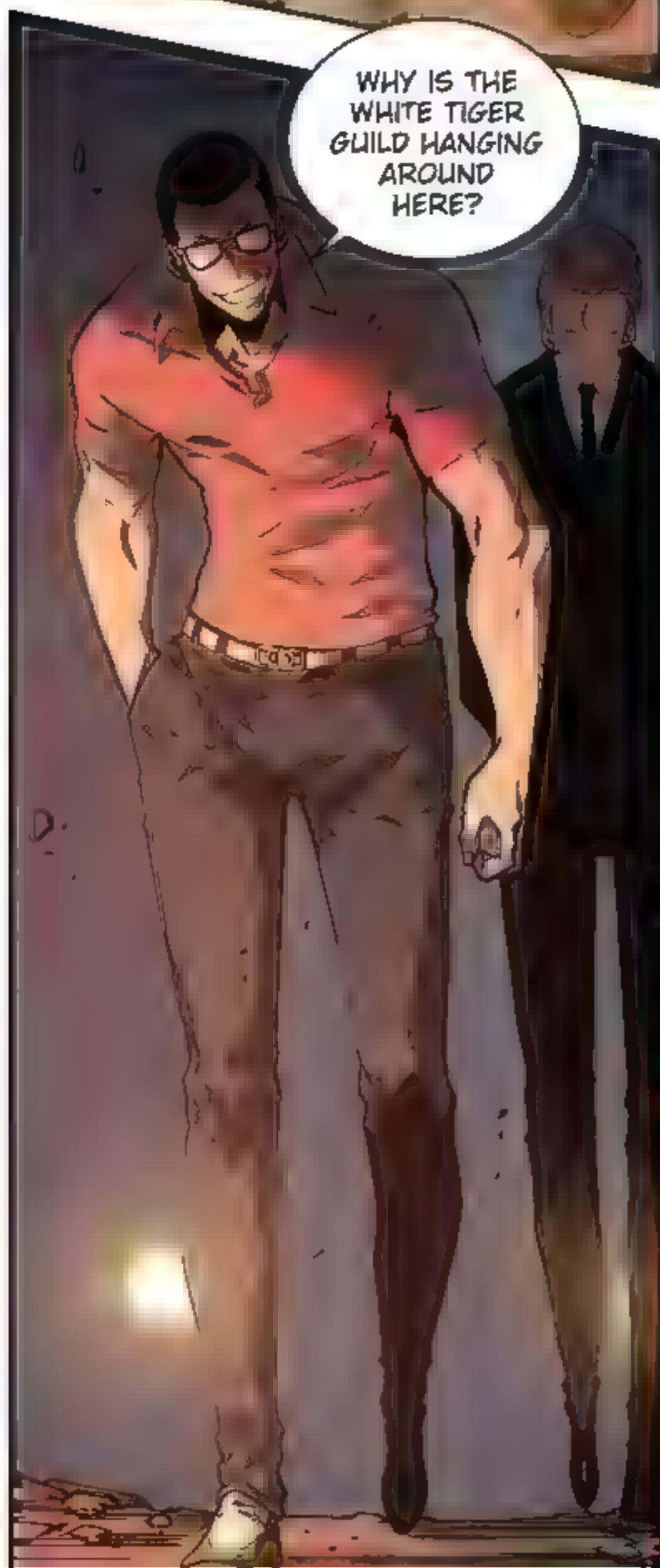






I THOUGHT
THIS WAS A
C-RANK GATE...

DID AN
A-RANK GATE
APPEAR OR
SOMETHING?



WHY IS THE
WHITE TIGER
GUILD HANGING
AROUND
HERE?

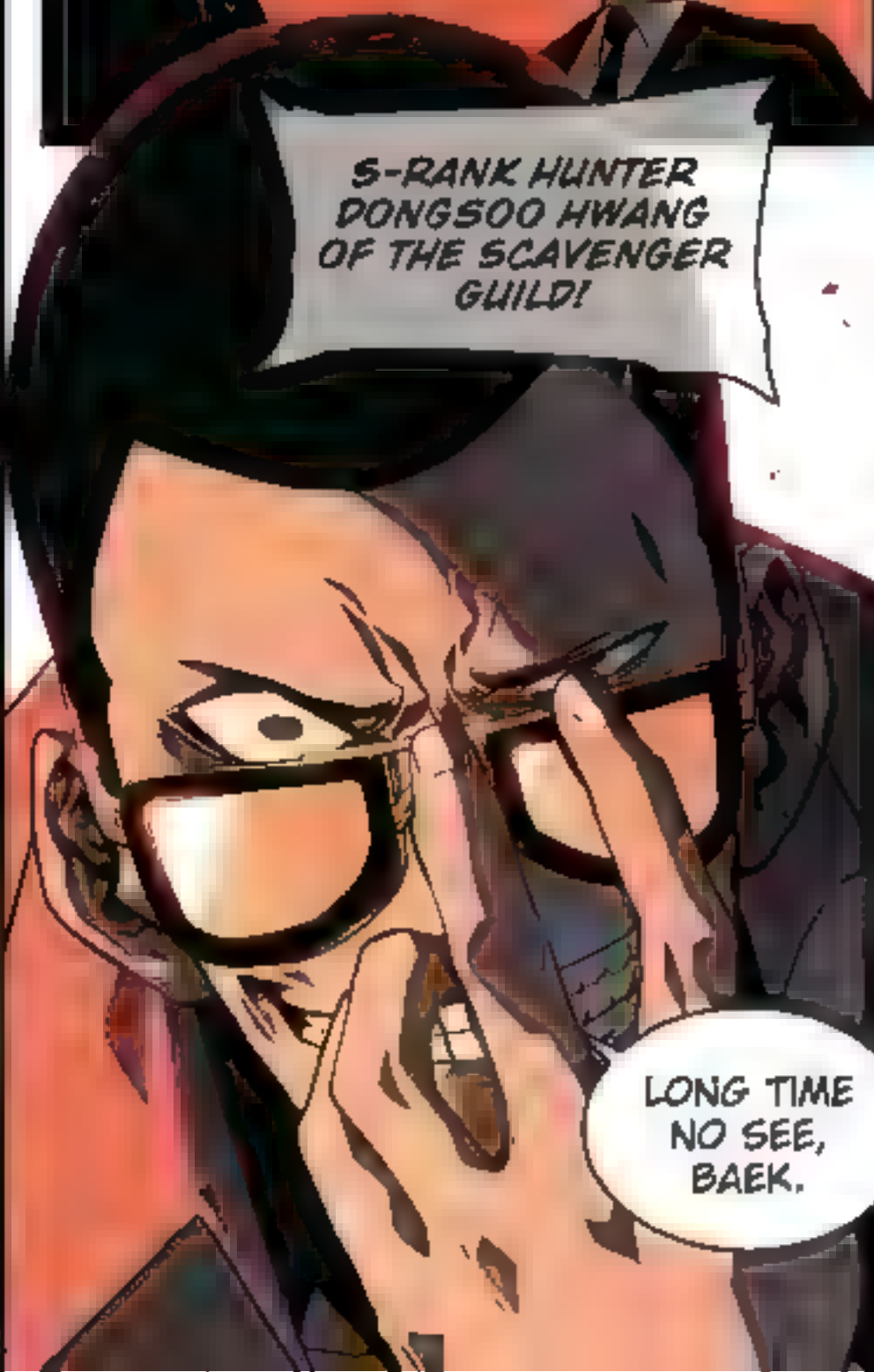


DONGSOO
HWANG?!

I-IS THAT...?!

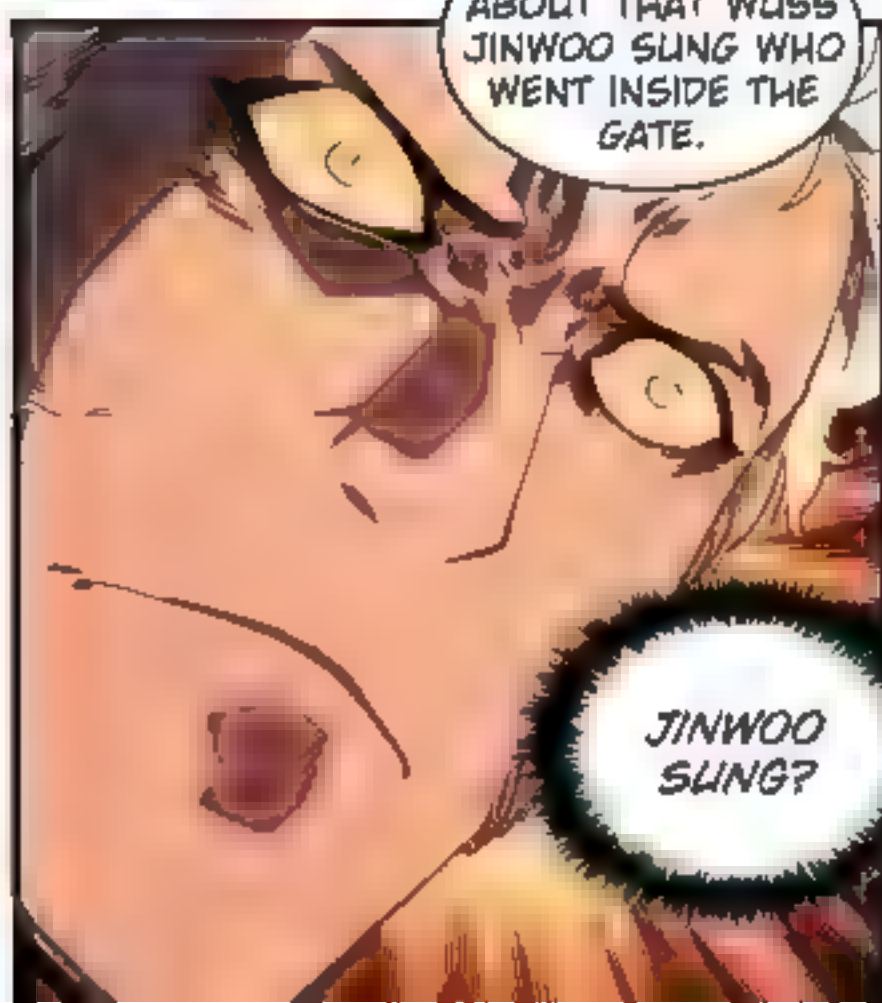
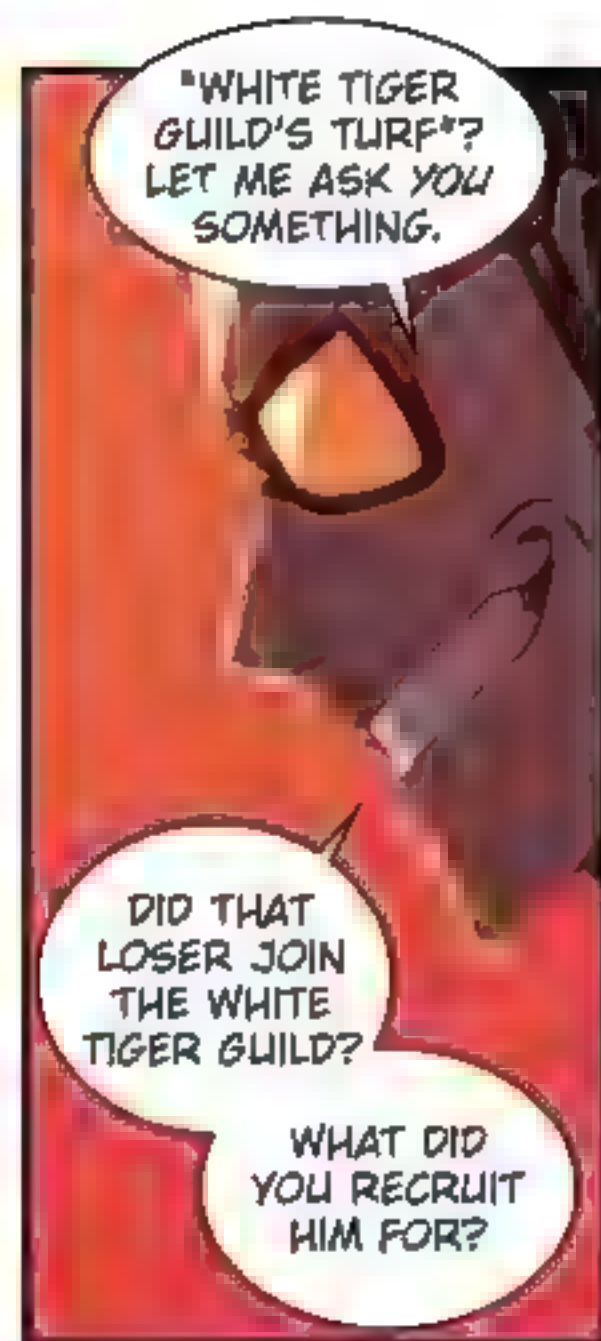
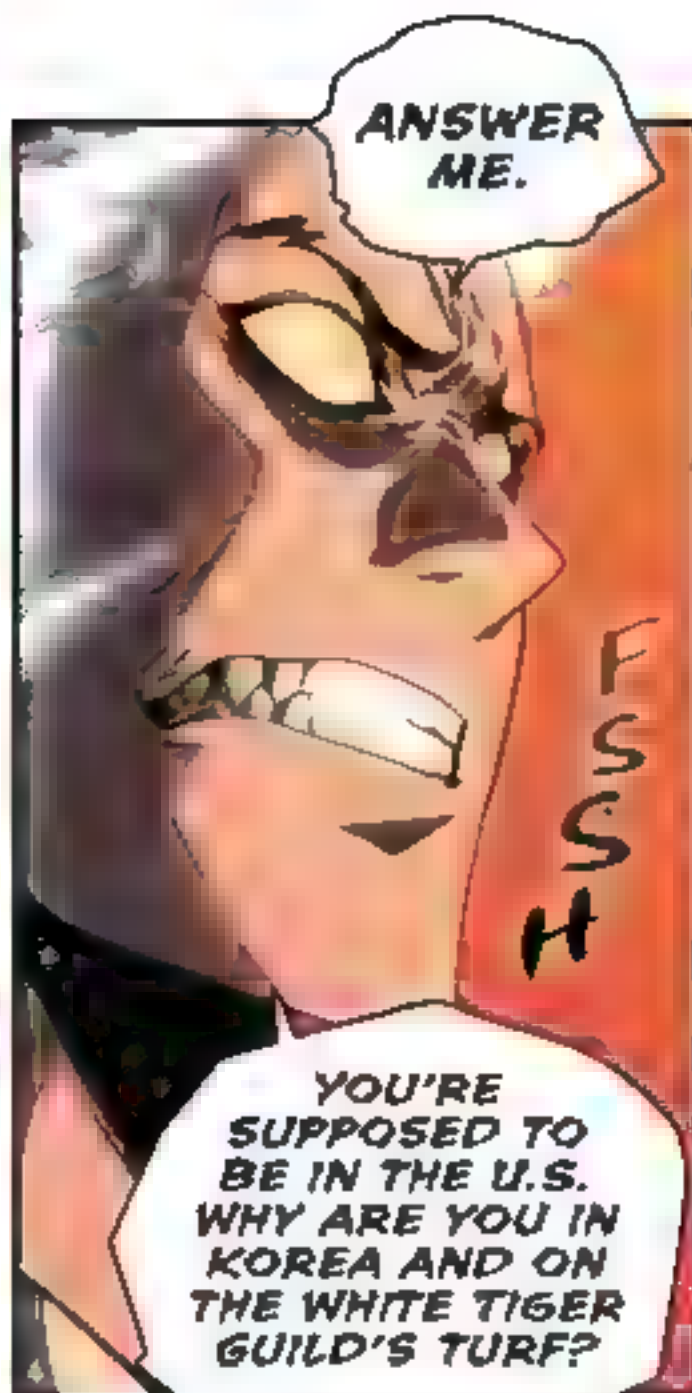


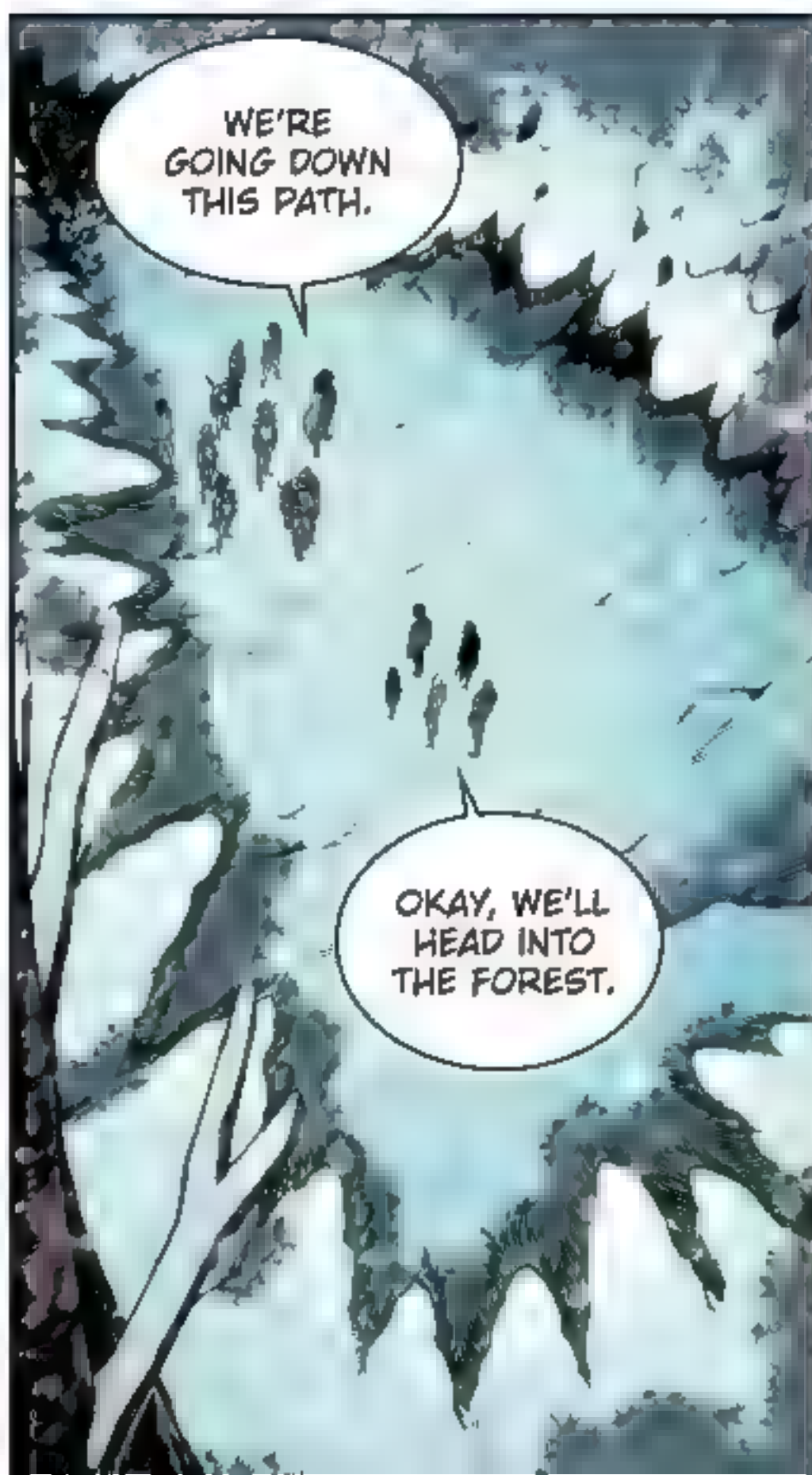
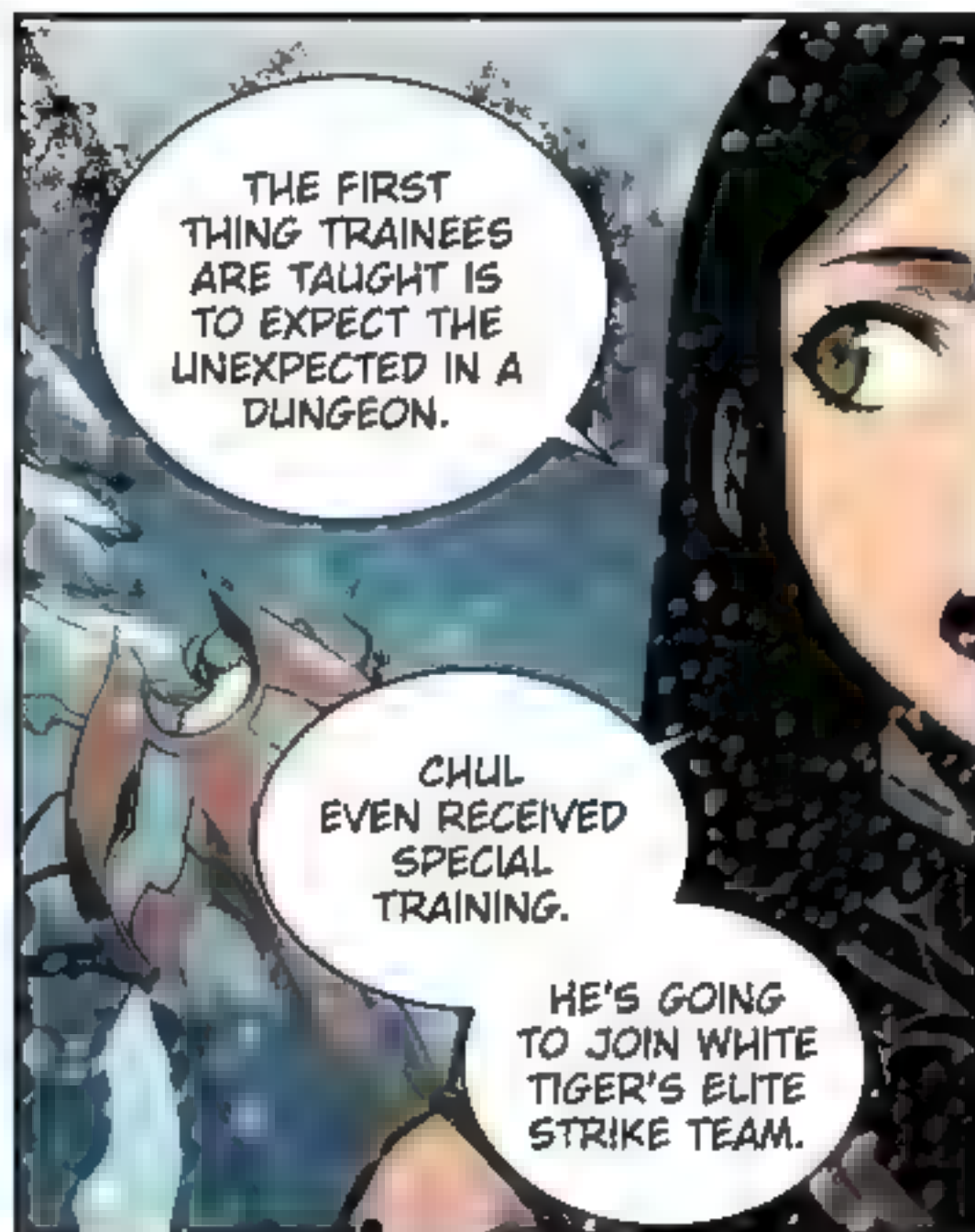
D-DONGSOO
HWANG!

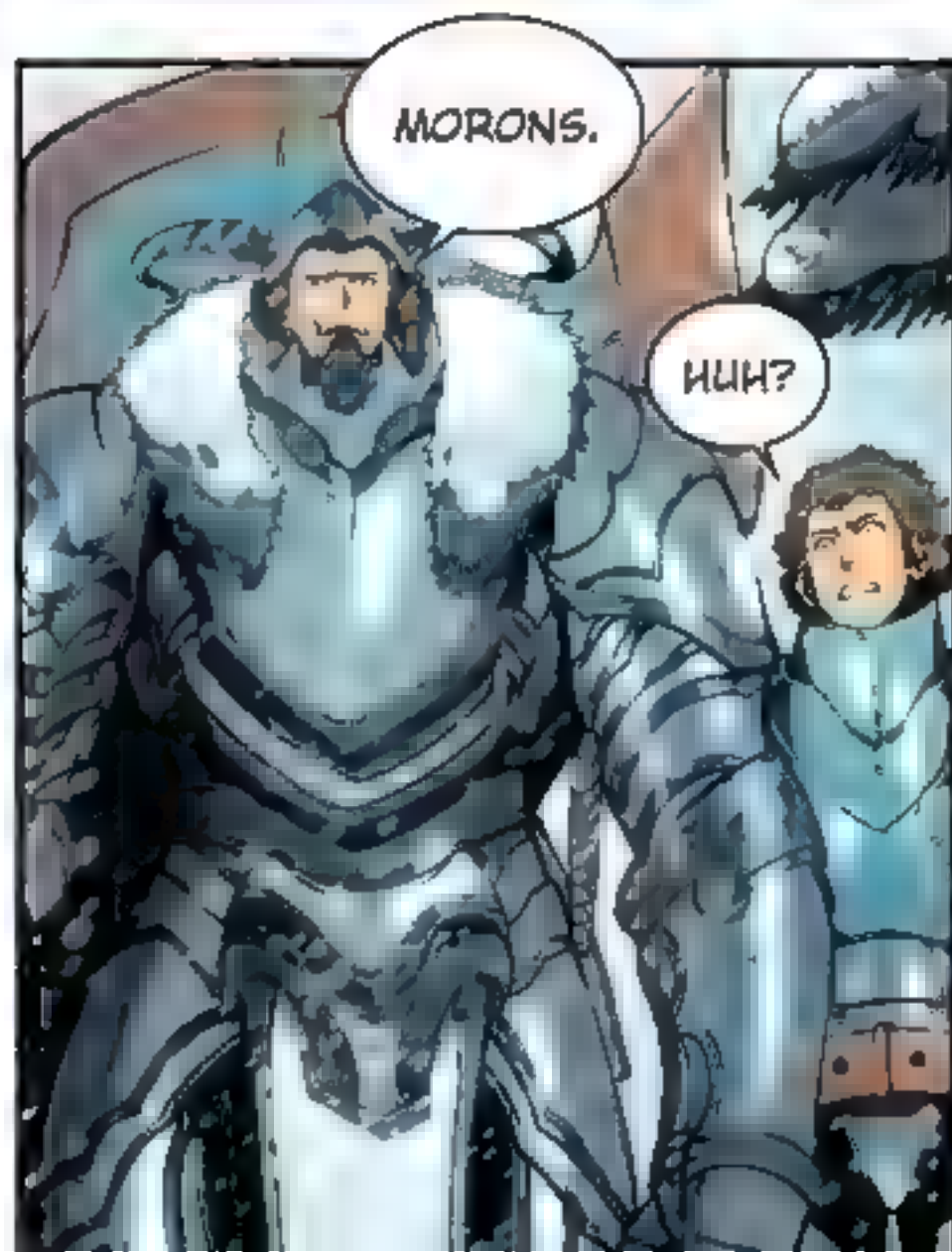
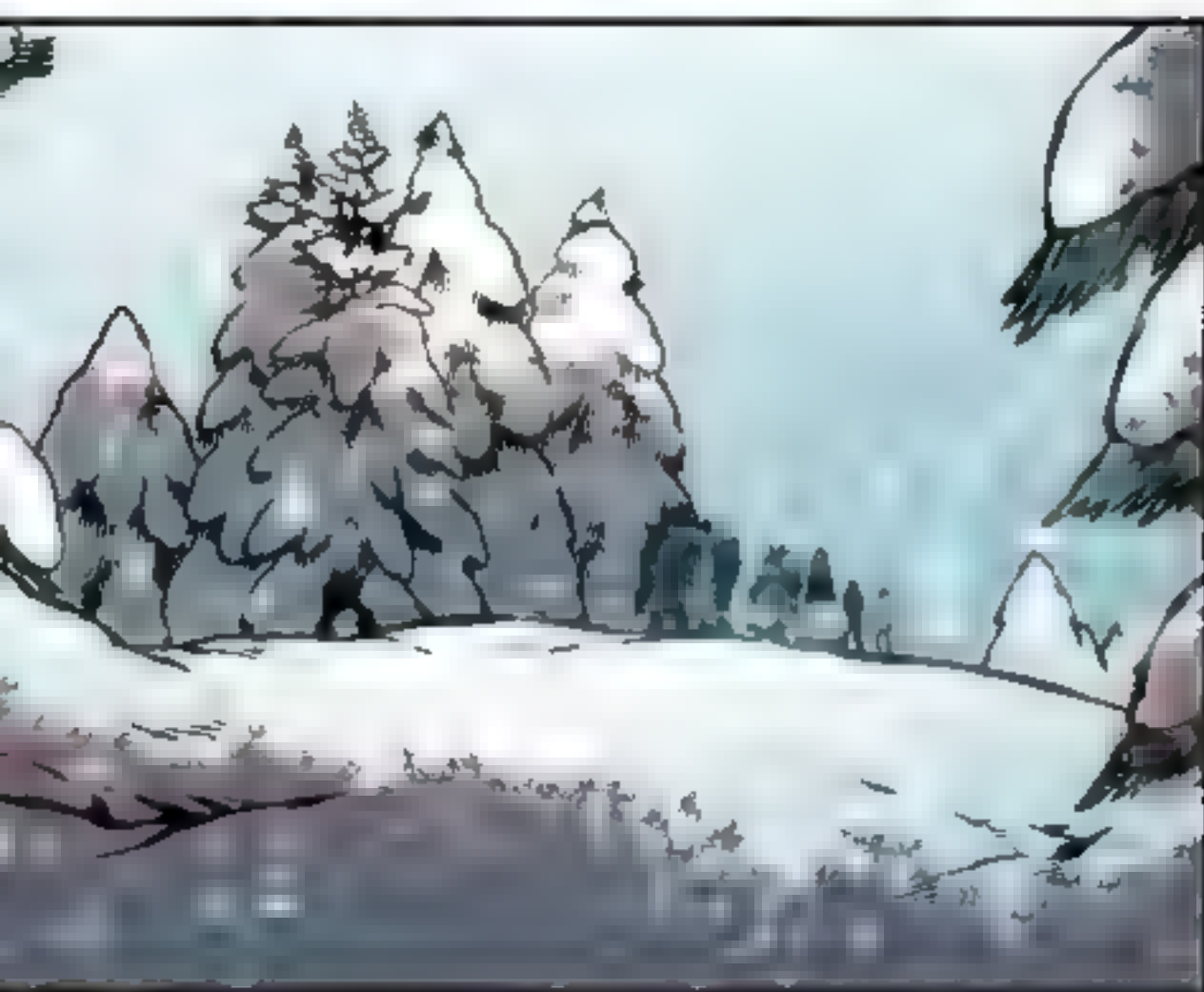
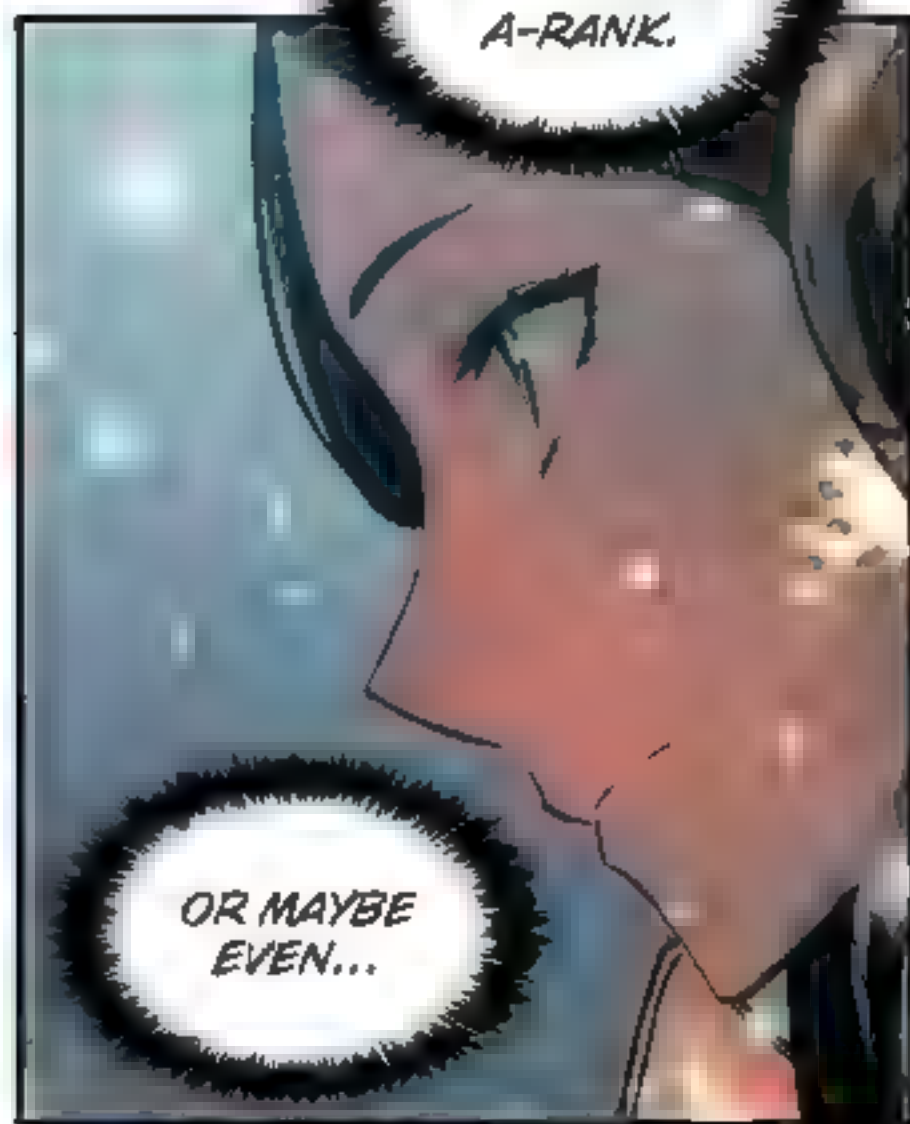


S-RANK HUNTER
DONGSOO HWANG
OF THE SCAVENGER
GUILD!

LONG TIME
NO SEE,
BAEK.



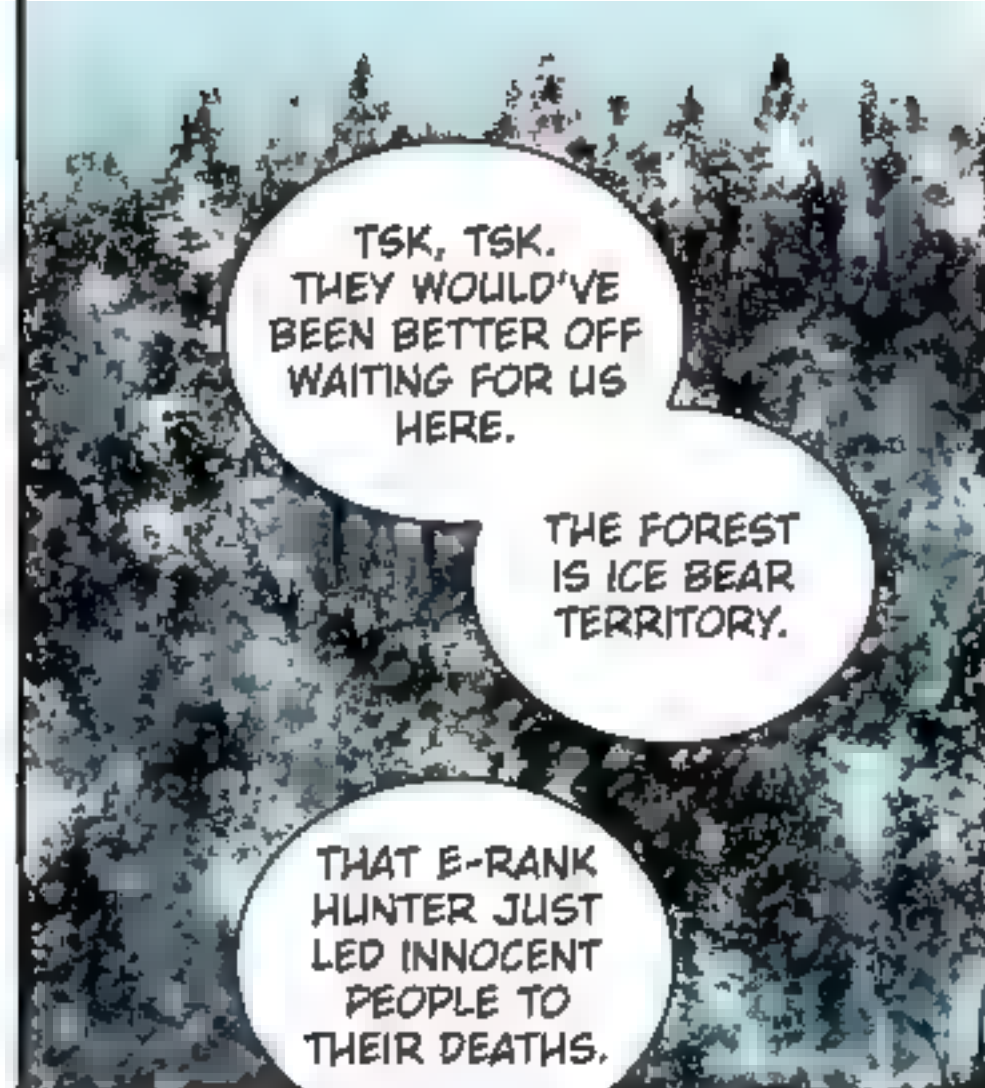






LOOK
OVER
THERE.

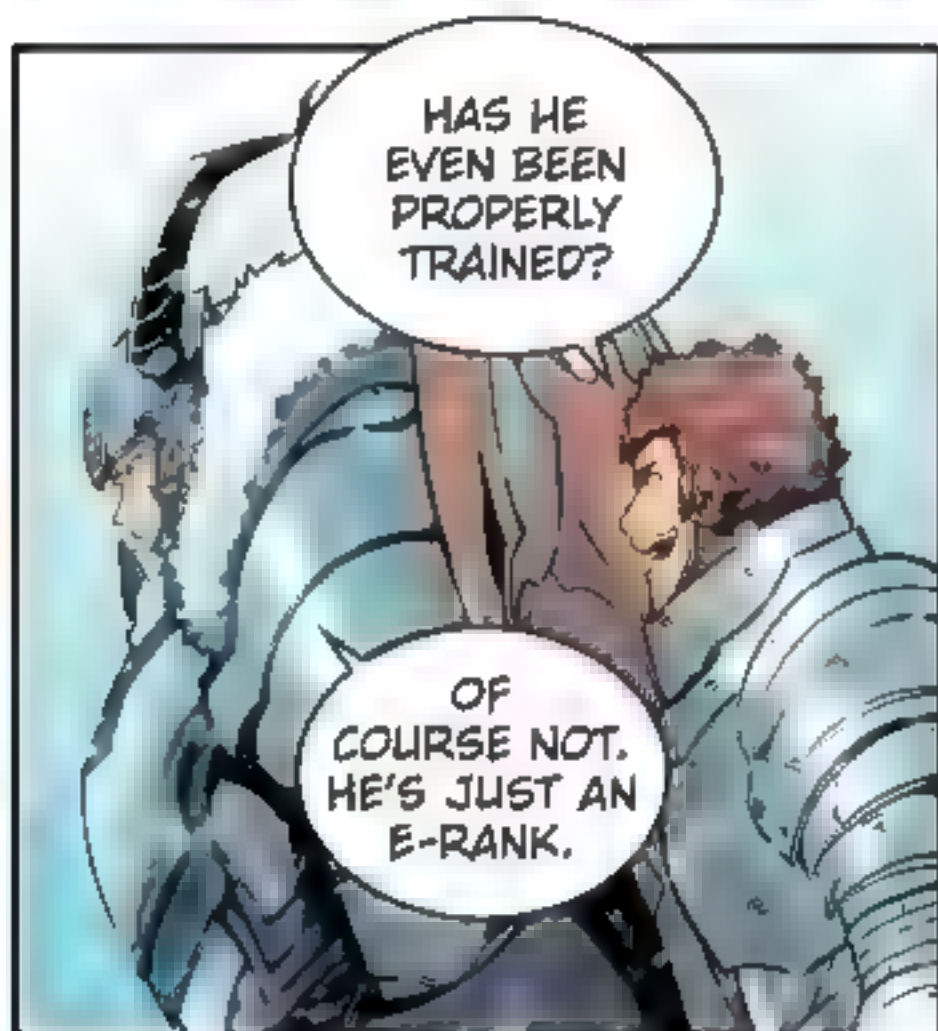
TH-THOSE
ARE...!



TSK, TSK.
THEY WOULD'VE
BEEN BETTER OFF
WAITING FOR US
HERE.

THE FOREST
IS ICE BEAR
TERRITORY.

THAT E-RANK
HUNTER JUST
LED INNOCENT
PEOPLE TO
THEIR DEATHS.



HAS HE
EVEN BEEN
PROPERLY
TRAINED?

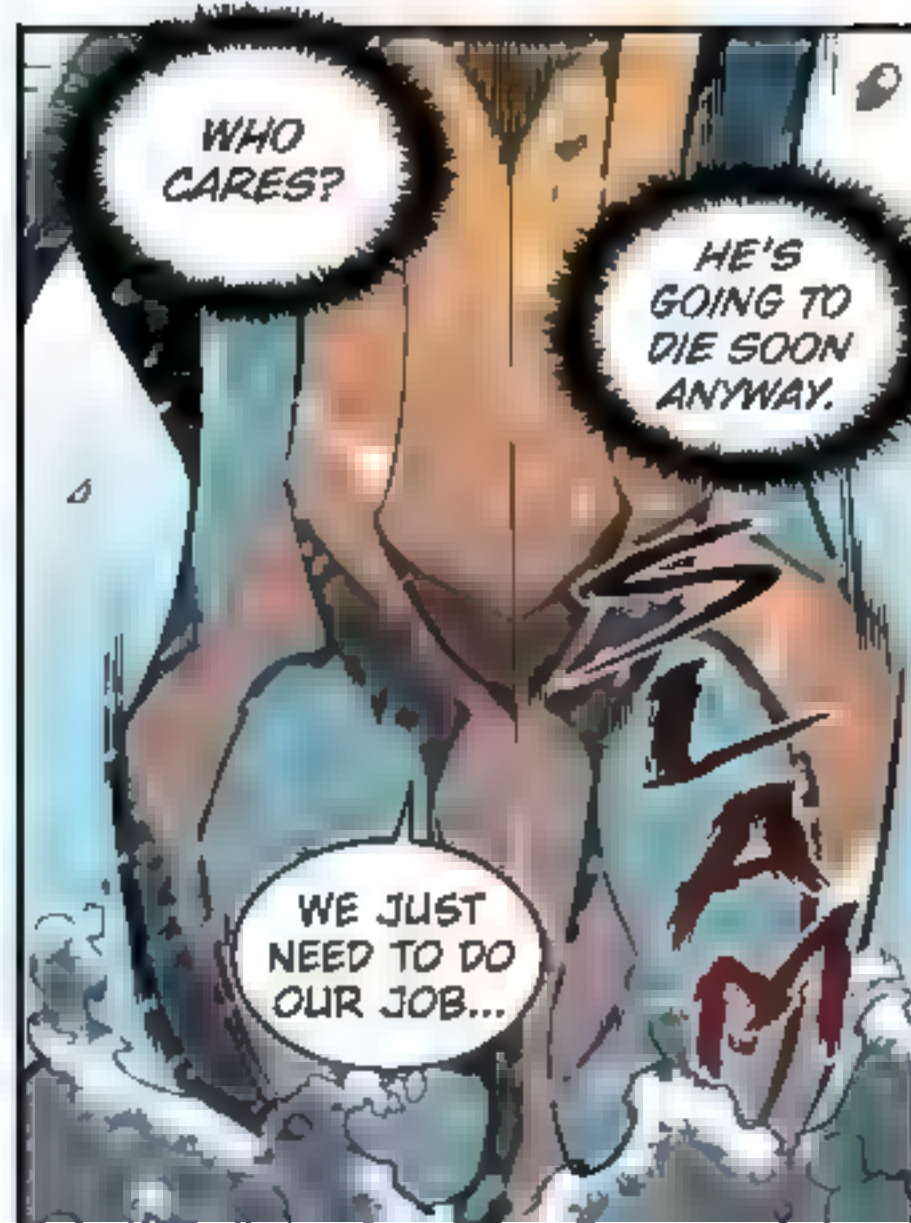
OF
COURSE NOT.
HE'S JUST AN
E-RANK.



WAIT A
SECOND.

MOST OF
THAT GROUP
IS C-RANK, AND
THERE'S ONE
B-RANK HUNTER
WITH THEM...

**SO WHY AM I
ASSUMING JINWOO
IS THE LEADER?**



WHO
CARES?

HE'S
GOING TO
DIE SOON
ANYWAY.

WE JUST
NEED TO DO
OUR JOB...



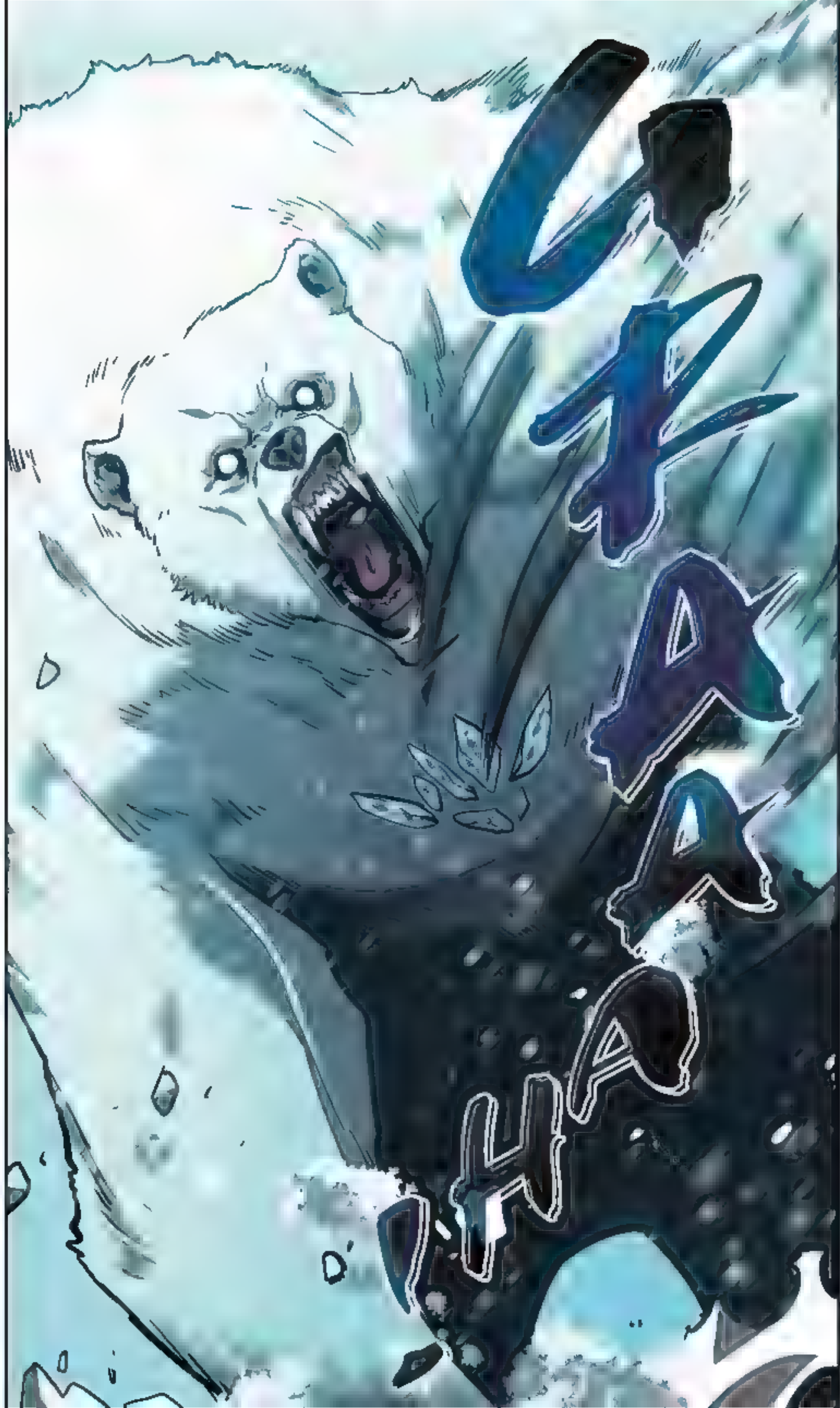
**IT'S
TIME FOR
BATTLE.**

I'VE COME ALL
THE WAY HERE,
ONLY TO FIND A
RED GATE...

JINWOO SLUNG
IS A HARD MAN
TO GET AHOLD
OF.

!!

WHY DOES
EVERYONE
WANT
JINWOO...?!







AMAZING
WORK,
CAPTAIN!

A-RANKS ARE
DEFINITELY ON
ANOTHER LEVEL!

I CAN'T
BELIEVE YOU
DEFEATED MOST
OF THE ICE
BEARS ON
YOUR OWN!

YOU'RE SO
CLUTCH!



DEALING WITH
THREE OR FOUR
ICE BEARS IS
DOABLE.

LET'S
GET SOME MEAT
FROM THESE
GUYS. WE NEED
TO SAVE UP
FOOD.

WITH THIS
MUCH MEAT,
WE'RE GOOD
FOR A FEW
DAYS.

SO FAR,
SO GOOD,
RIGHT?



DON'T BE
RIDICULOUS!
WE AREN'T SAFE
UNTIL WE GET OUT
OF THIS FOREST.

THANKS
TO ME, WE WERE
ABLE TO DEAL. BUT
THOSE OTHER GUYS
ARE PROBABLY
BEAR FOOD
ALREADY.

Y-YES,
SIR!

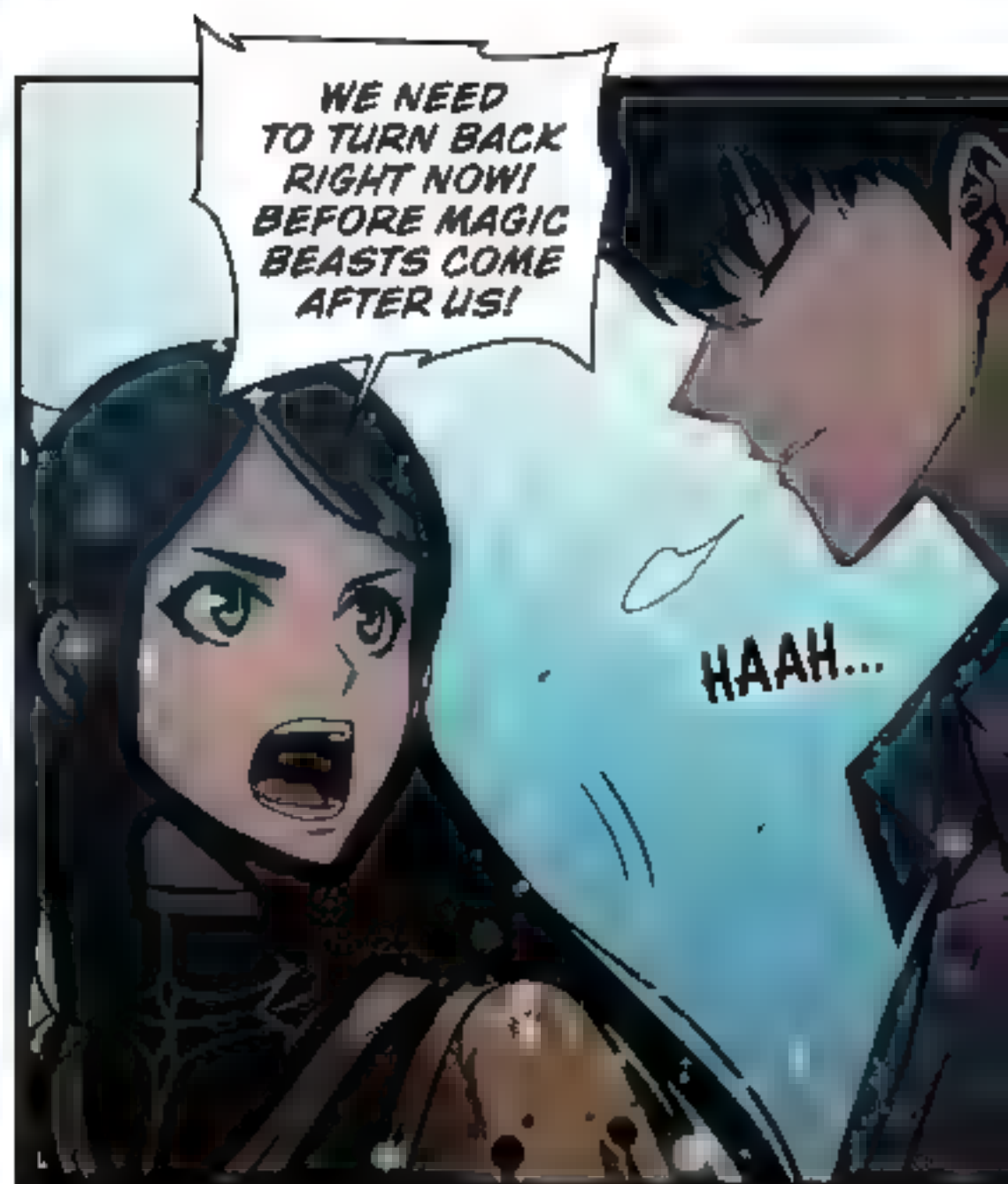


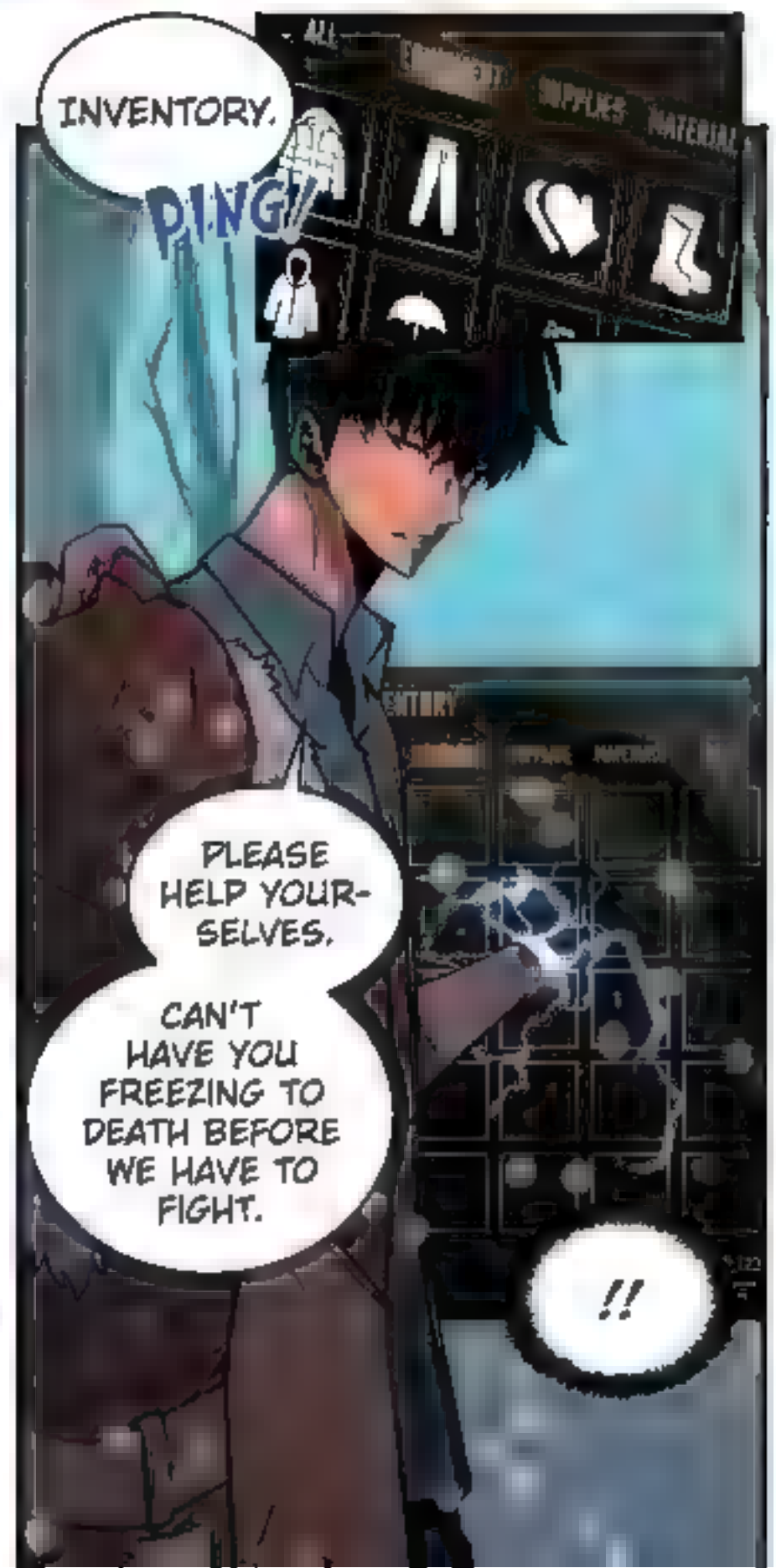
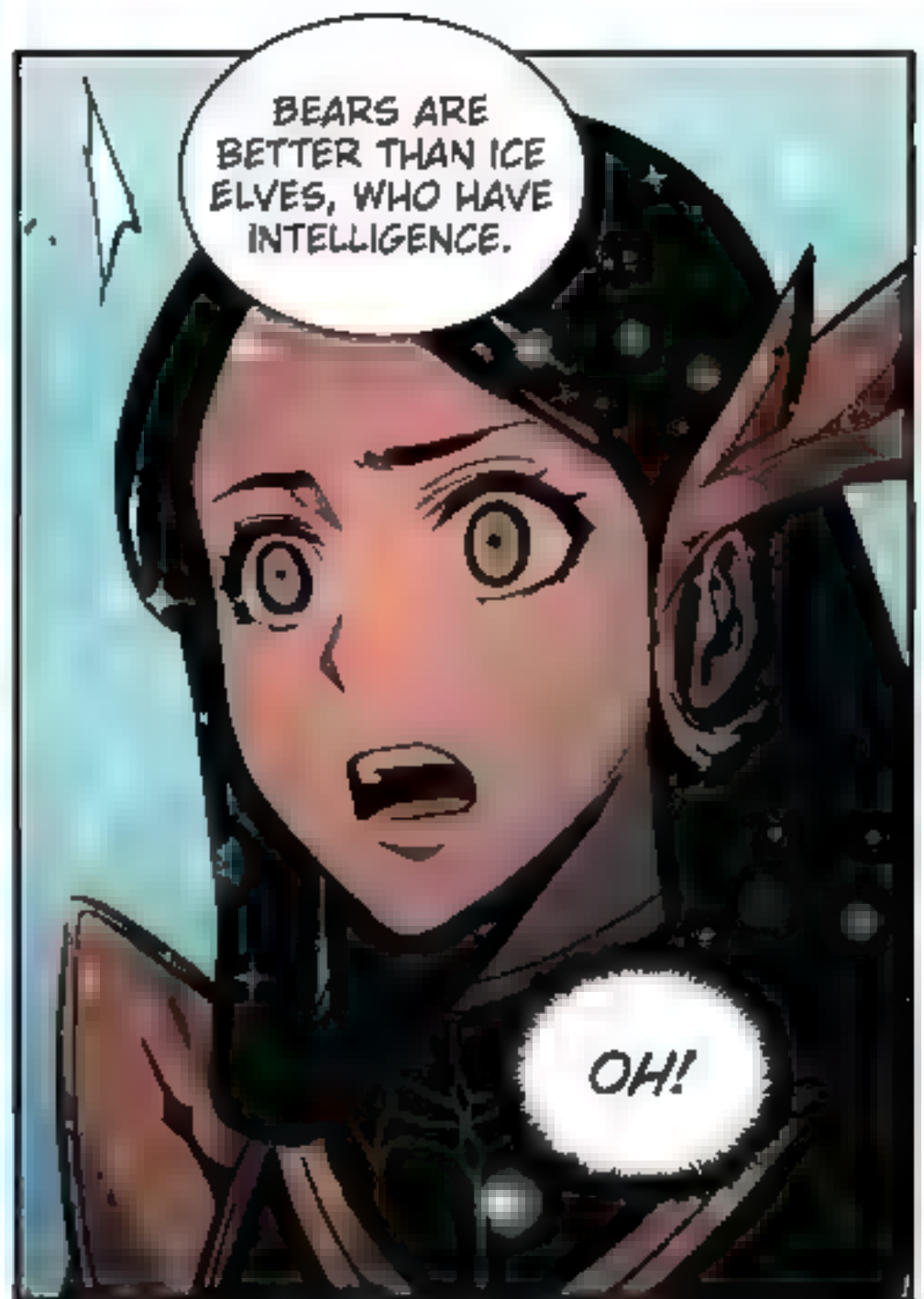
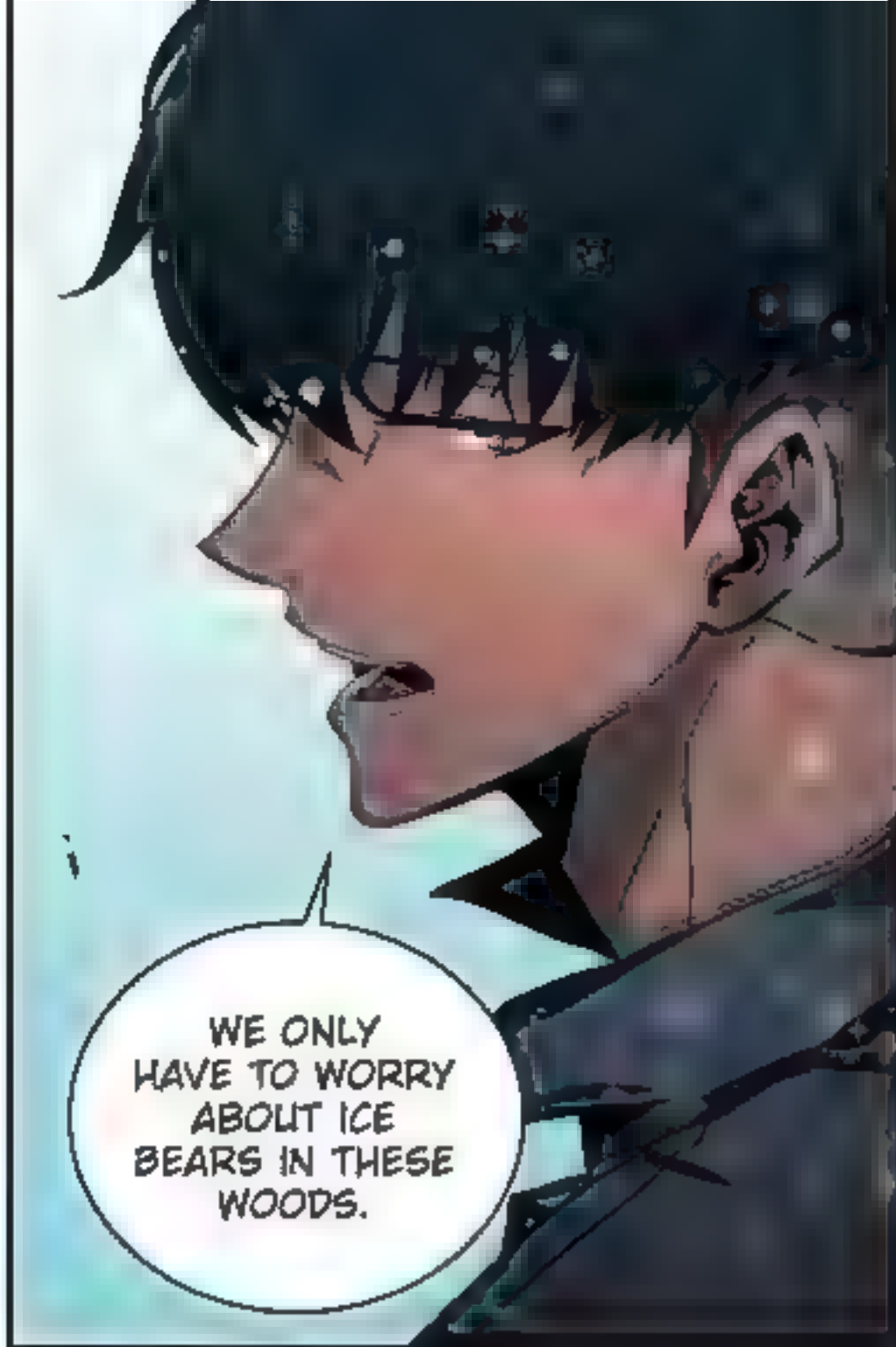
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STOP!

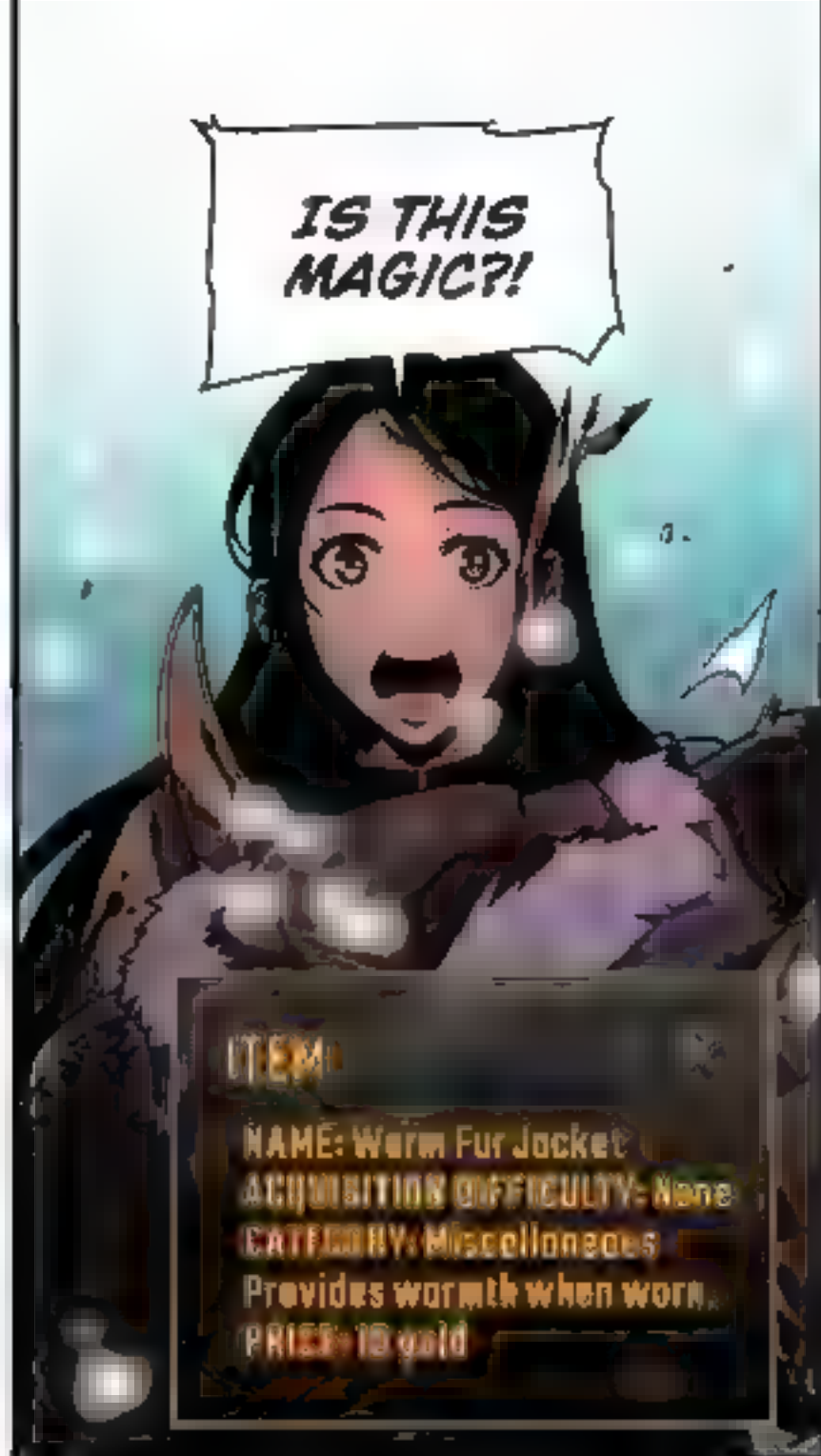


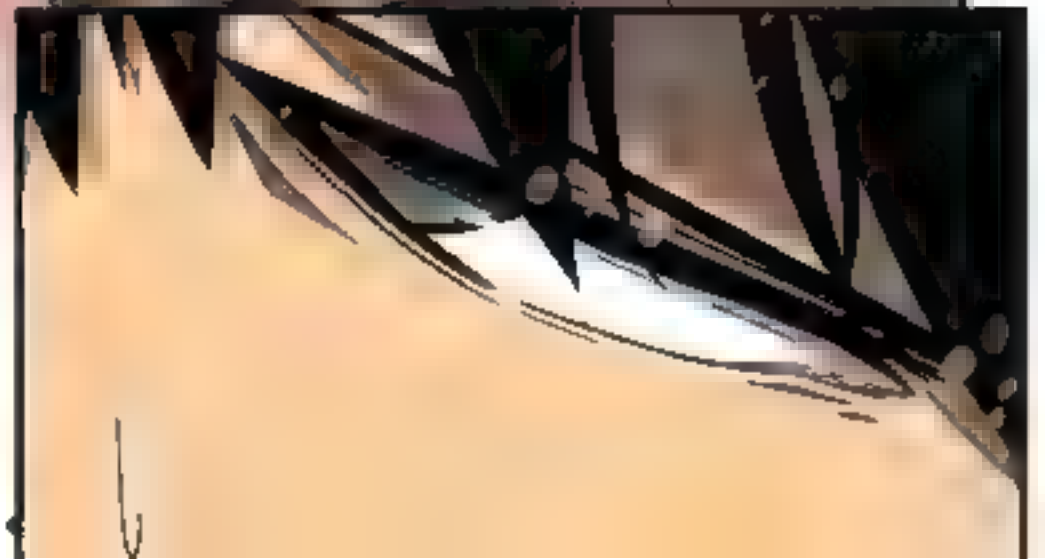
WE SHOULDN'T
GO ANY
FURTHER.

WHY
NOT?









WHAT THE
HECK?!

I-ICE
BEAR!

"ONLY HAVE
TO WORRY
ABOUT
ICE BEARS,"
HUH?!

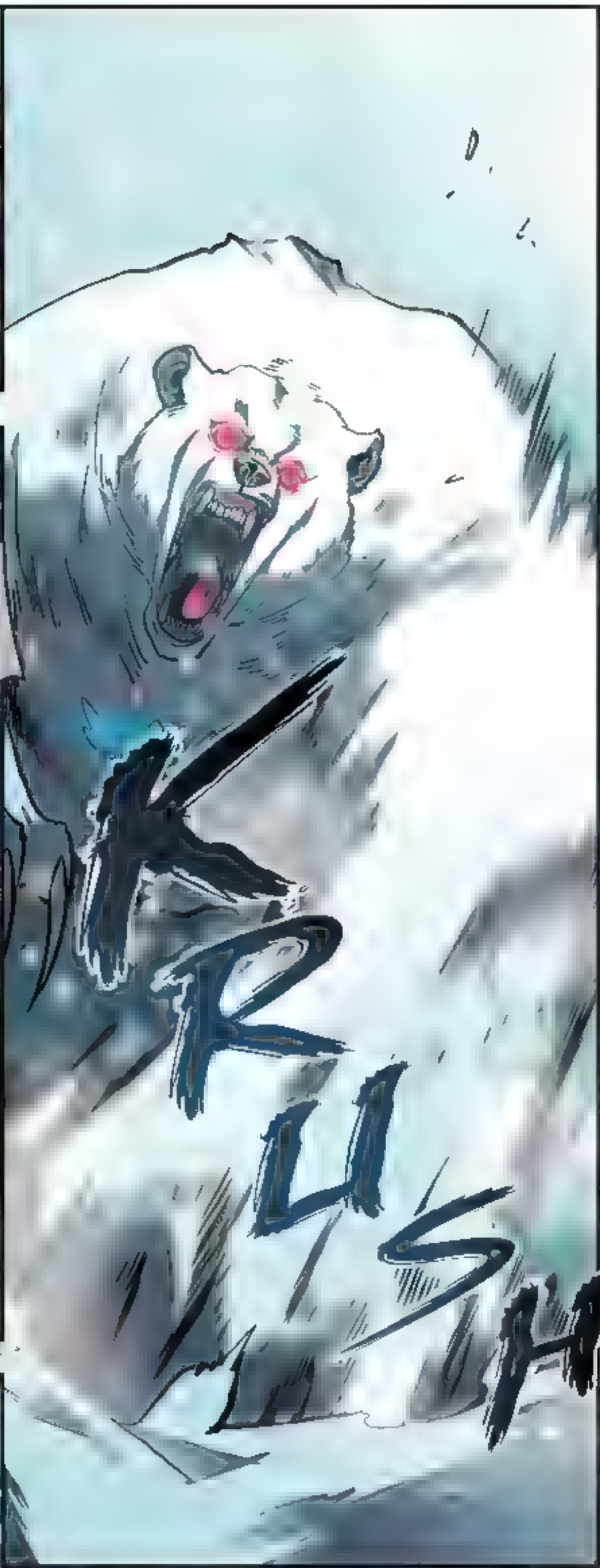
THIS BASTARD
IS A HIGH-
RANK BEAST!

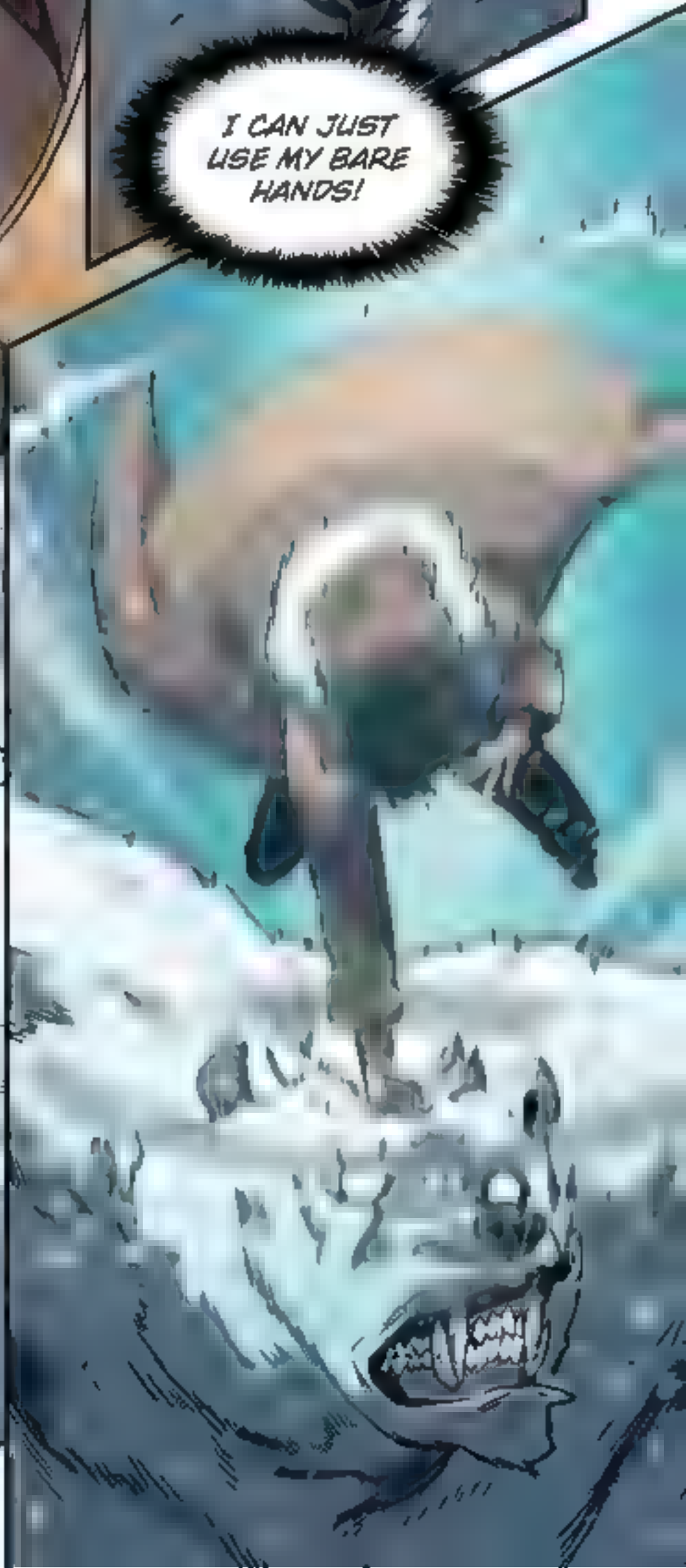
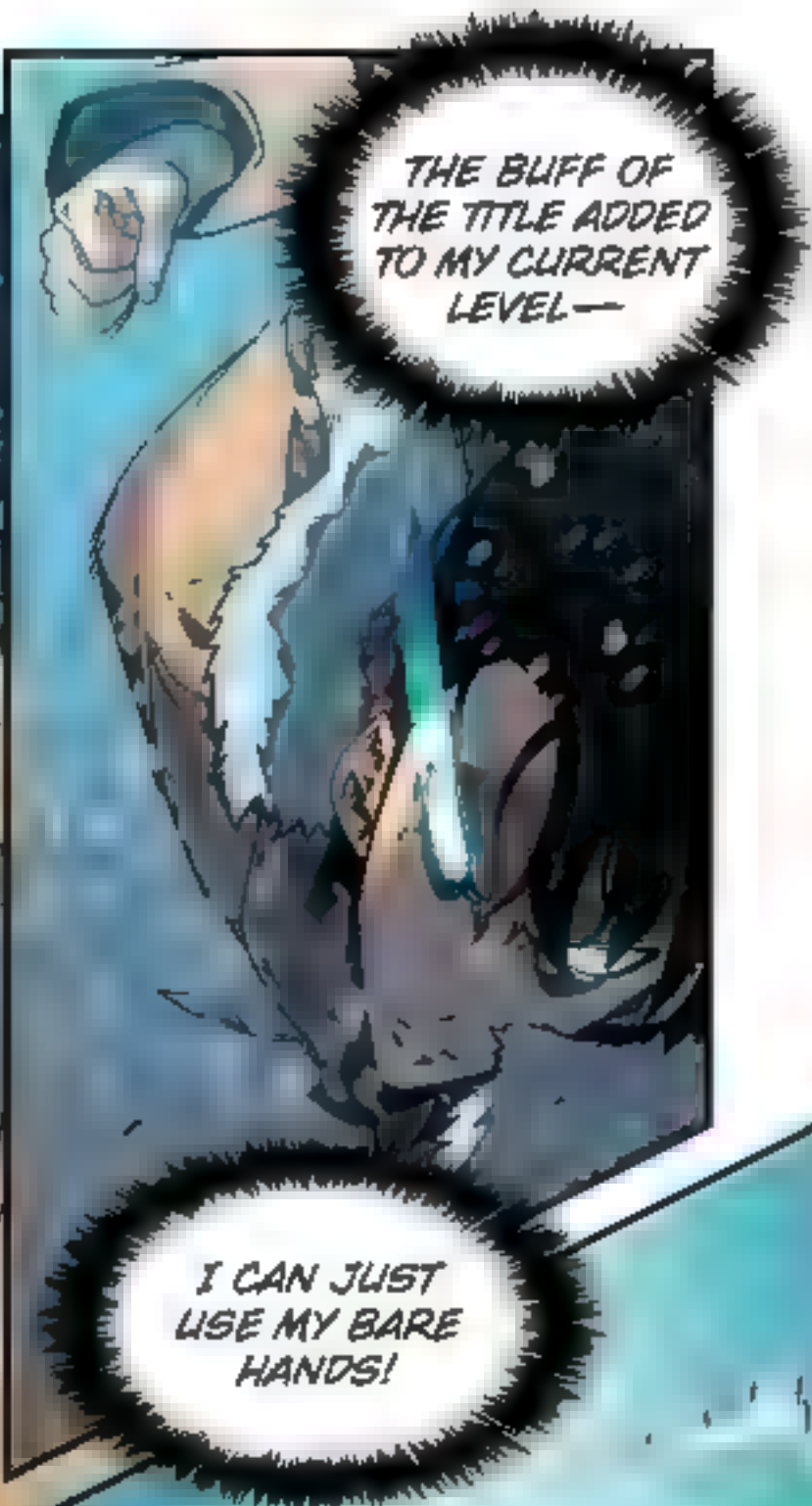
WE
SHOULDN'T
HAVE COME
INTO THE
FOREST!

I'M GOING
TO DRAW ITS
ATTENTION,
SO ALL OF
YOU—

GRAB

ACK!









HE KILLED
THE ICE BEAR
WITH ONE
STRIKE?!

DEFINITELY
A HIGHER-
LEVEL MAGIC
BEAST, BASED
ON THE XP.

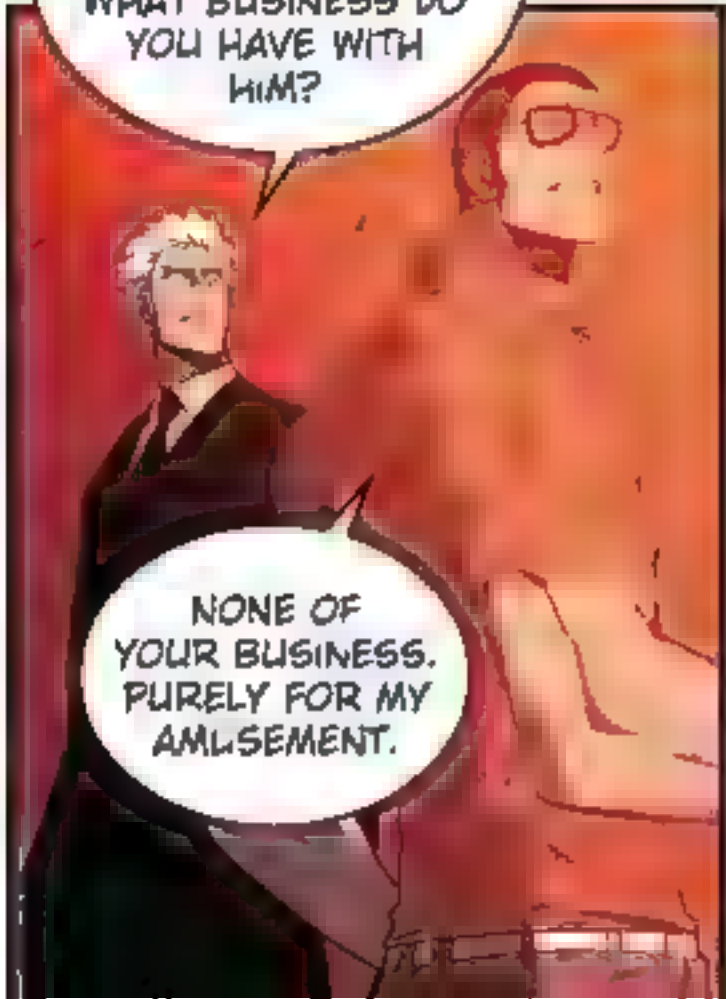


WH-WHAT
ARE YOU?

You have leveled up!



YOU'VE
COME ALL THE
WAY HERE TO FIND
HUNTER SUNG?
WHAT BUSINESS DO
YOU HAVE WITH
HIM?



NONE OF
YOUR BUSINESS.
PURELY FOR MY
AMUSEMENT.



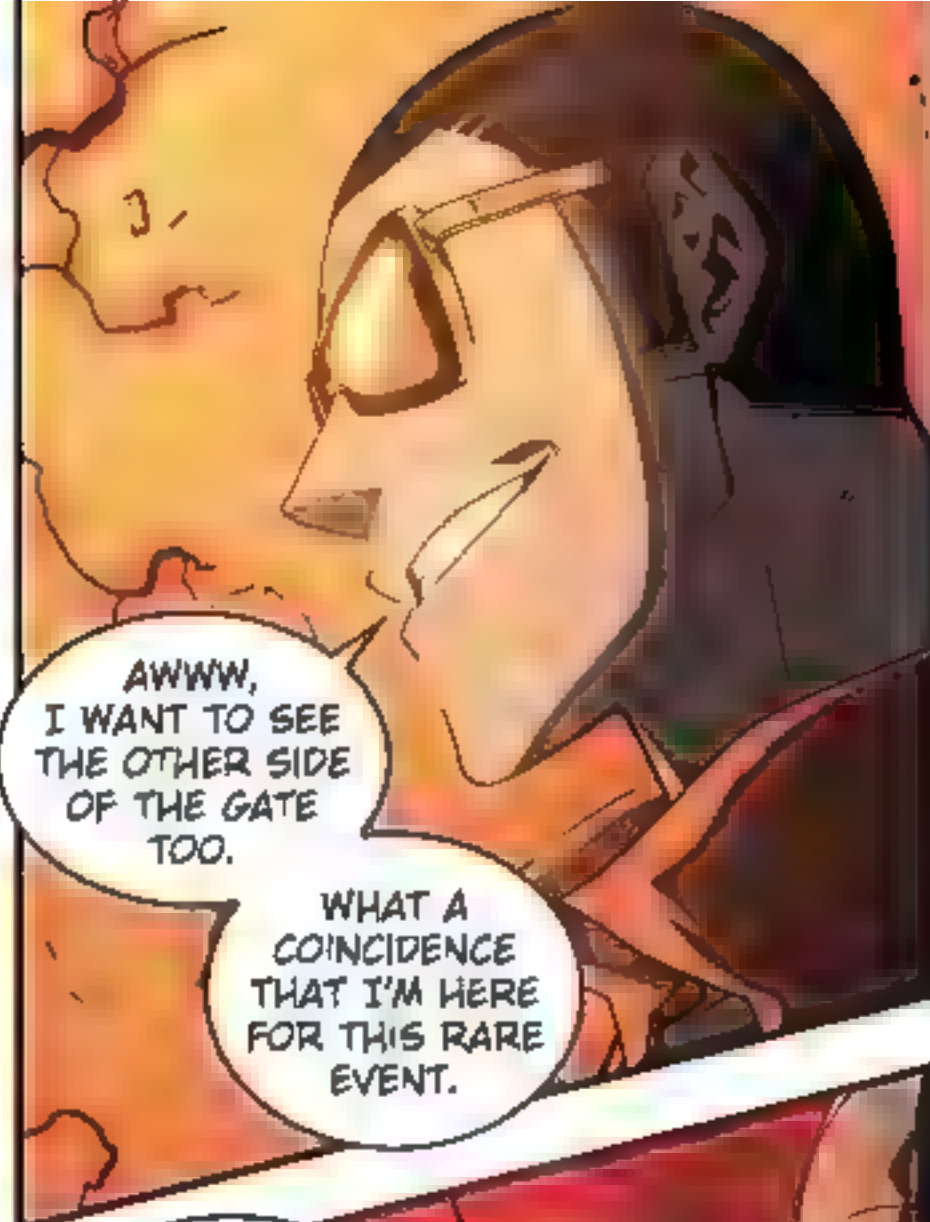
WHATEVER
YOUR PURPOSE IS,
THERE IS NOTHING
WE CAN DO NOW THAT
A RED GATE HAS
SPAWNED.

THE PLACE
BEYOND THE GATE
COULD BE A DESERT
WITH TEMPERATURES
OVER 140...

...OR A JUNGLE
FILLED WITH
VENEMOUS
SNAKES AND
INSECTS...

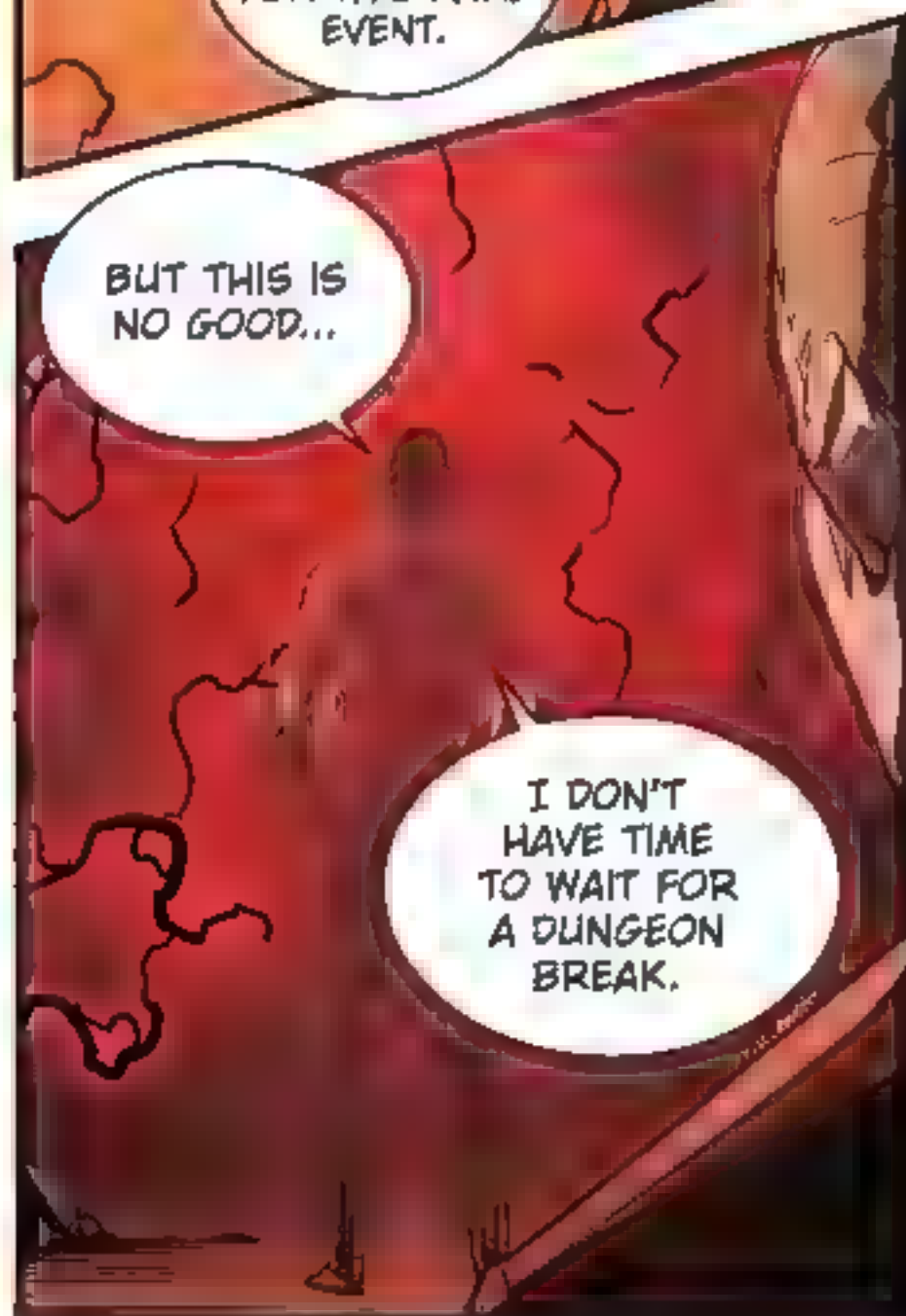
....OR A
FROZEN LANDSCAPE
SO COLD, YOUR
EXTREMITIES
GET FROSTBITE
INSTANTLY.

THERE IS A
GREATER CHANCE
THOSE HUNTERS
ARE DEAD THAN
ALIVE.



AWWW,
I WANT TO SEE
THE OTHER SIDE
OF THE GATE
TOO.

WHAT A
COINCIDENCE
THAT I'M HERE
FOR THIS RARE
EVENT.



BUT THIS IS
NO GOOD...

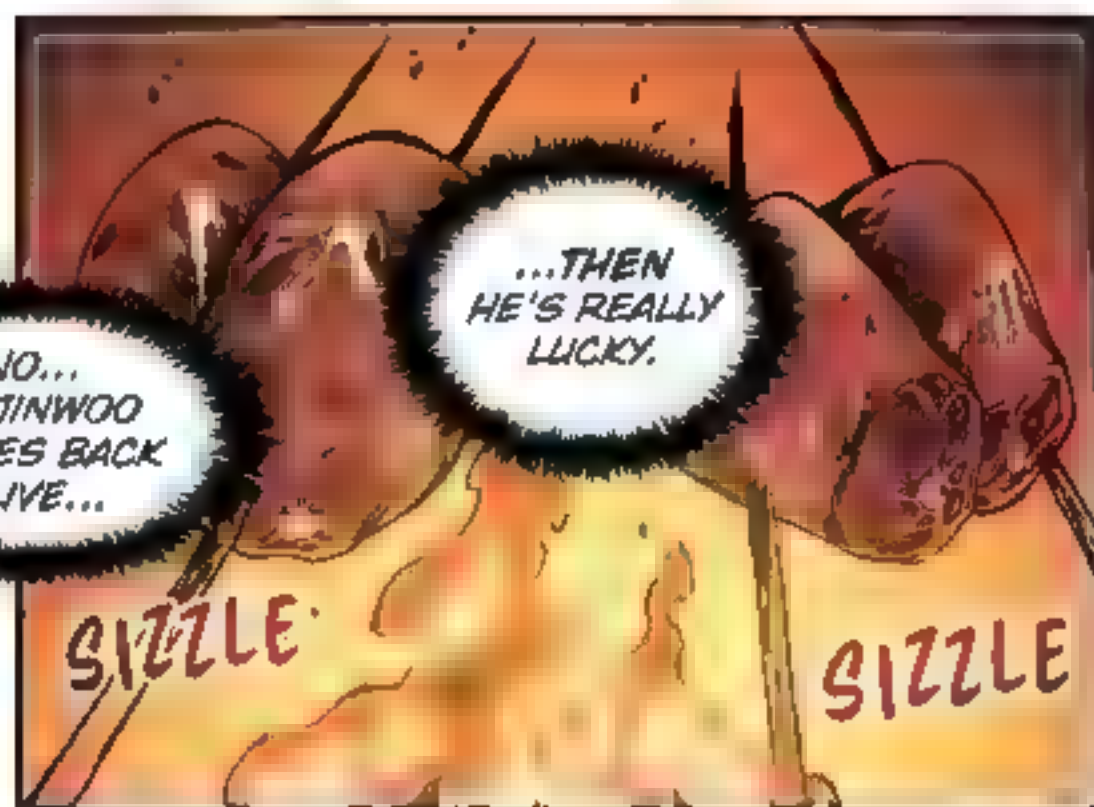
I DON'T
HAVE TIME
TO WAIT FOR
A DUNGEON
BREAK.



JINWOO
GOT LUCKY.

DONGSOO
CAN'T DO
ANYTHING,
SINCE IT'S A
RED GATE.

NO...
IF JINWOO
COMES BACK
ALIVE...



...THEN
HE'S REALLY
LUCKY.

SIZZLE

SIZZLE



BEAR
MEAT'S A
LITTLE TOUGH,
BUT IT'S NOT
BAD, EH?

WANT
SOME
MORE?

MYUNGHWAN
KO, C-RANK
DEALER

OH,
THANK
YOU.

KIJOONG
YOON,
C-RANK TANK

HEEJIN PARK,
B-RANK
MAGE

CRACKLE

POPE

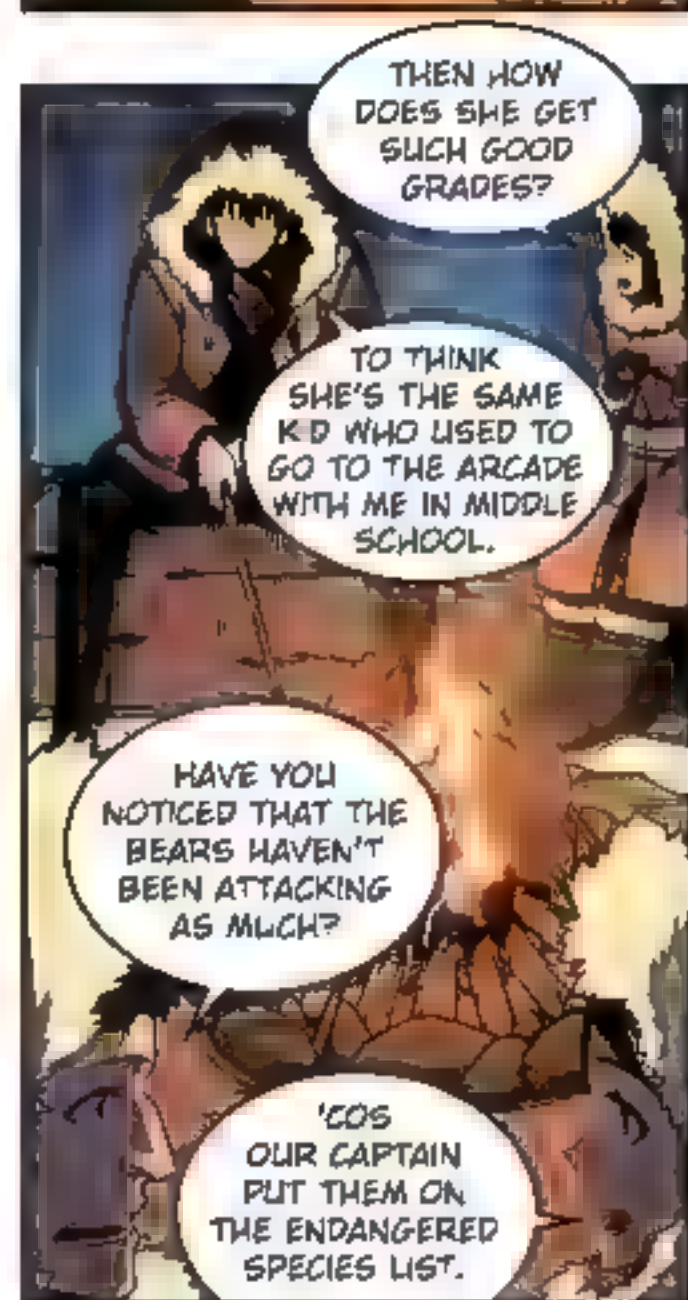
DOES
JINAH REALLY
STUDY ALL THE
TIME AT HOME
TOO?



WORD IS
SHE MEMORIZES
ENGLISH VOCAB
EVEN IN HER
SLEEP.

NO. WHEN
SHE COMES
HOME, SHE PLAYS
GAMES, EATS,
AND SLEEPS.

SHE'S JUST
A SLEEPYHEAD
WHO LOVES
FRIED CHICKEN.

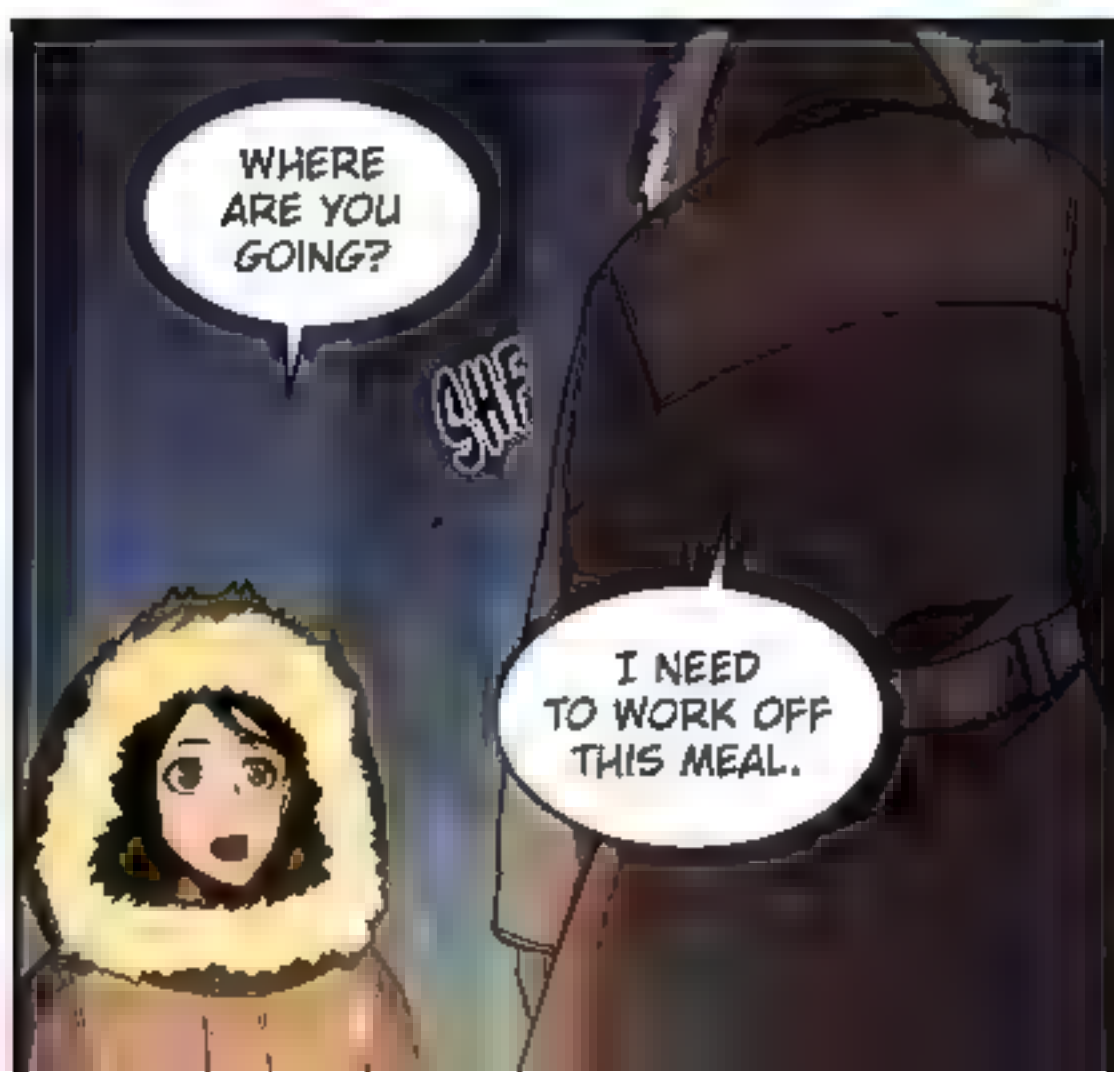


THEN HOW
DOES SHE GET
SUCH GOOD
GRADES?

TO THINK
SHE'S THE SAME
KID WHO USED TO
GO TO THE ARCADE
WITH ME IN MIDDLE
SCHOOL.

HAVE YOU
NOTICED THAT THE
BEARS HAVEN'T
BEEN ATTACKING
AS MUCH?

'COS
OUR CAPTAIN
PUT THEM ON
THE ENDANGERED
SPECIES LIST.



WHERE
ARE YOU
GOING?

ONE

I NEED
TO WORK OFF
THIS MEAL.

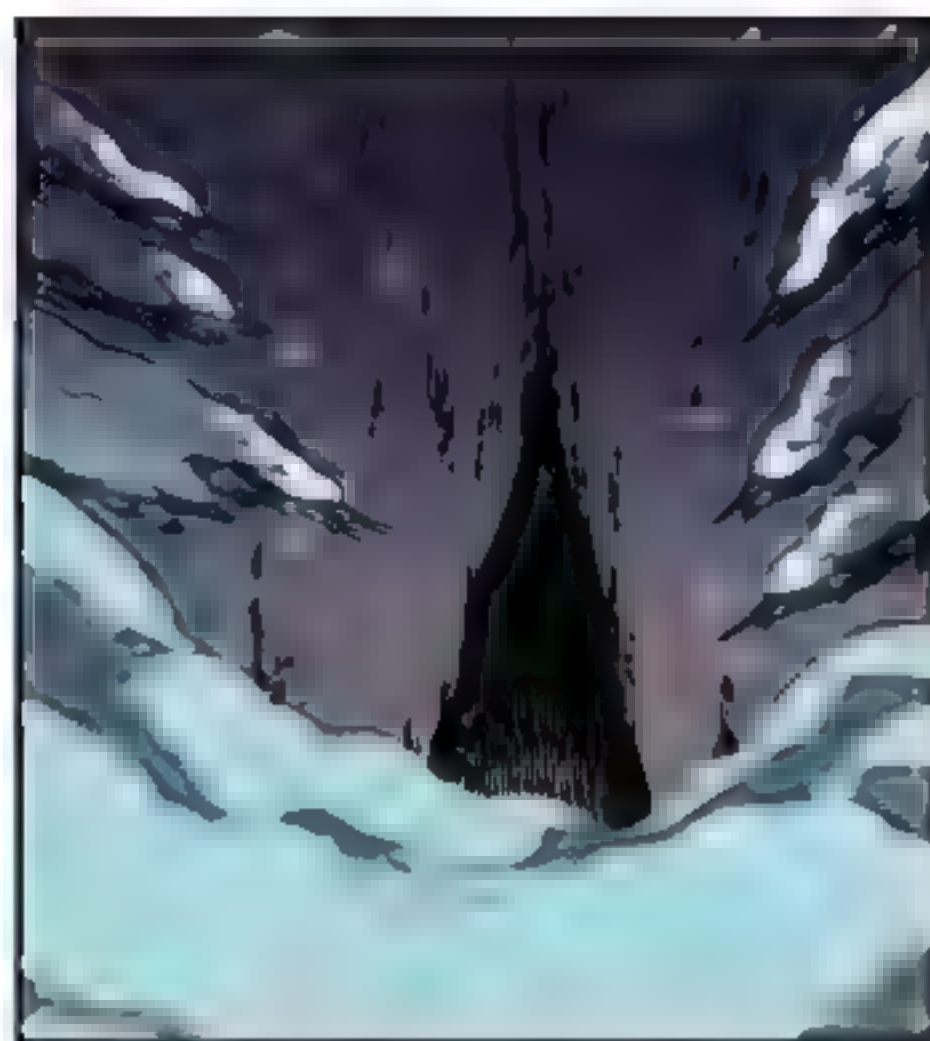


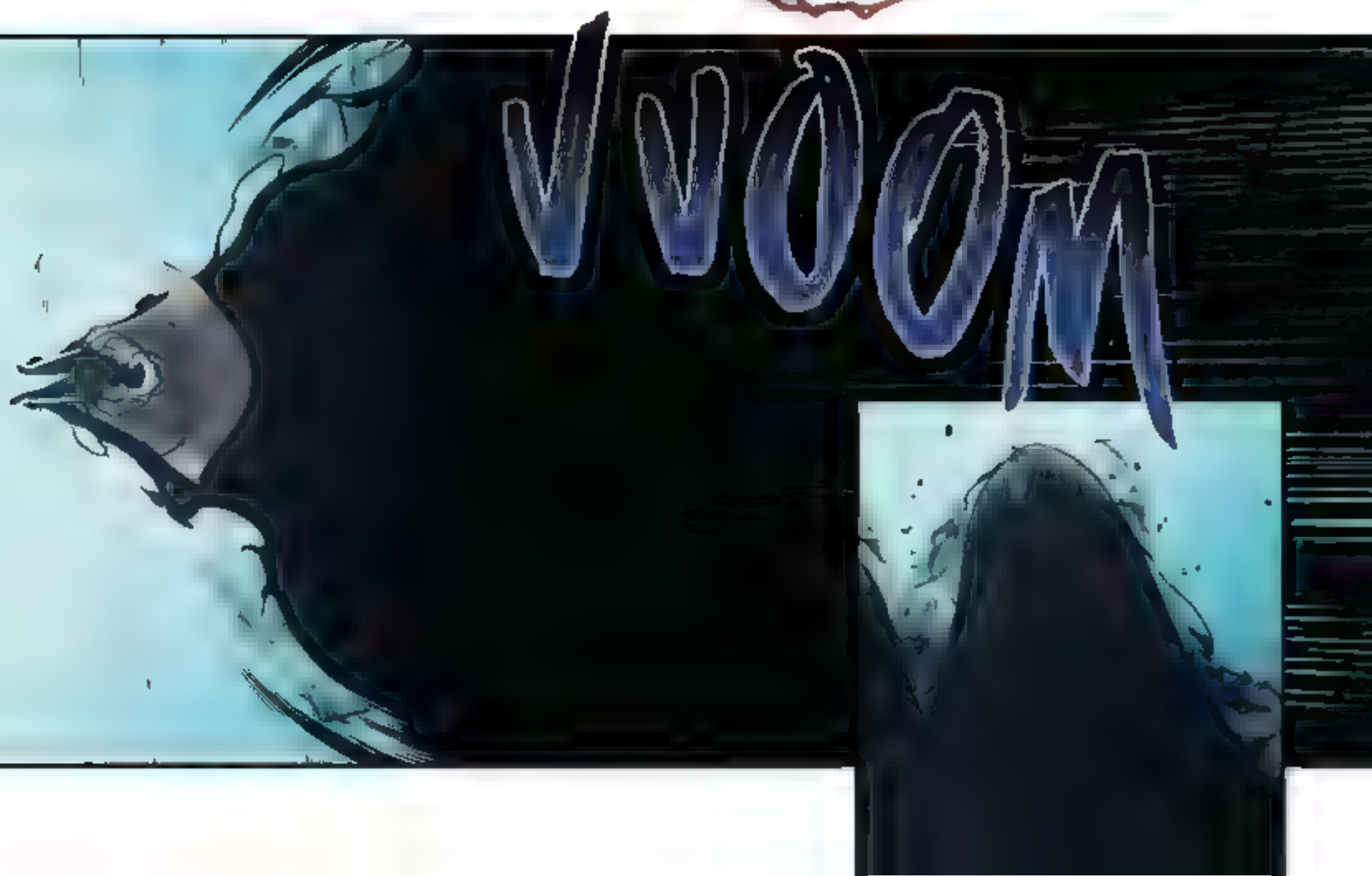
YOU WANT
TO EXERCISE
INSIDE THE
GATE?

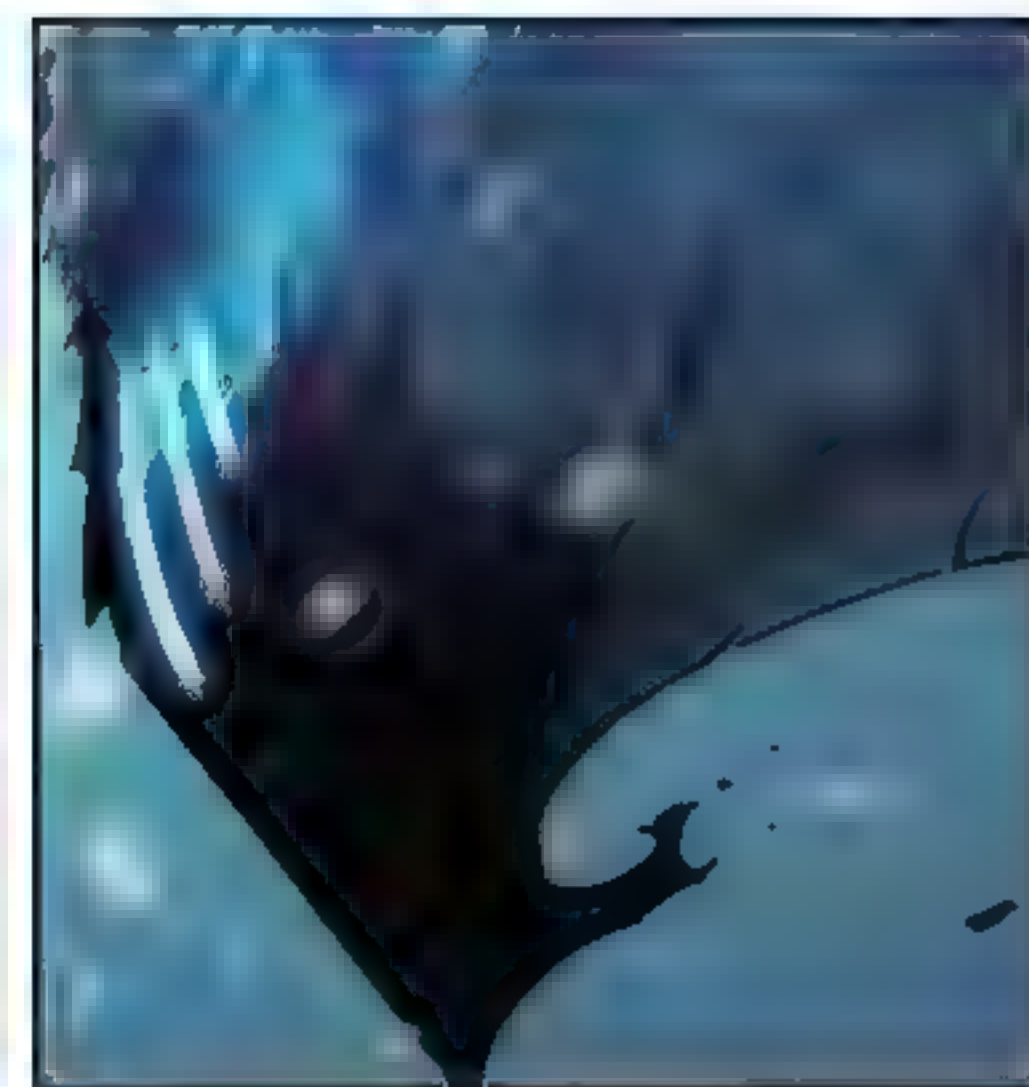
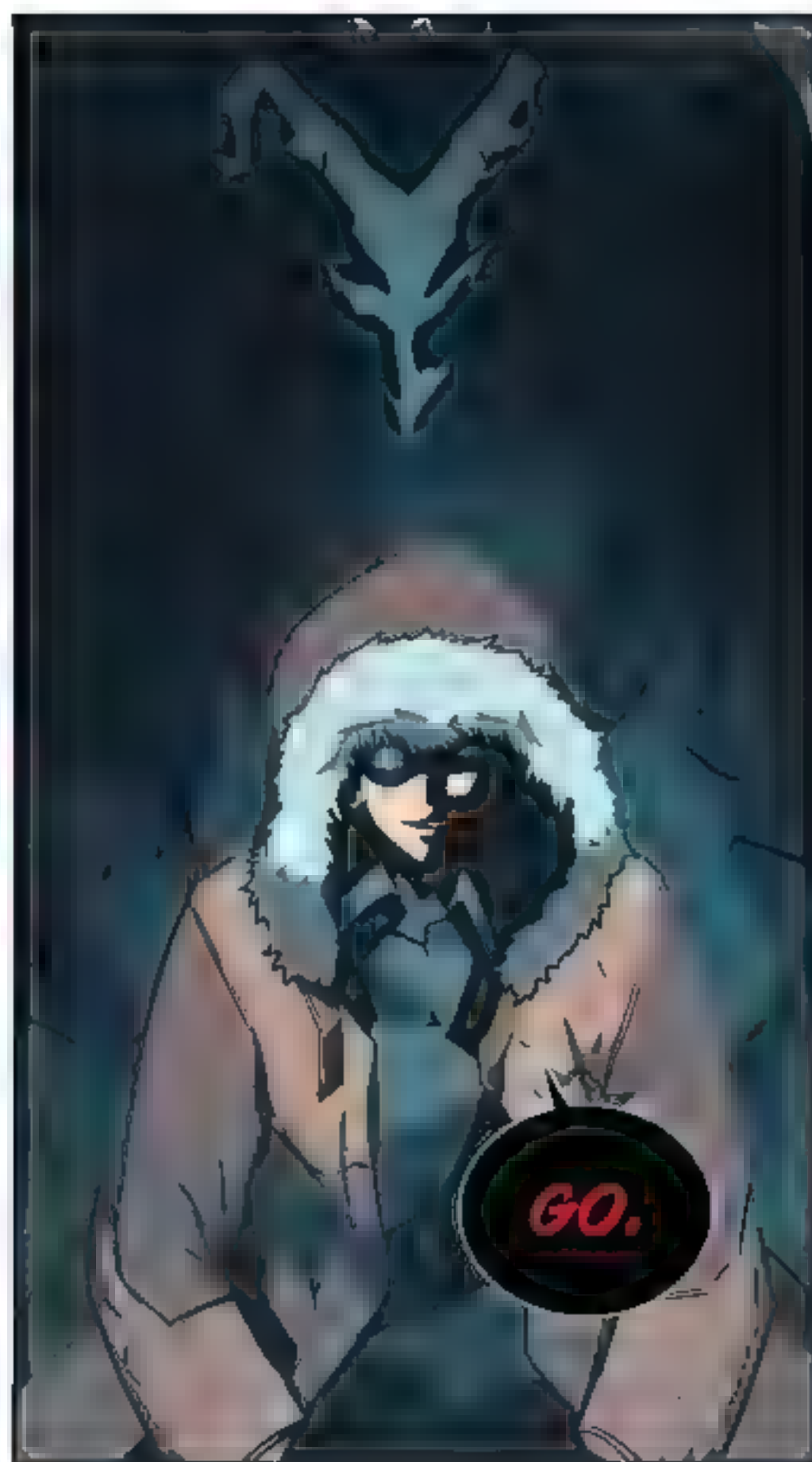
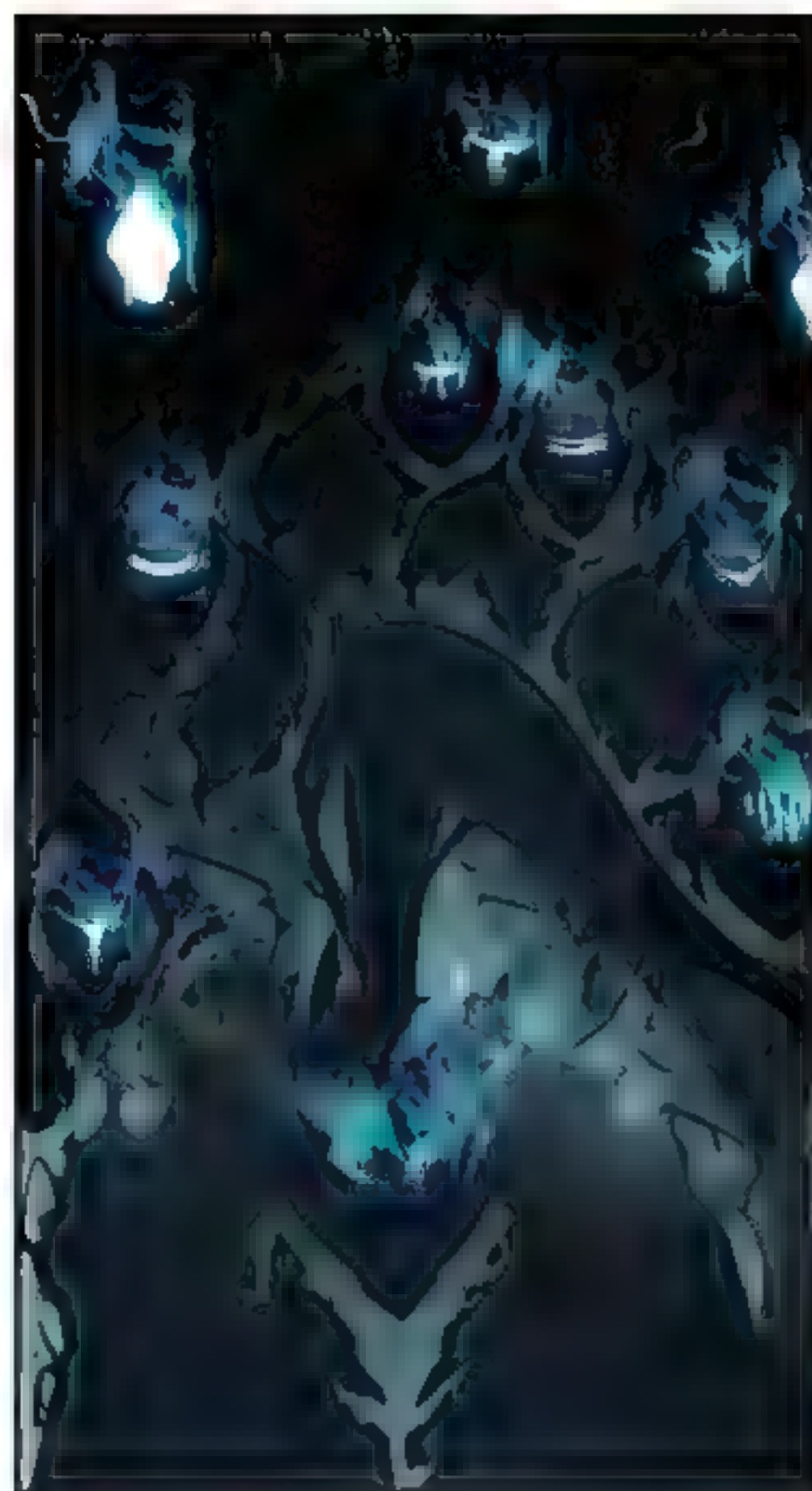
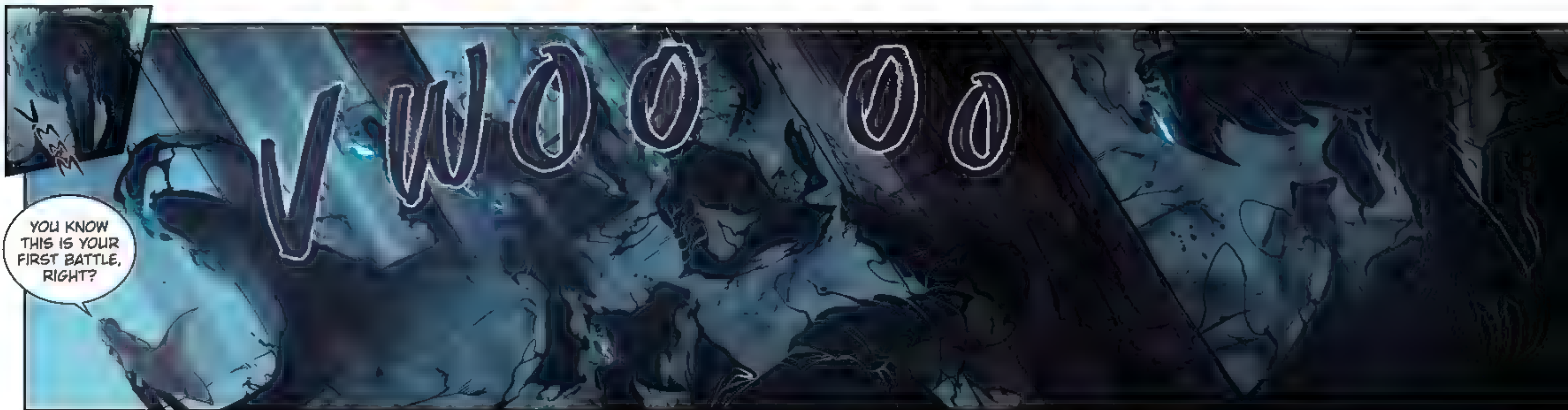
IF I DON'T,
I'LL GET IN
TROUBLE.

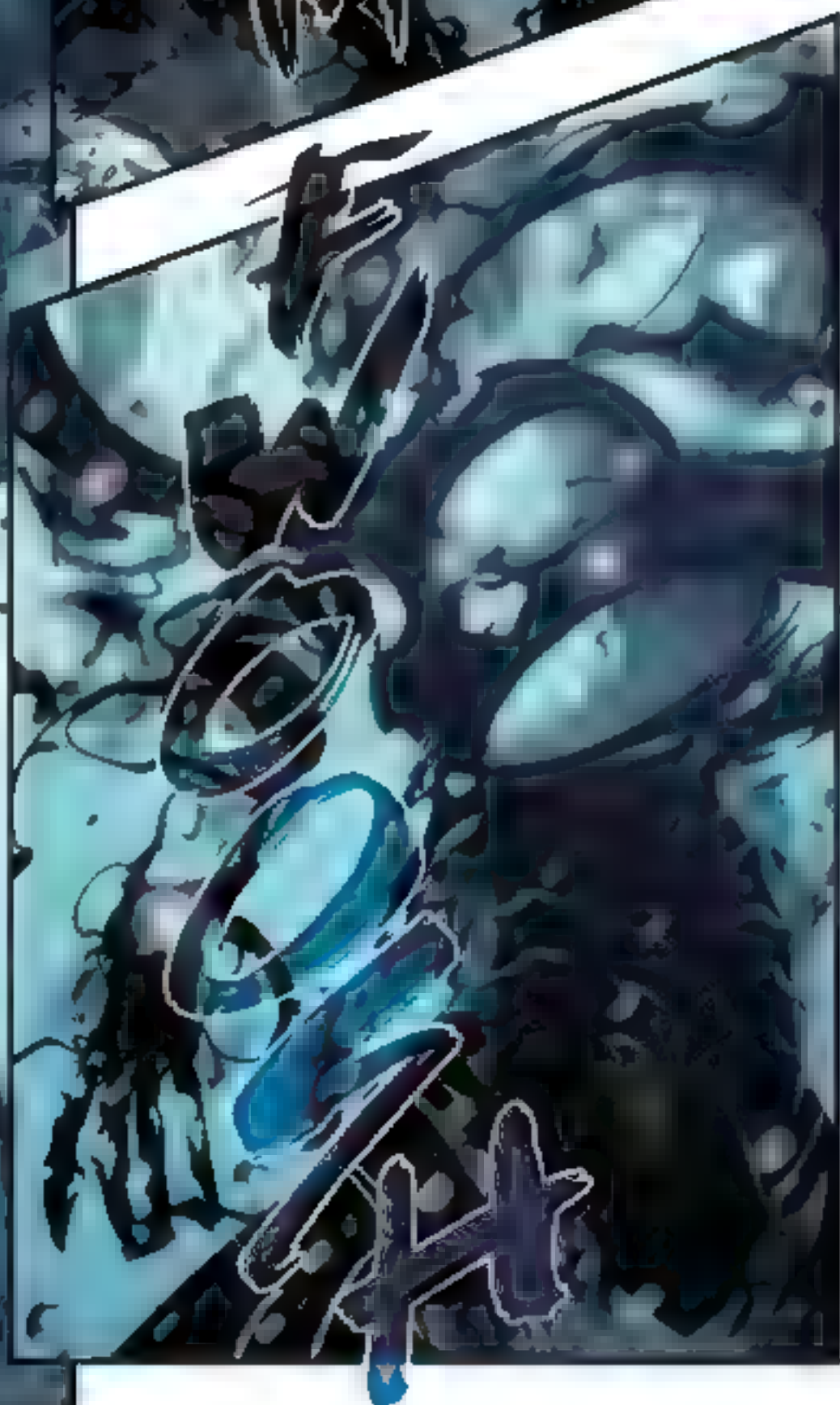


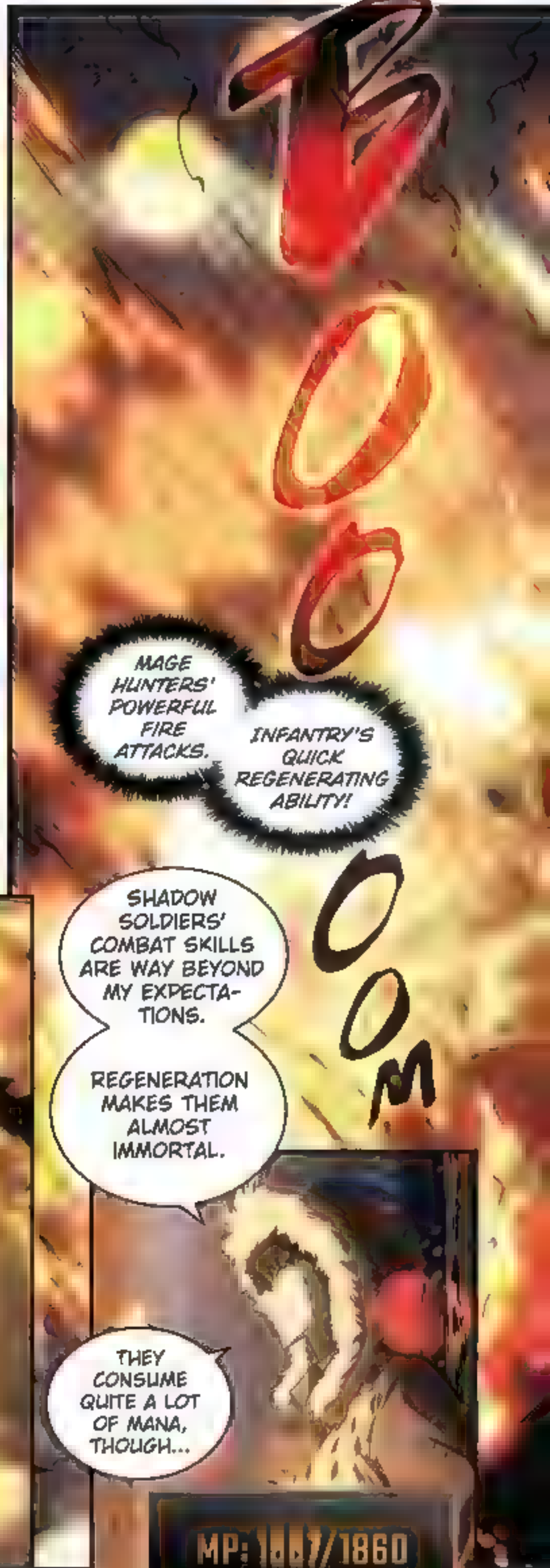
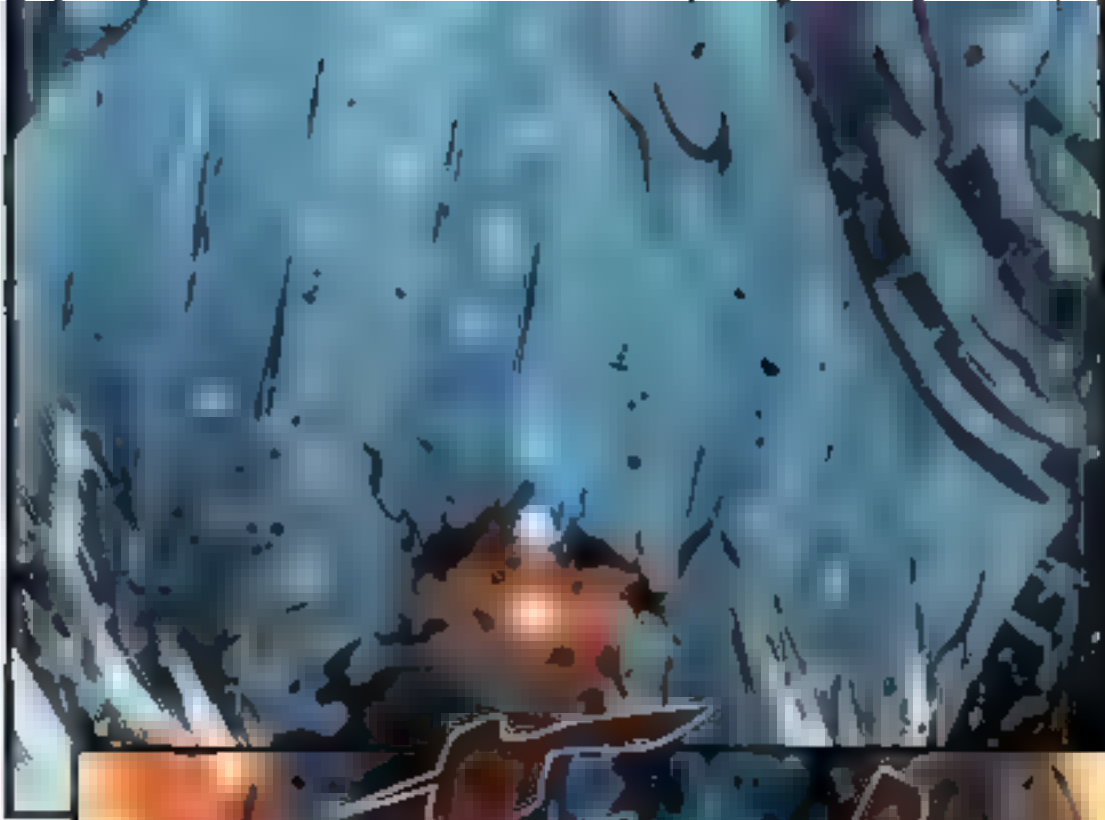
HE'S SO
WEIRD.











MAGE
HUNTERS'
POWERFUL
FIRE
ATTACKS.

INFANTRY'S
QUICK
REGENERATING
ABILITY!

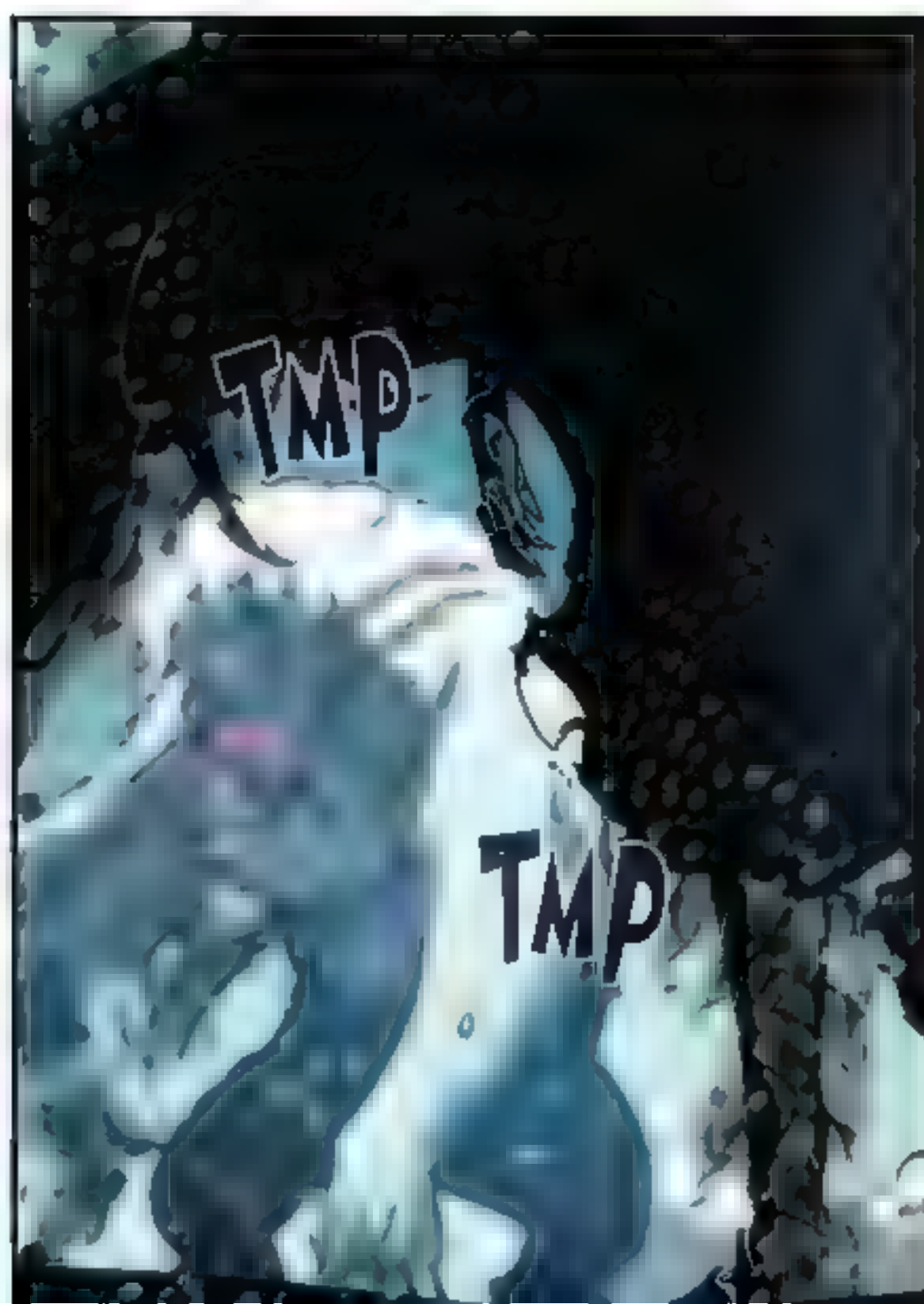
SHADOW
SOLDIERS'
COMBAT SKILLS
ARE WAY BEYOND
MY EXPECTA-
TIONS.

REGENERATION
MAKES THEM
ALMOST
IMMORTAL.

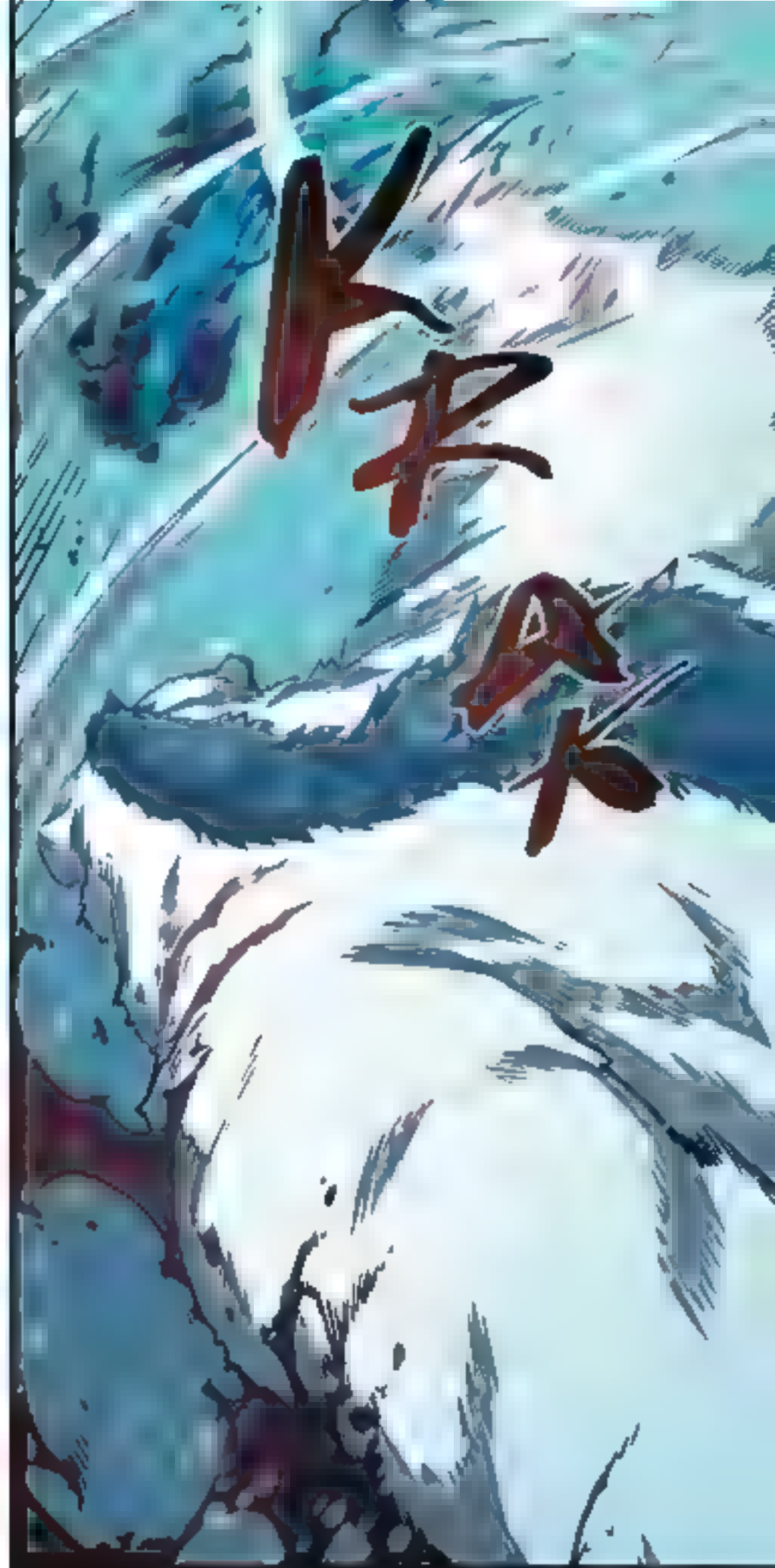
THEY
CONSUME
QUITE A LOT
OF MANA,
THOUGH...

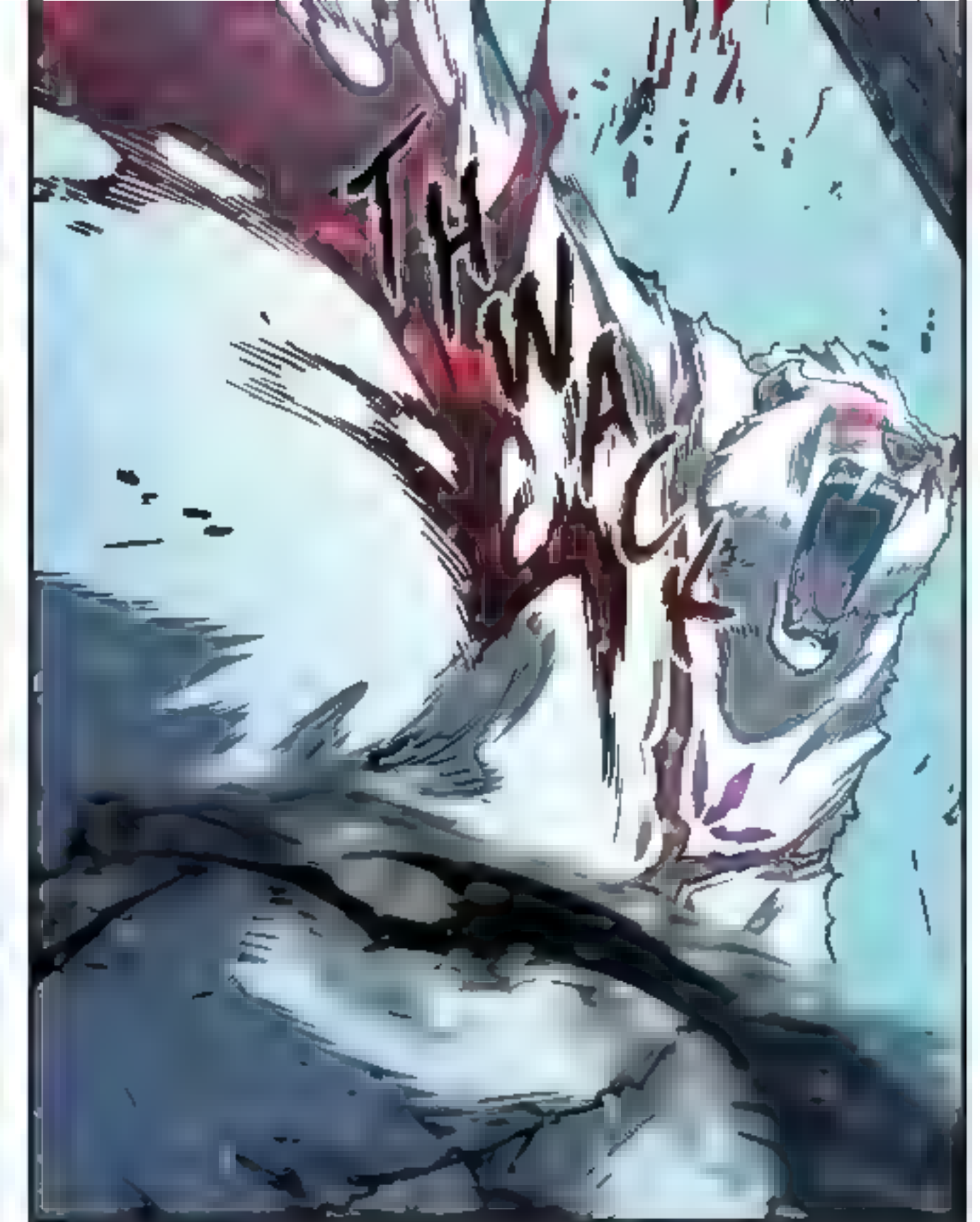
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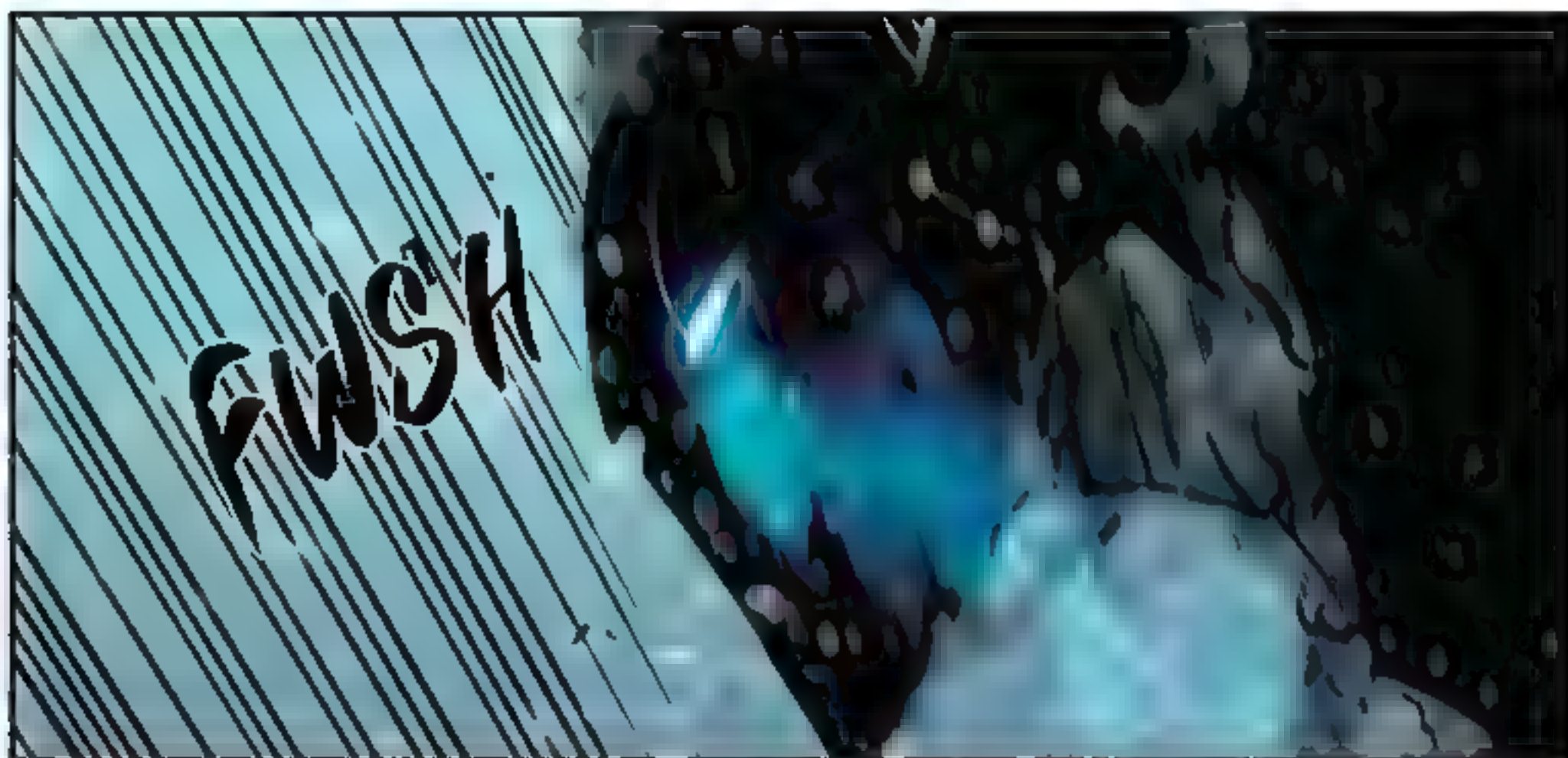
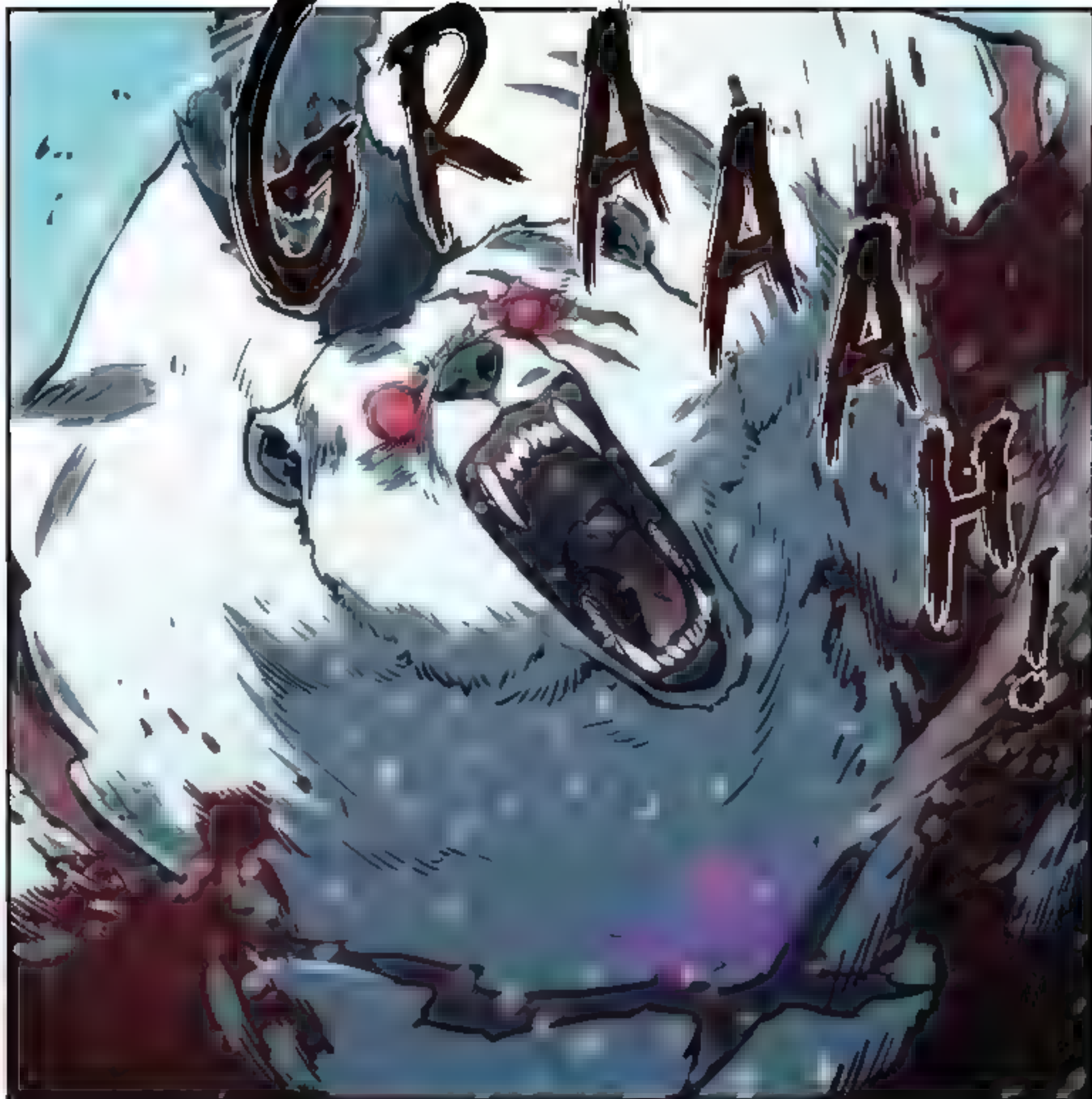


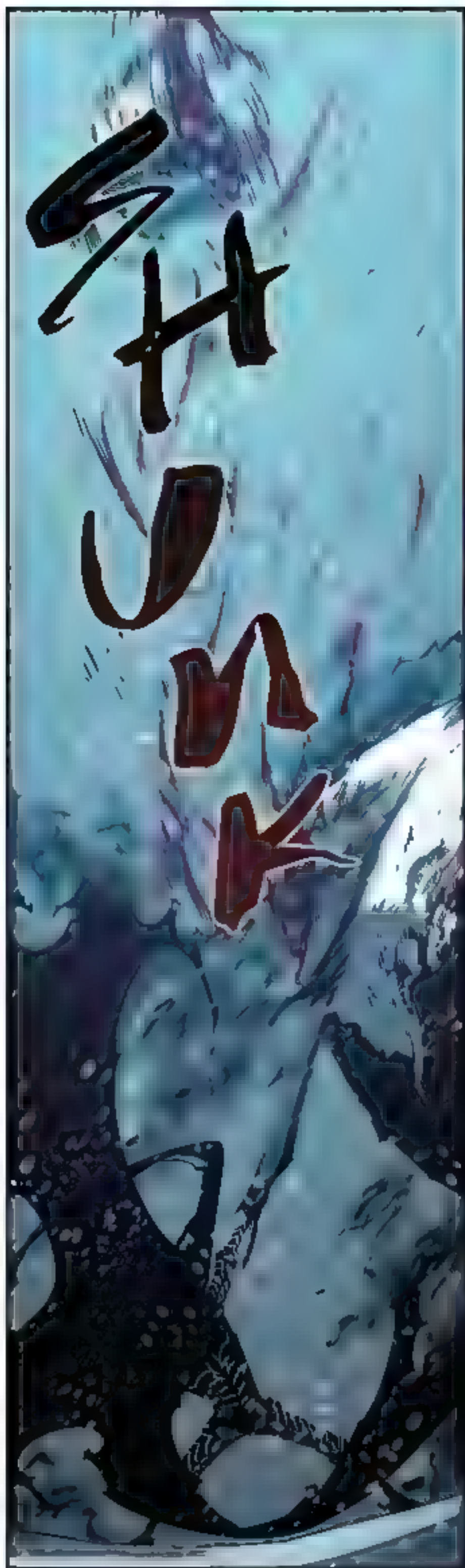


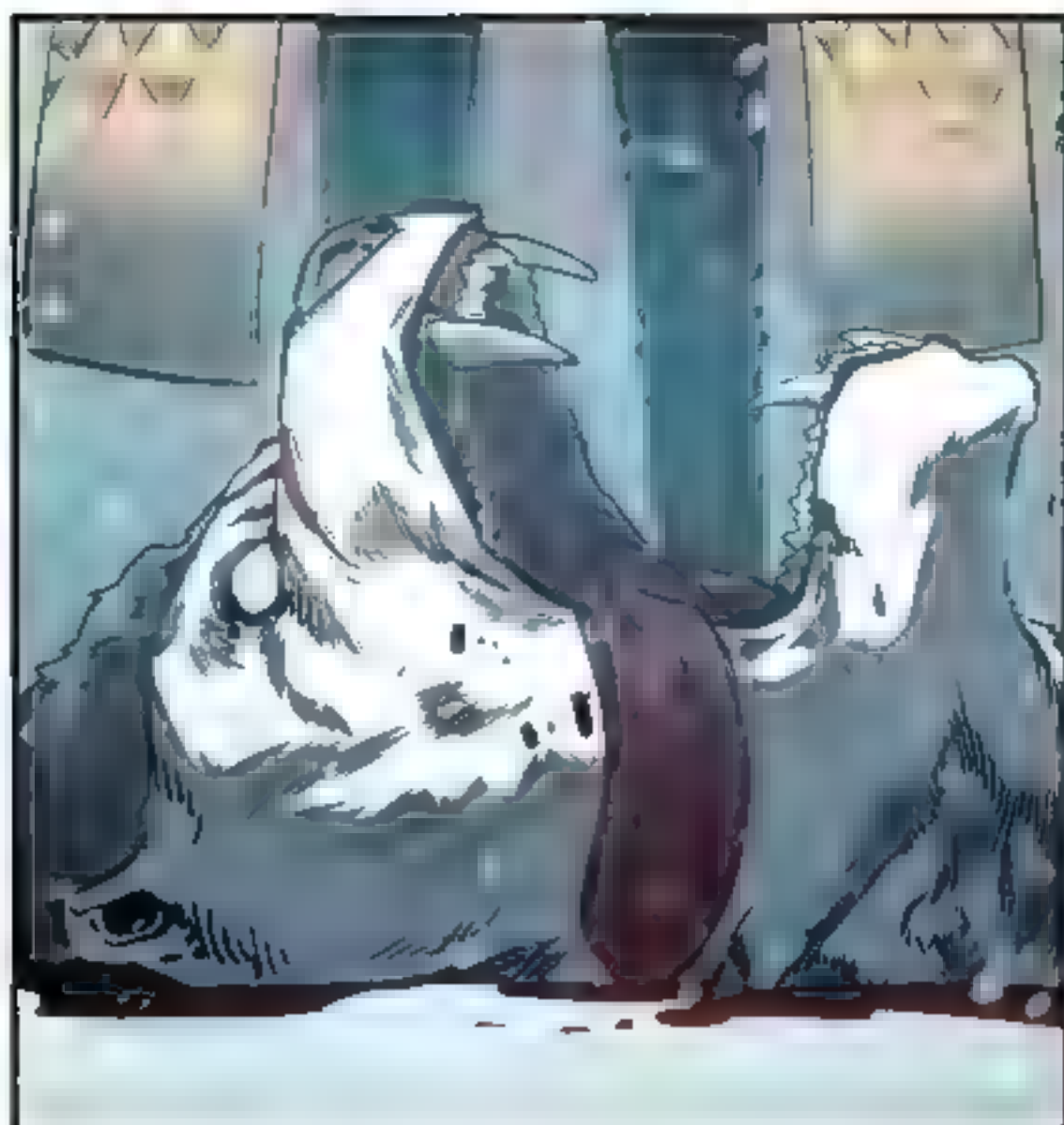


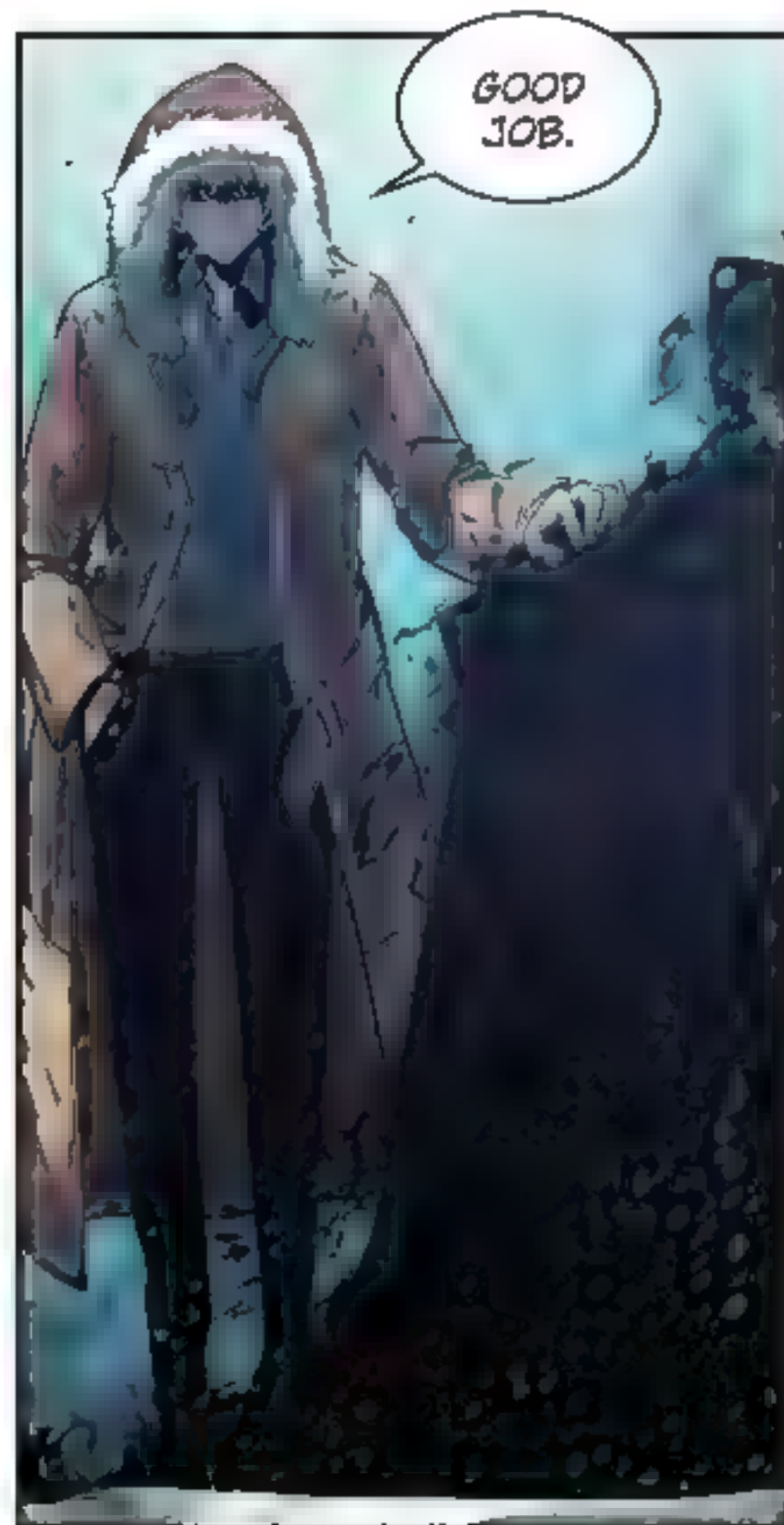
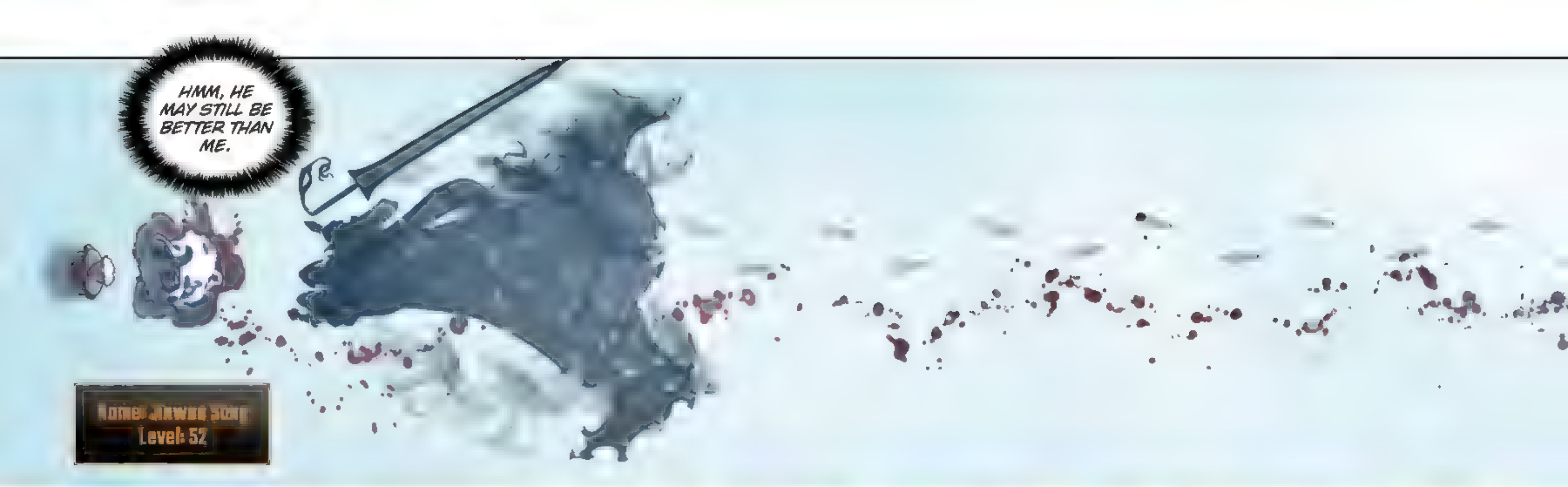


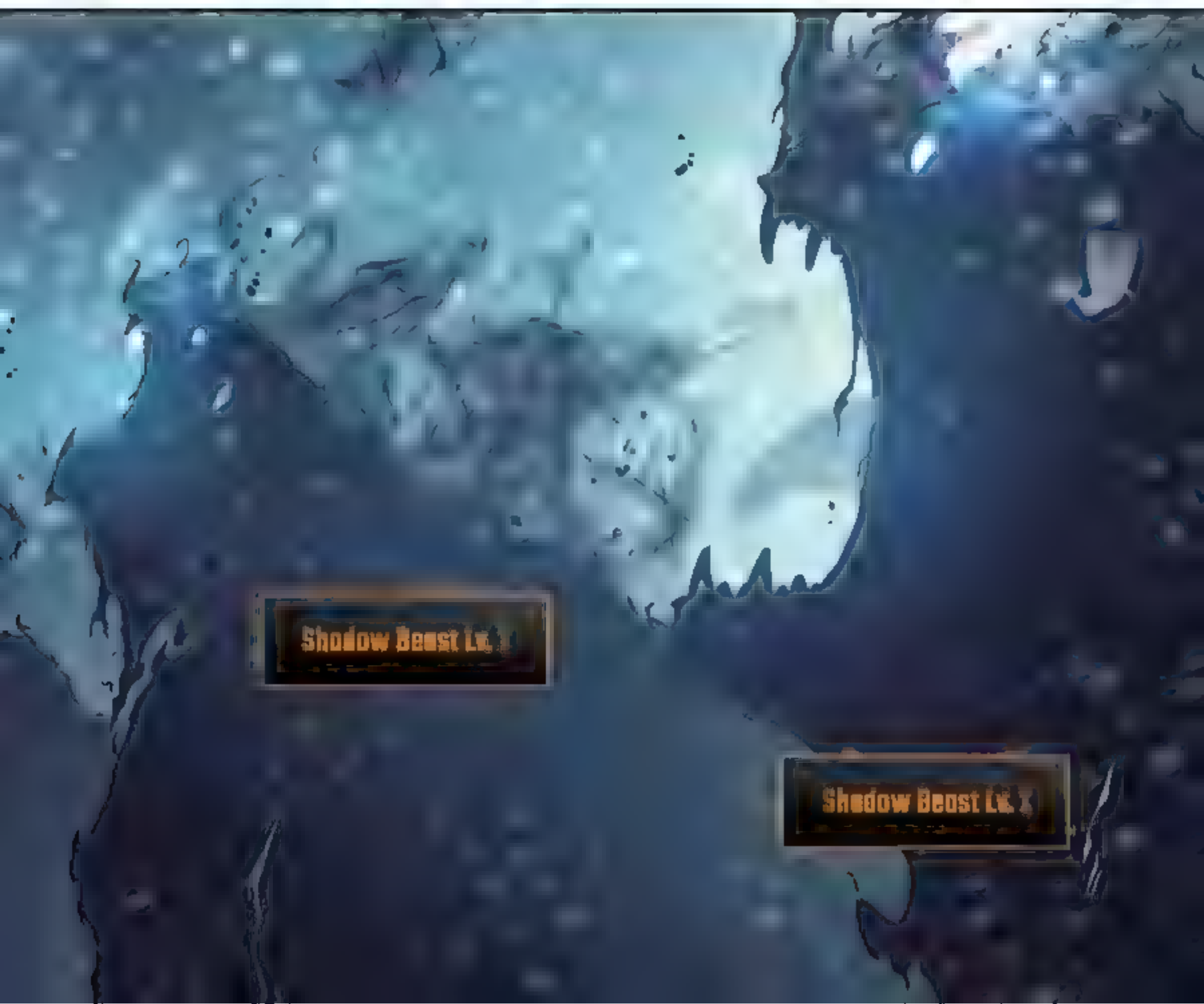




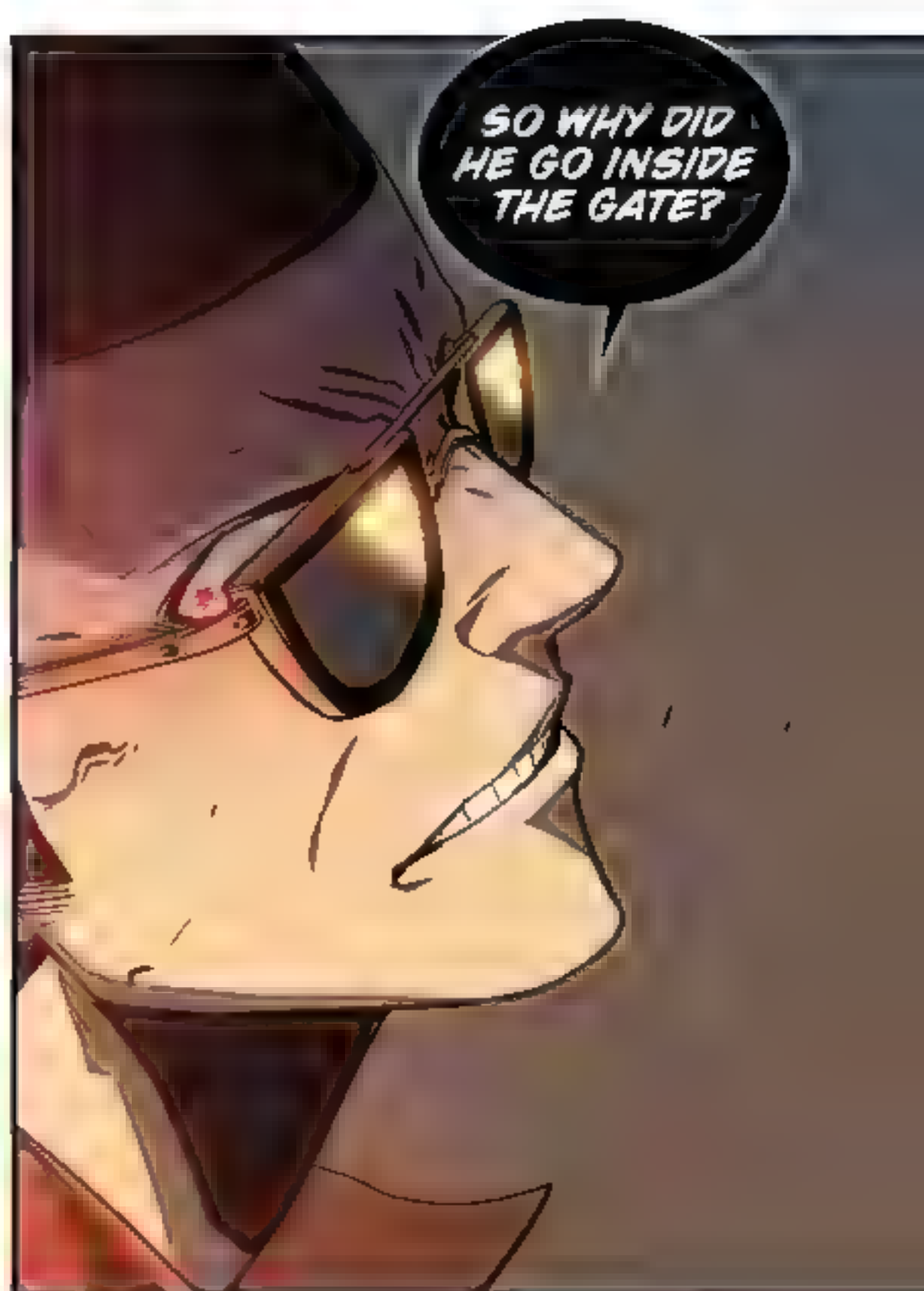


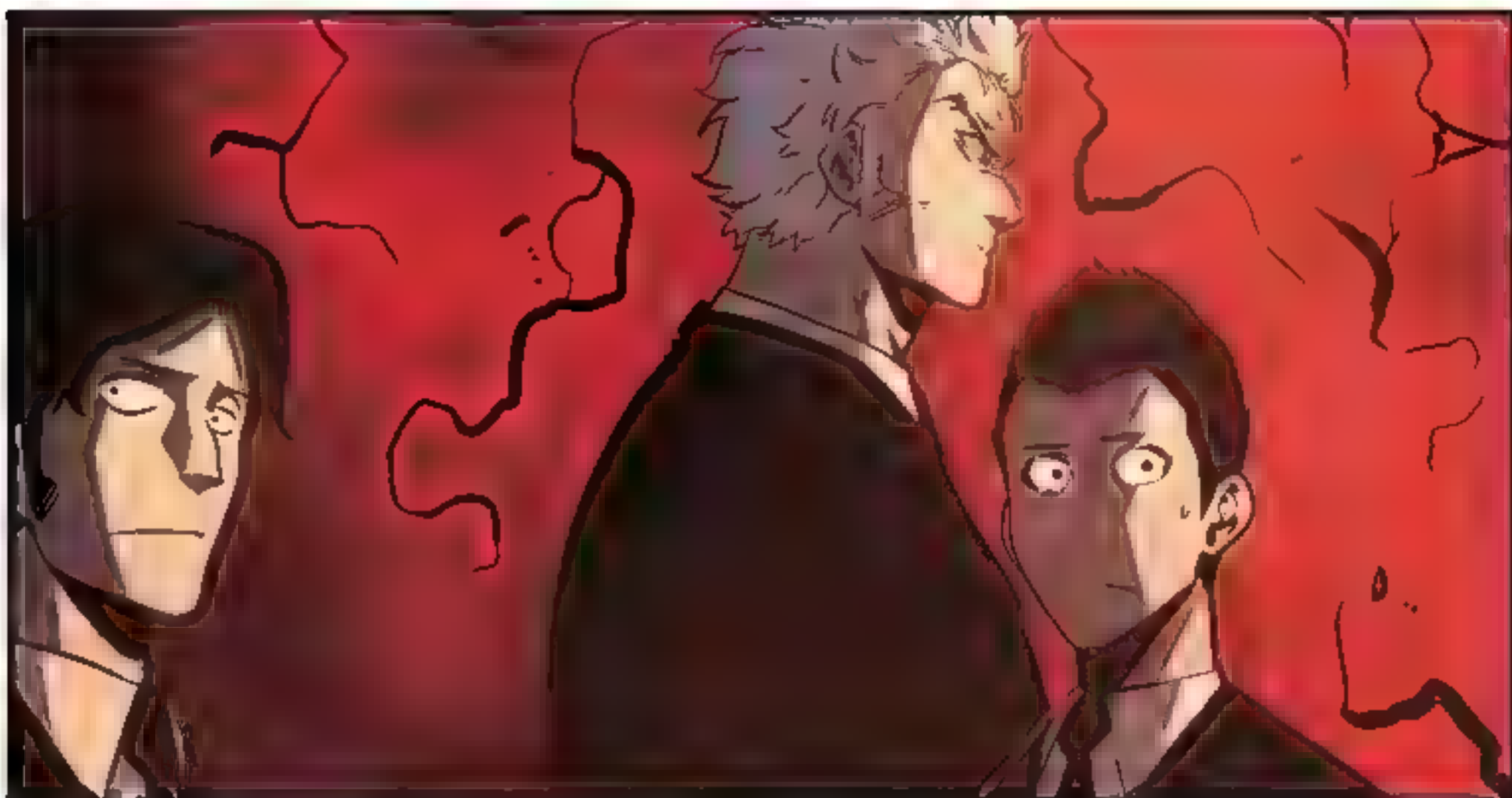






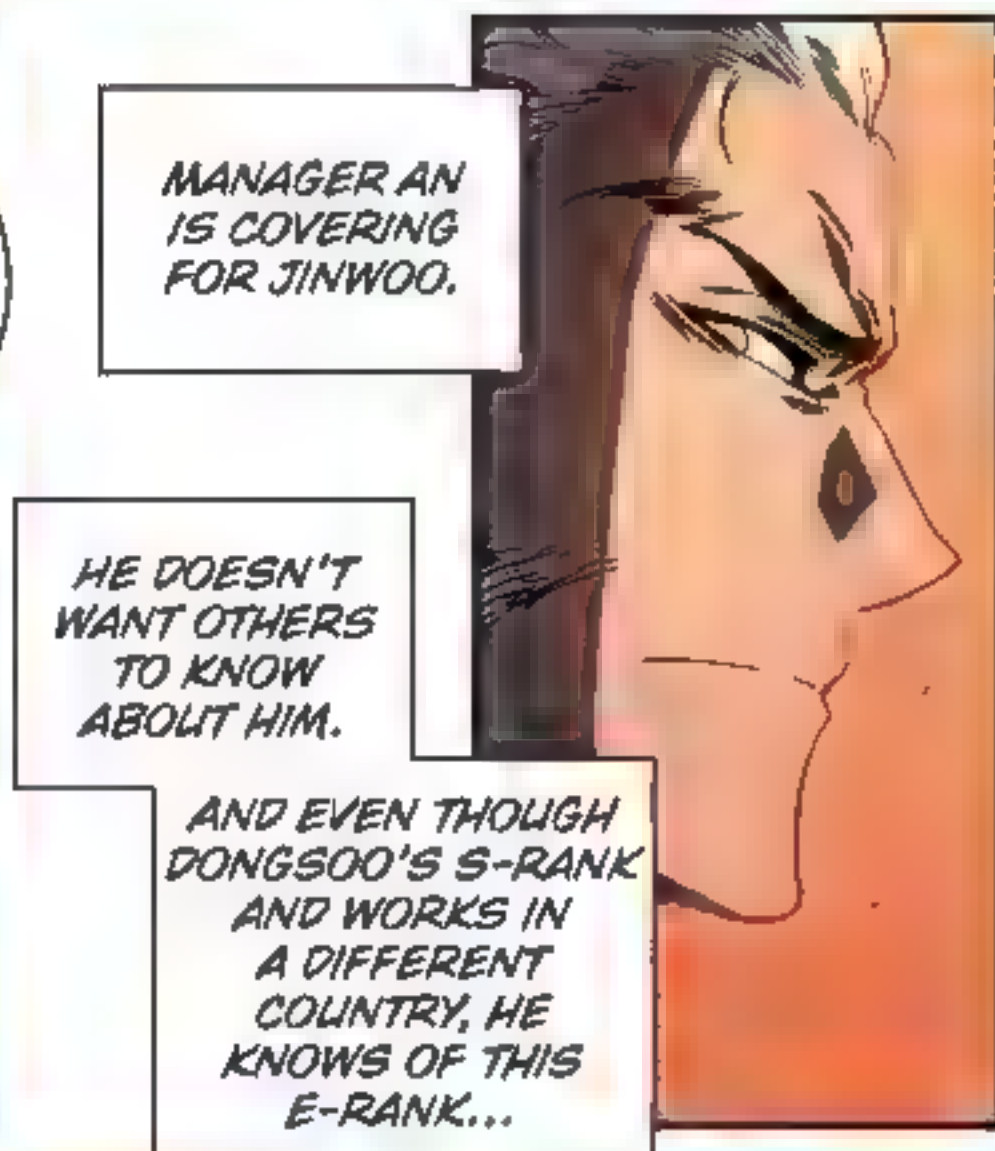






I'VE
KNOWN HIM
FOR A LONG
TIME.

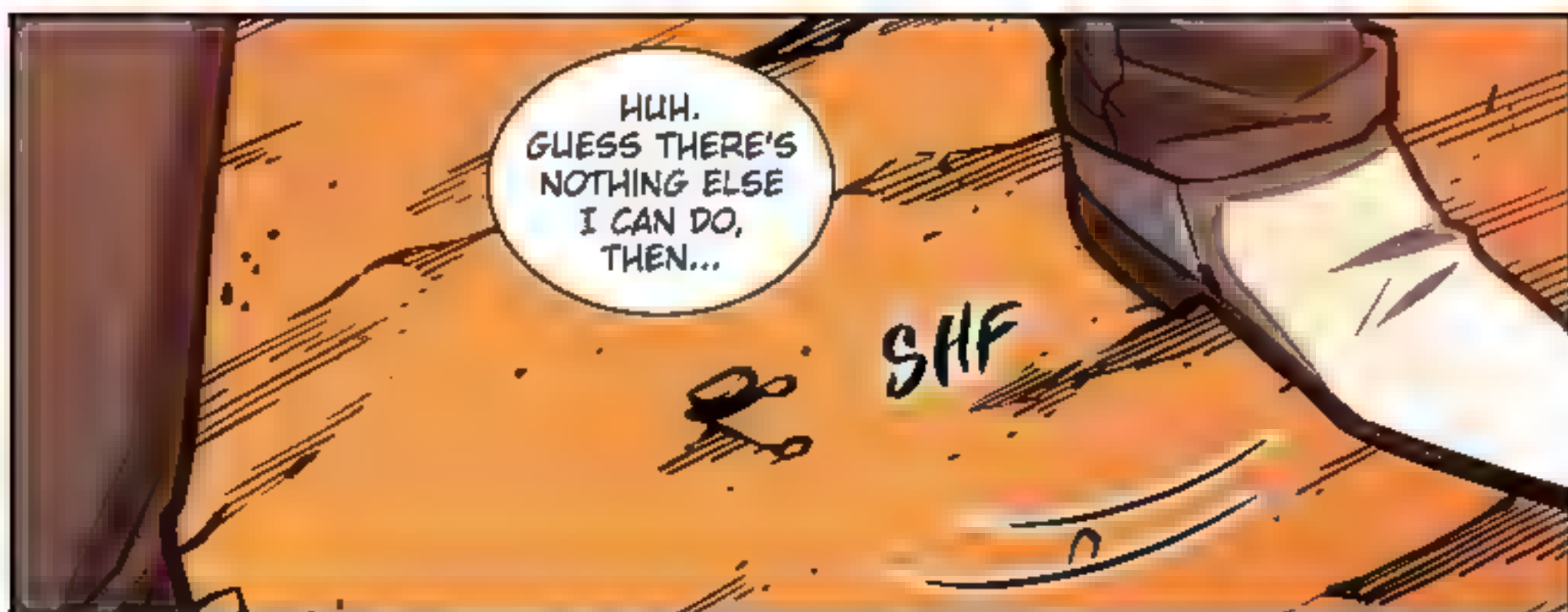
HE ASKED ME
IF HE COULD
PARTICIPATE IN
THIS RAID TO
MAKE SOME
MONEY.



MANAGER AN
IS COVERING
FOR JINWOO.

HE DOESN'T
WANT OTHERS
TO KNOW
ABOUT HIM.

AND EVEN THOUGH
DONGSOO'S S-RANK
AND WORKS IN
A DIFFERENT
COUNTRY, HE
KNOWS OF THIS
E-RANK...



HUH.
GUESS THERE'S
NOTHING ELSE
I CAN DO,
THEN...

SHF



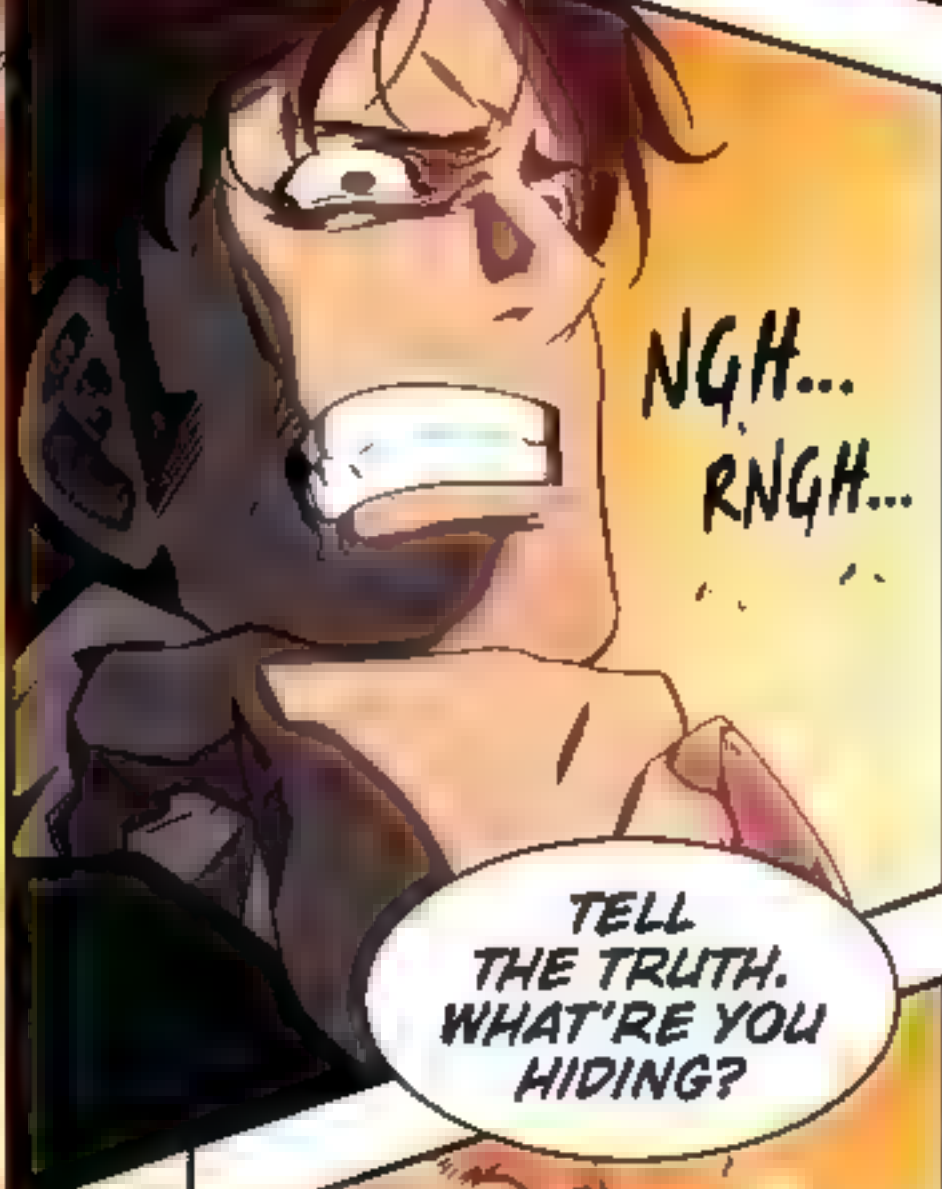
...DID YOU
REALLY THINK
I'D SAY
THAT?

GRAB!



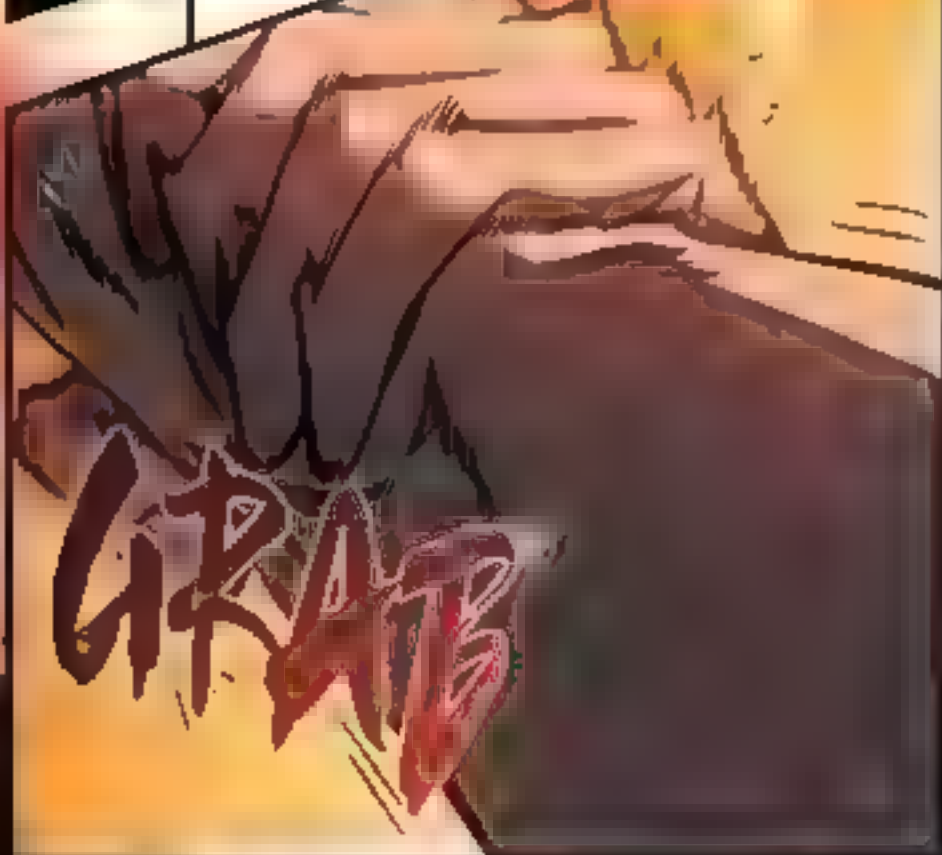
YOU HAVE
A KNACK FOR
DISCOVERING
HUNTERS OF
INTEREST...

...BUT
SOMETHING'S
UP.



NGH...
RNGH...

TELL
THE TRUTH.
WHAT'RE YOU
HIDING?

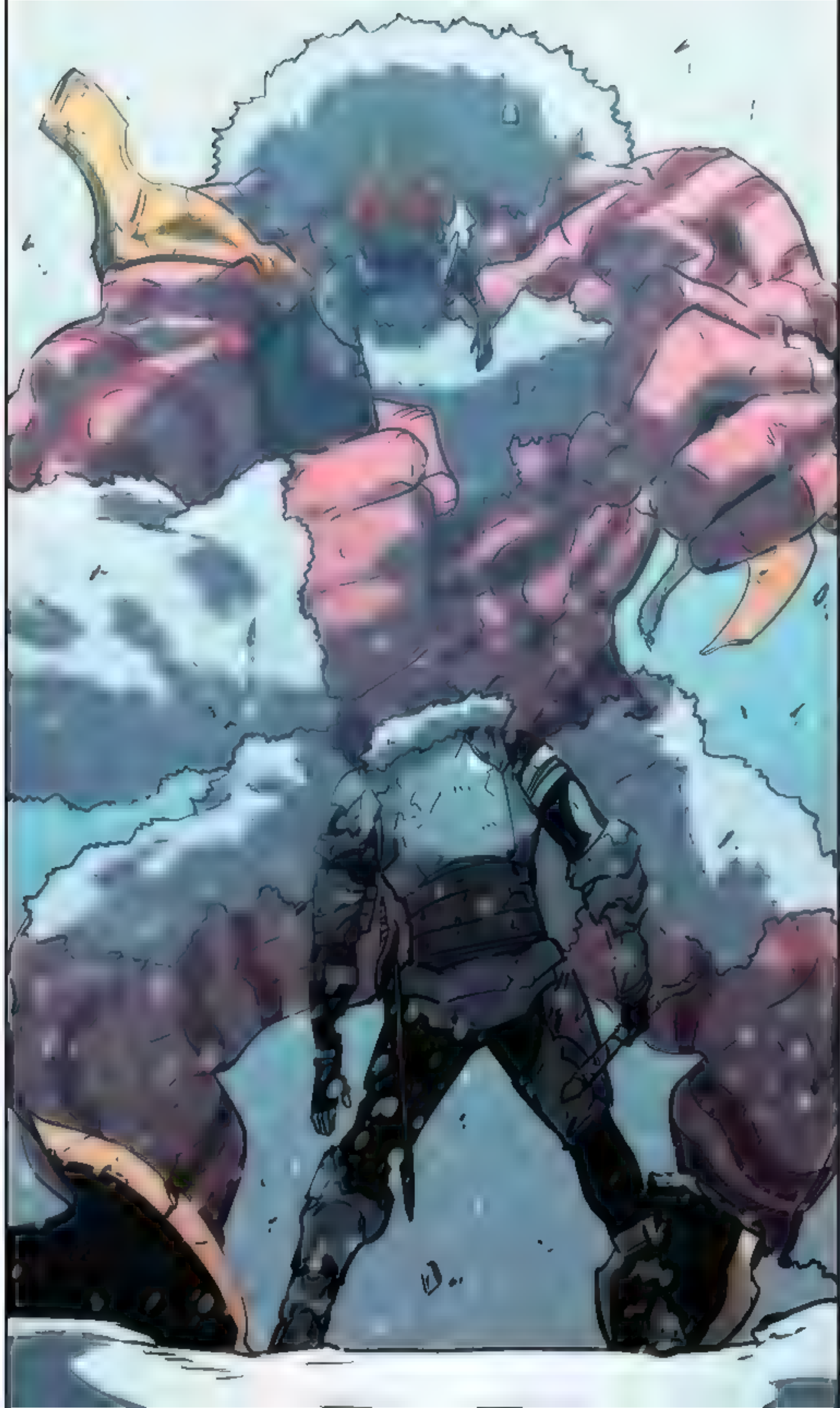


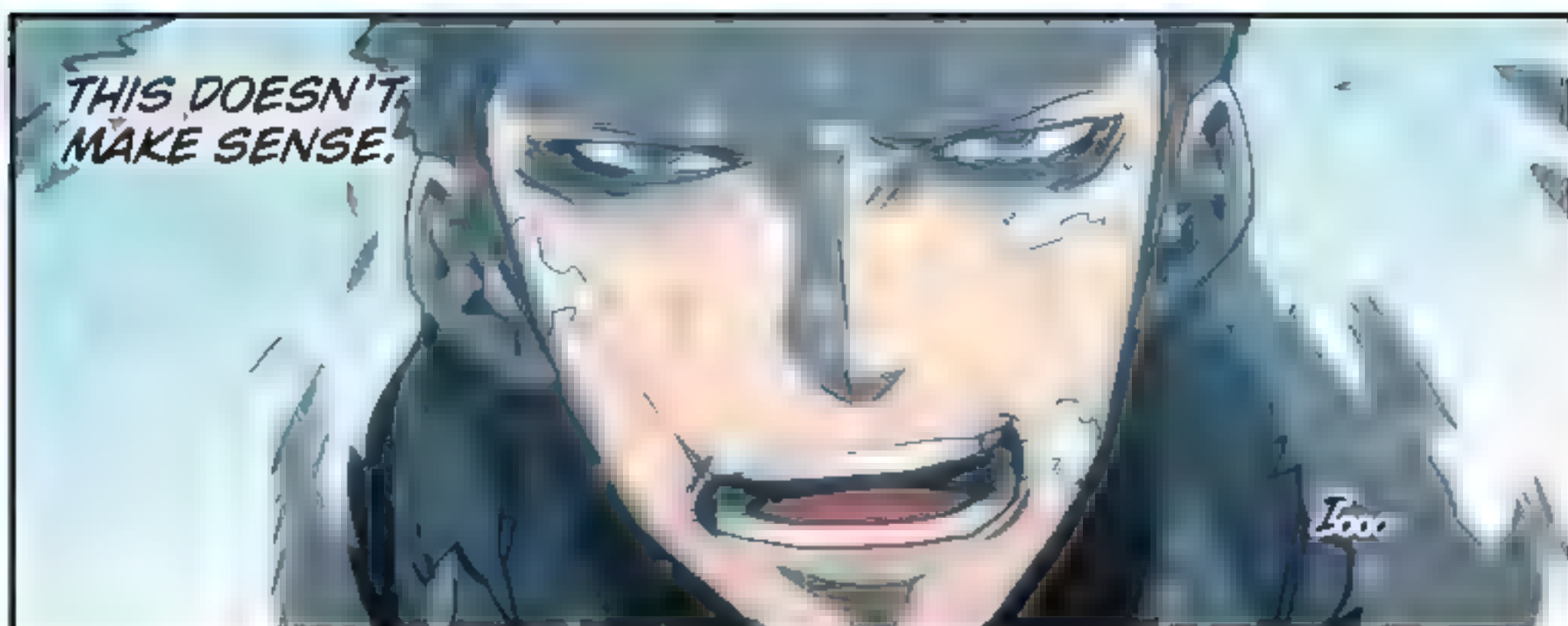
GRAB!











LACK OF
FOOD ISN'T
MY FAULT,
IS IT?

NO...IT'S MY
RESPONSIBILITY
BECAUSE I'M
THE LEADER...
RIGHT...

I'M THE
STRIKE-SQUAD
LEADER...

THE
LEADER OF...
THE STRIKE
SQUAD.

SHUN



ICE...

...ICE
SLAYERS!

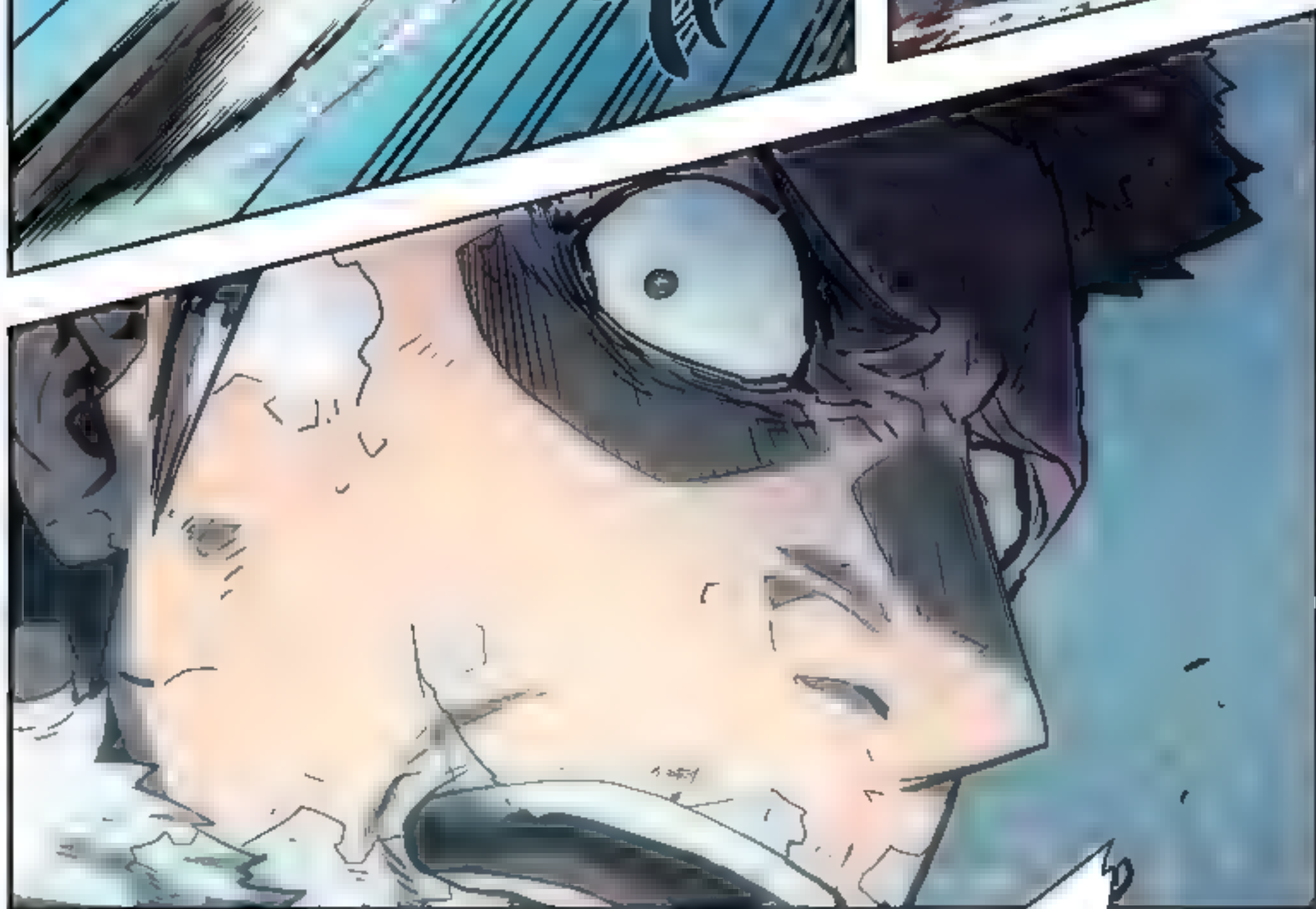
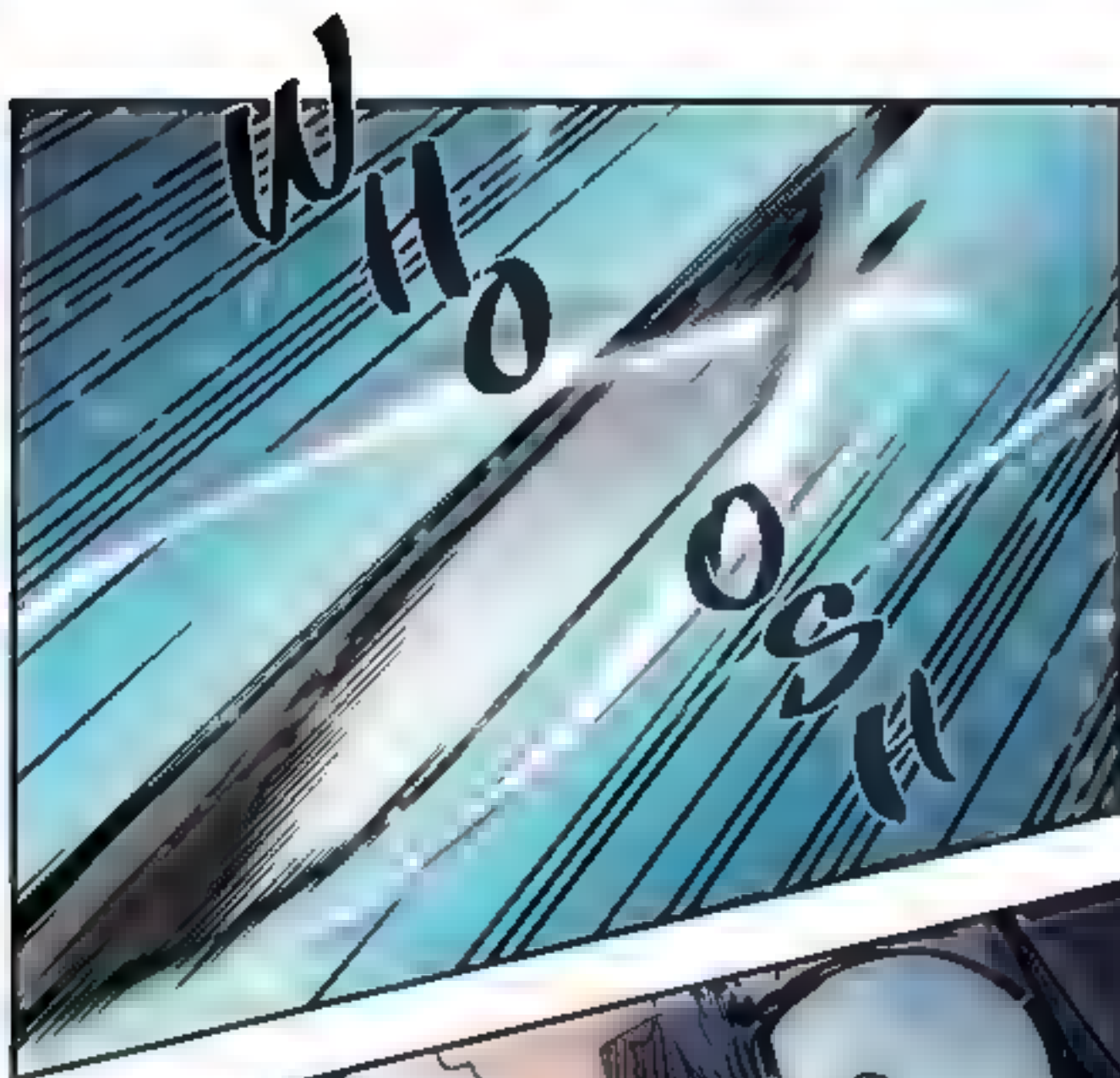


YETIS,
AND NOW ICE
SLAYERS...



B-BOSS...!

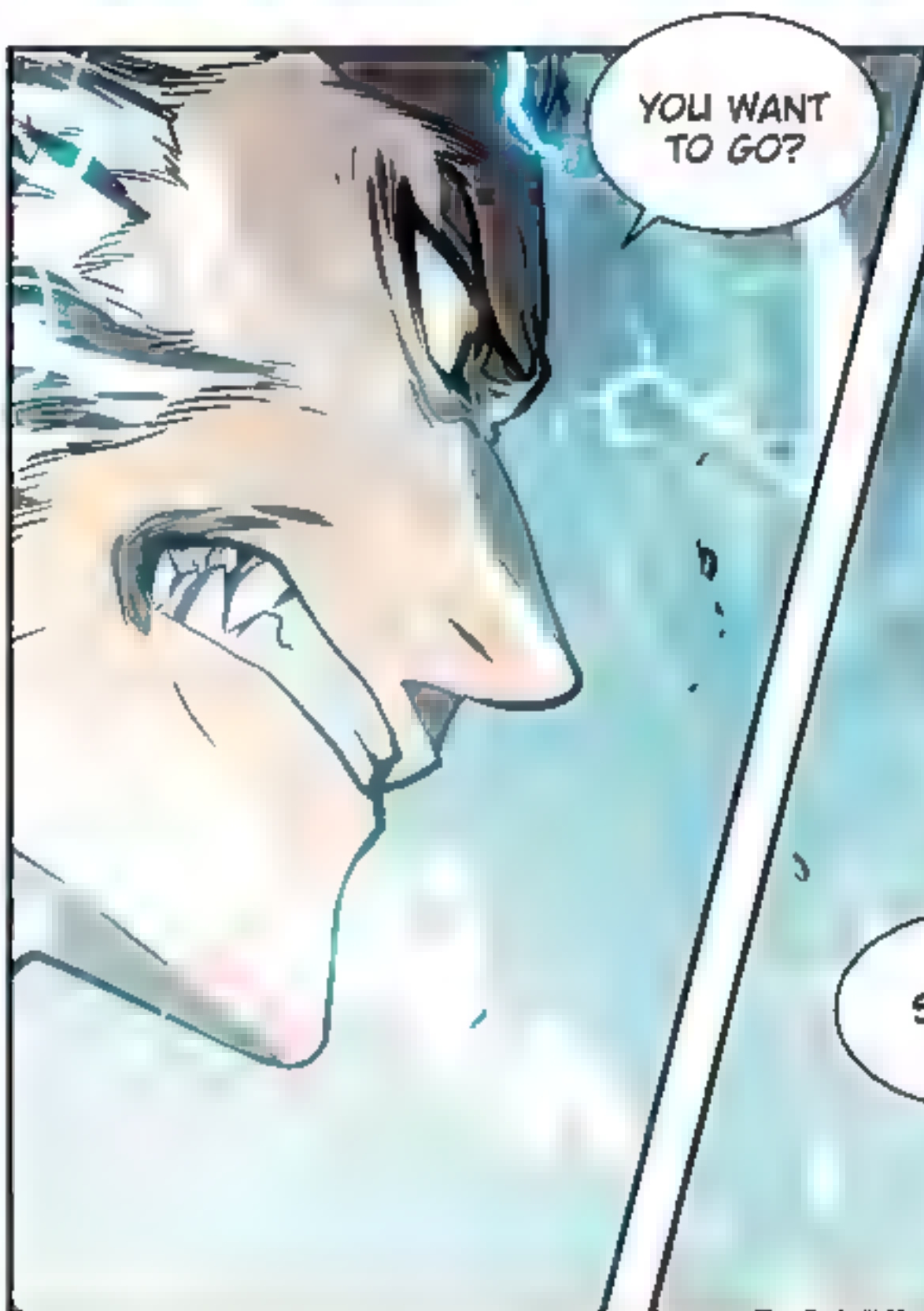
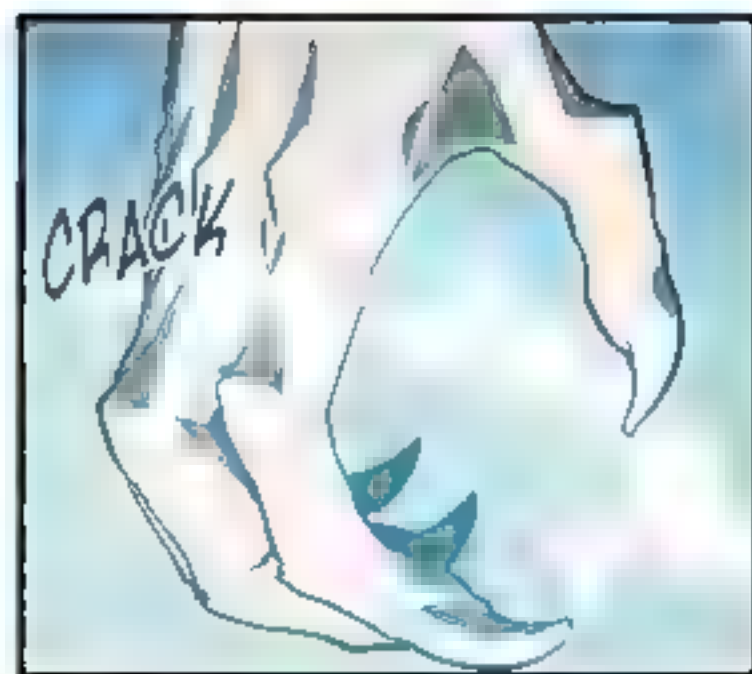




NOOOOO!!

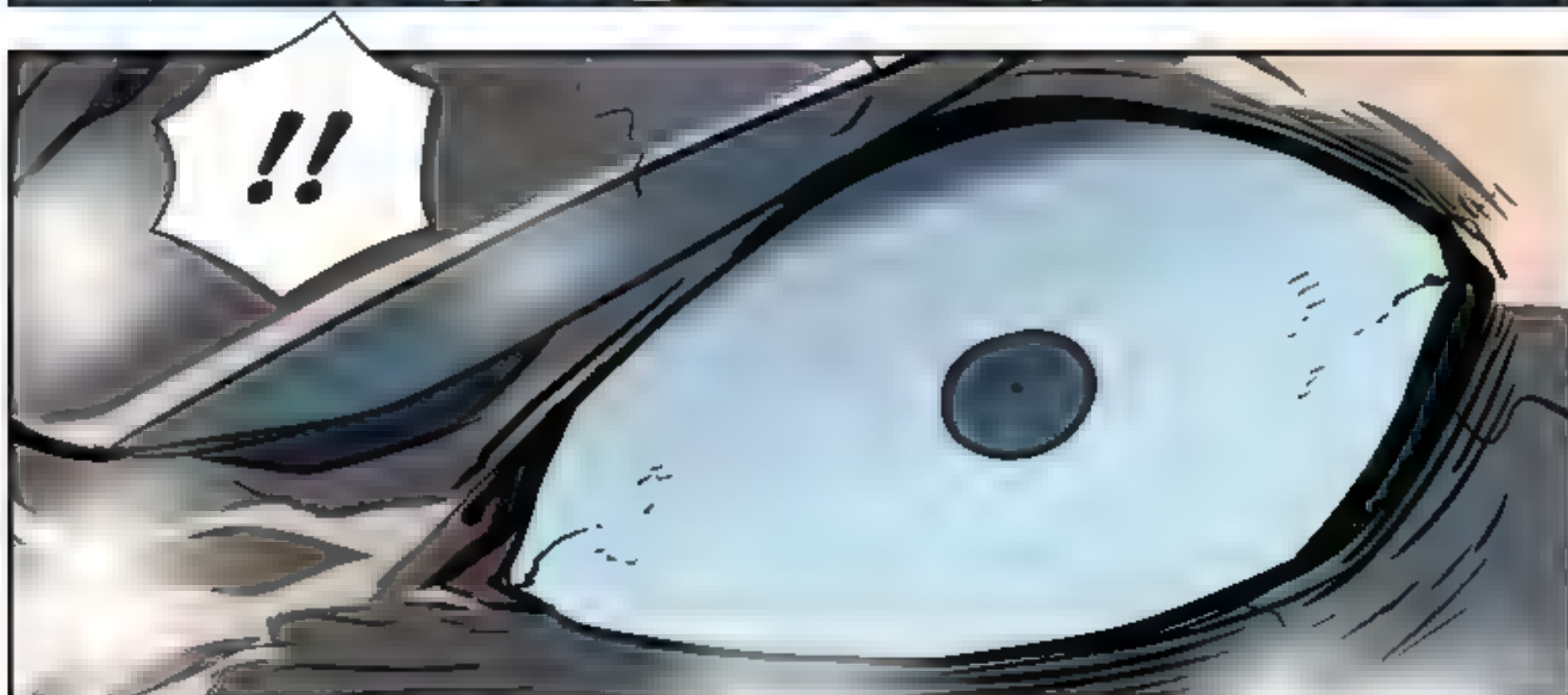










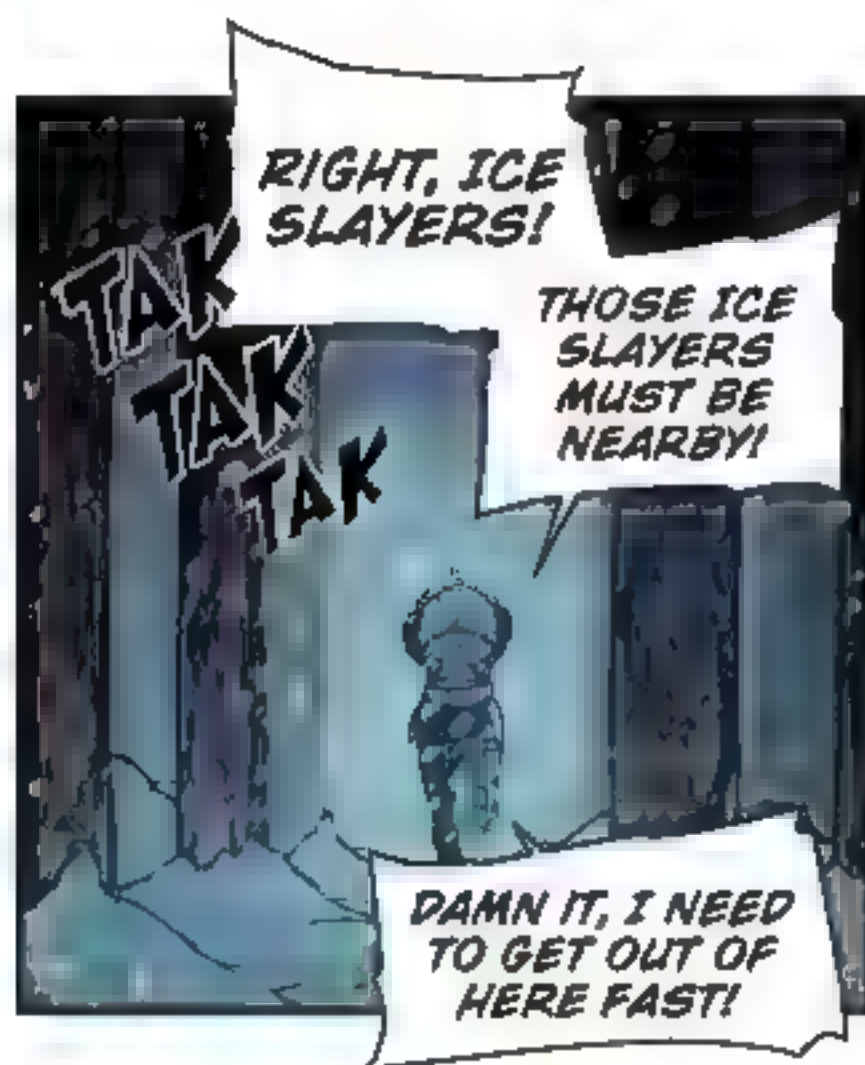




NO WONDER I
HAVEN'T SEEN ANY
ICE BEARS SINCE
I ENTERED THE
FOREST!

NO WAY...
DID THEY
KILL THESE
BEARS?

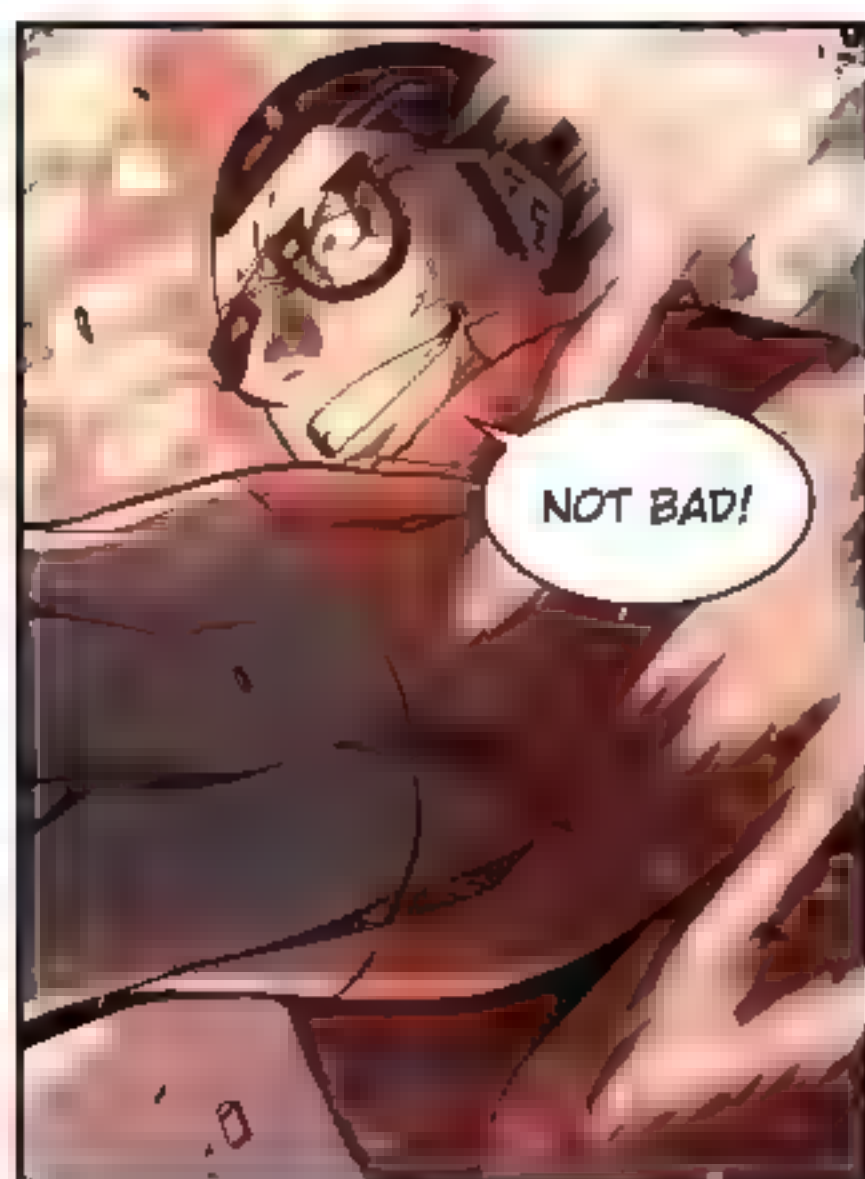
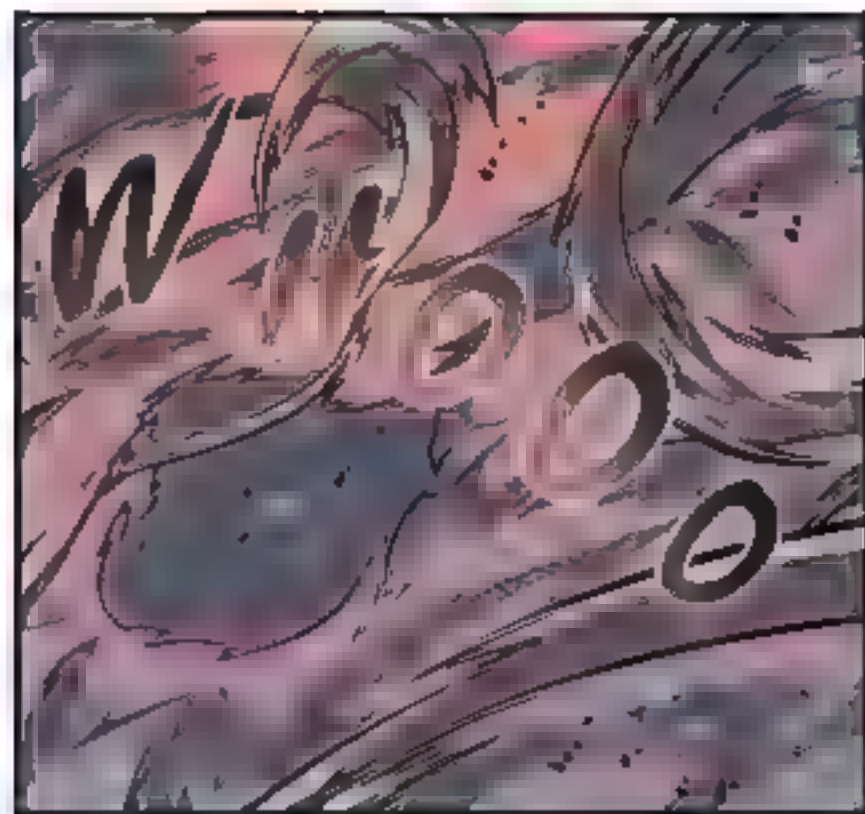
NO,
IT'S NOT
POSSIBLE
WITH THEIR
ABILITIES.



RIGHT, ICE
SLAYERS!

THOSE ICE
SLAYERS
MUST BE
NEARBY!

DAMN IT, I NEED
TO GET OUT OF
HERE FAST!



NOT BAD!



YOU
STOPPED
BOTH OF
US.

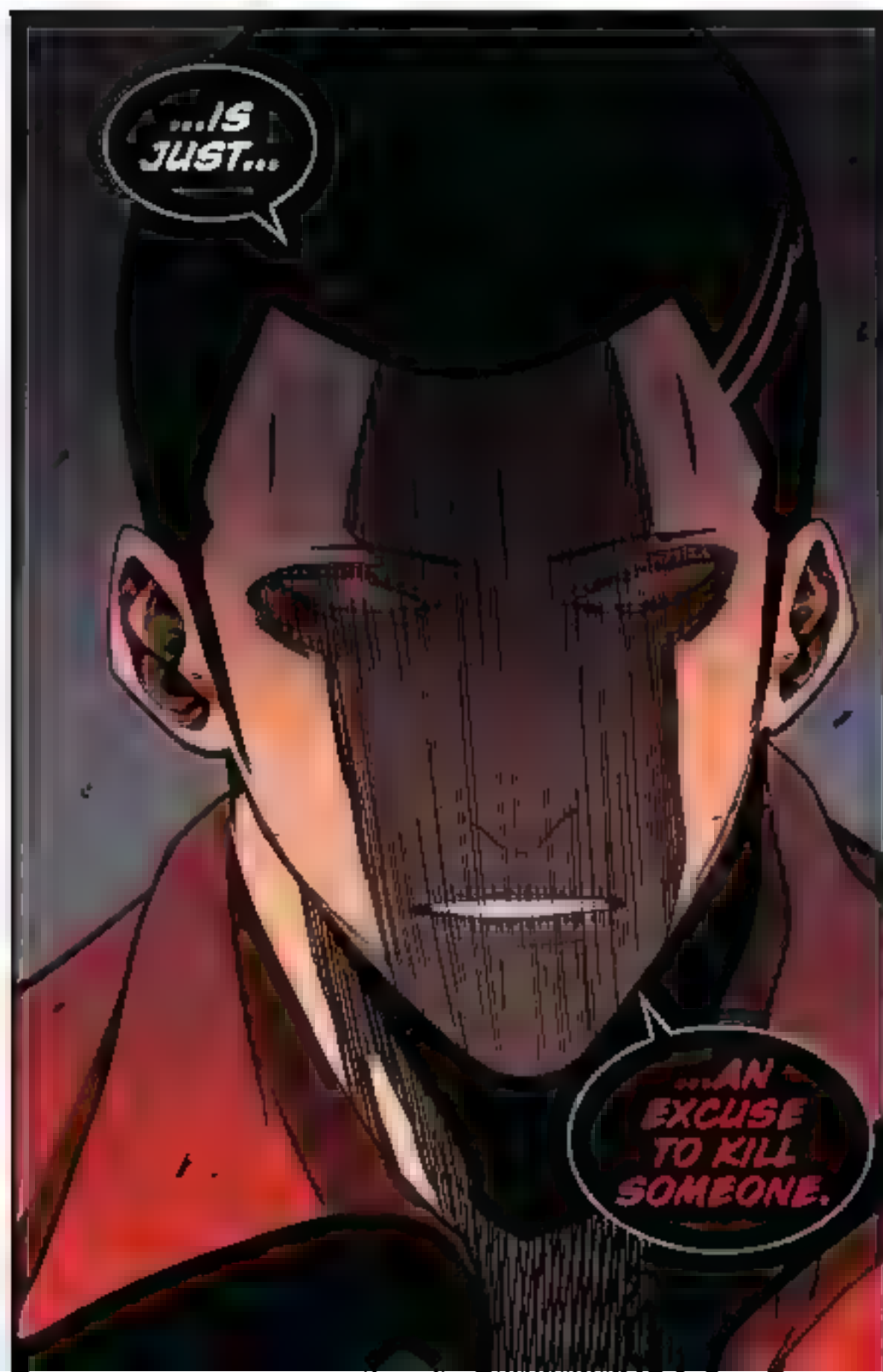


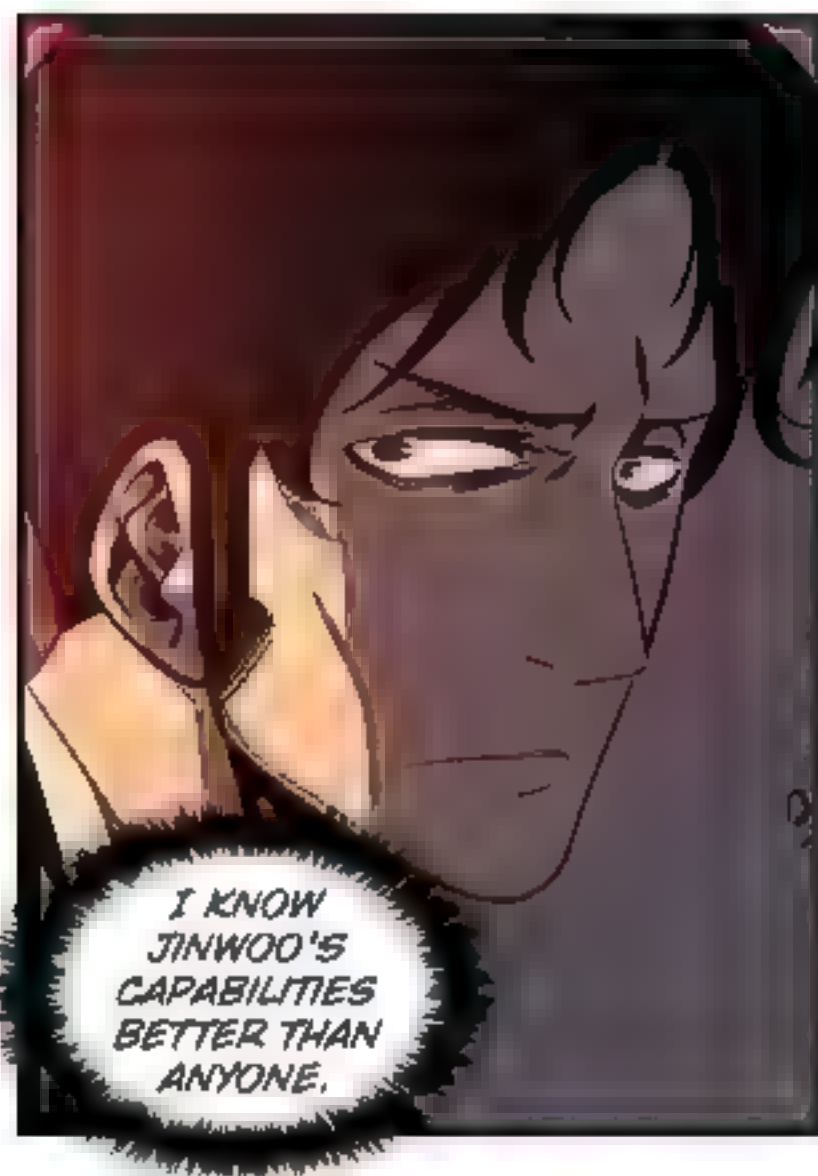
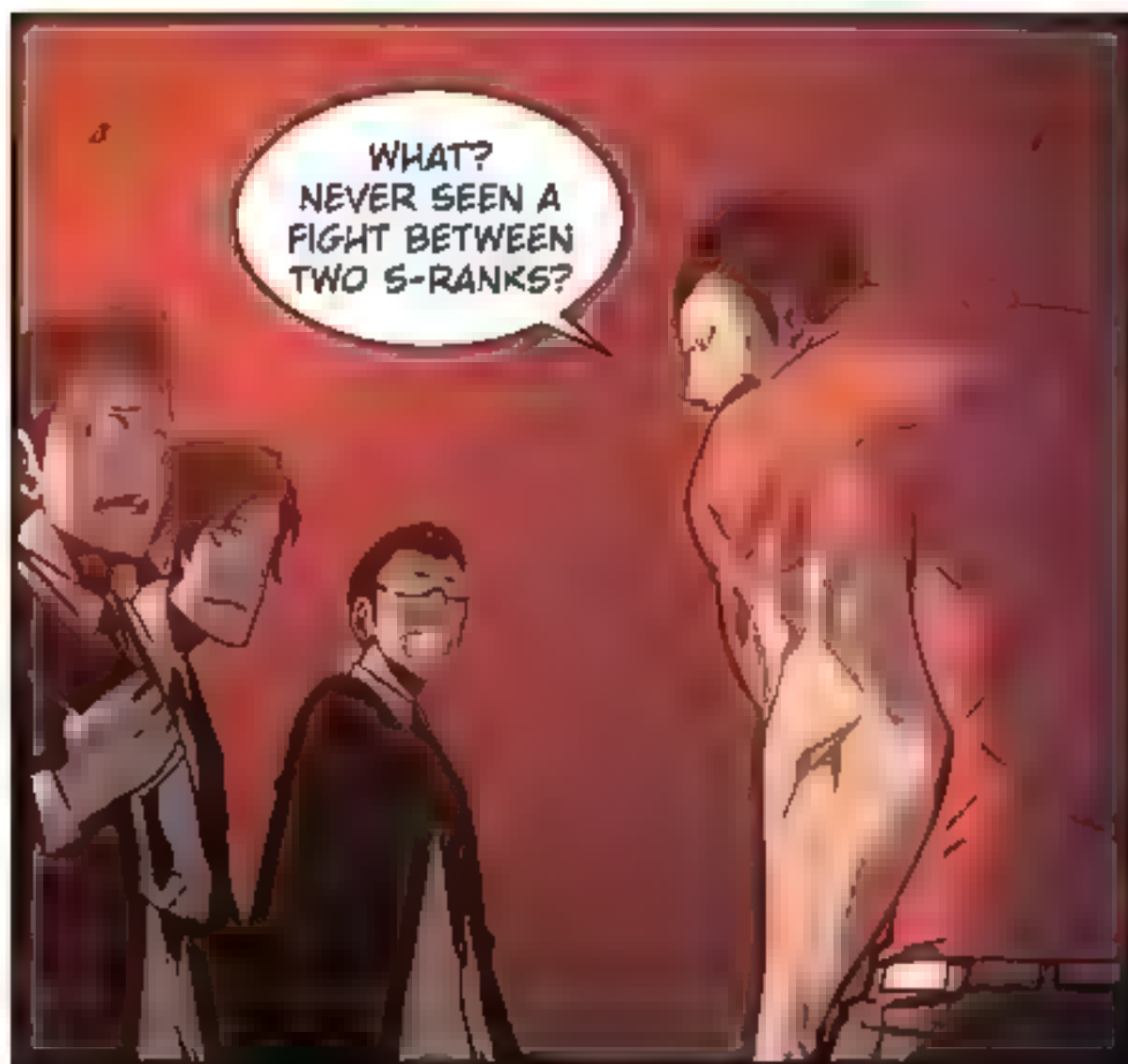
TREMBLE

IF YOU TWO
HADN'T POWERED
DOWN AT THE END,
YOU WOULD'VE
BROKEN MY
ARMS.

I WAS THE ONE
WHO SUSPECTED
JINWOO'S
REAWAKENING.

HOWEVER,
HE WAS STILL
AN E-RANK TWO
MONTHS AGO WHEN I
MEASURED HIS MAGIC
POWER USING THE
BEST ESSENCE
STONE.







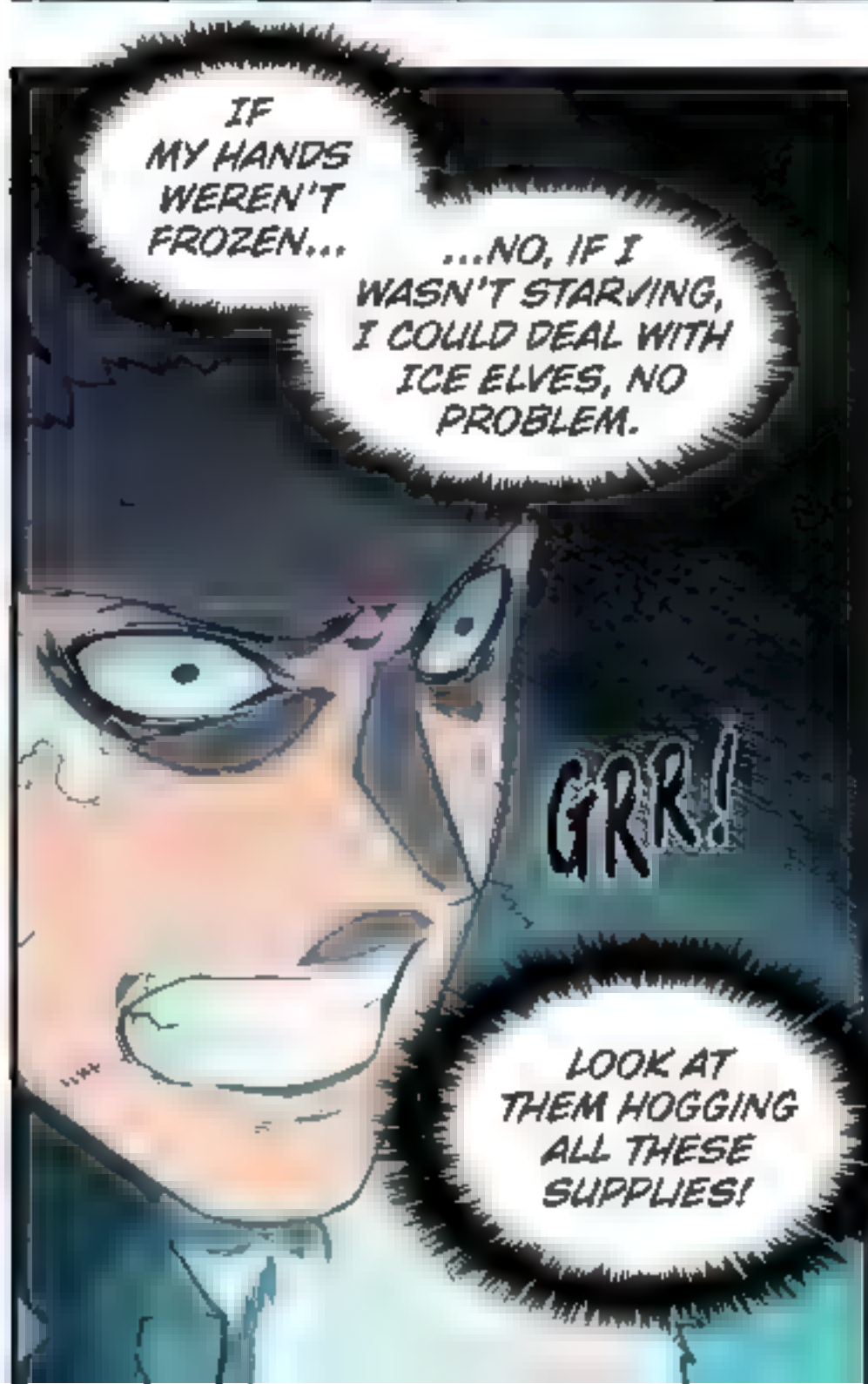
WHAT THE
HELL IS
GOING ON?

THEY'RE ALL
LOWER-RANK
HUNTERS! HOW
ARE THEY STILL
ALIVE?



WINTER
COATS,
BLANKETS,
A TENT, AND
CAMPING
GEAR...

AND
FOOD
TOO!



IF
MY HANDS
WEREN'T
FROZEN...

...NO, IF I
WASN'T STARVING,
I COULD DEAL WITH
ICE ELVES, NO
PROBLEM.

GRR!

LOOK AT
THEM HOGGING
ALL THESE
SUPPLIES!



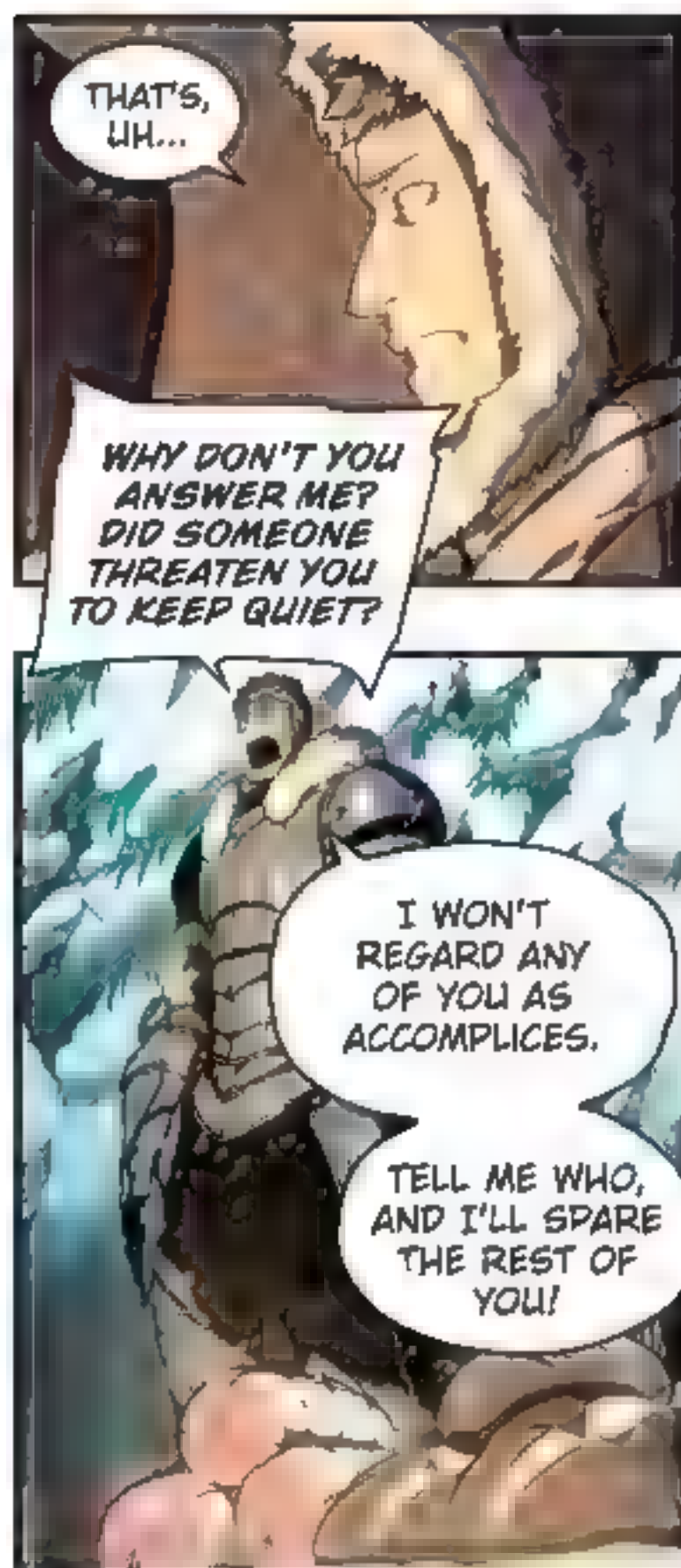
**YOU
BASTARDS!**



CHUL KIM?
WHAT ARE YOU
DOING HERE?

OUR TEAM FAILED
BECAUSE WE
DIDN'T HAVE
ENOUGH FOOD
AND TOOLS.

SO HOW DO
YOU HAVE
ALL THESE
SUPPLIES?



THAT'S,
UH...

WHY DON'T YOU
ANSWER ME?
DID SOMEONE
THREATEN YOU
TO KEEP QUIET?

I WON'T
REGARD ANY
OF YOU AS
ACCOMPLICES.

TELL ME WHO,
AND I'LL SPARE
THE REST OF
YOU!

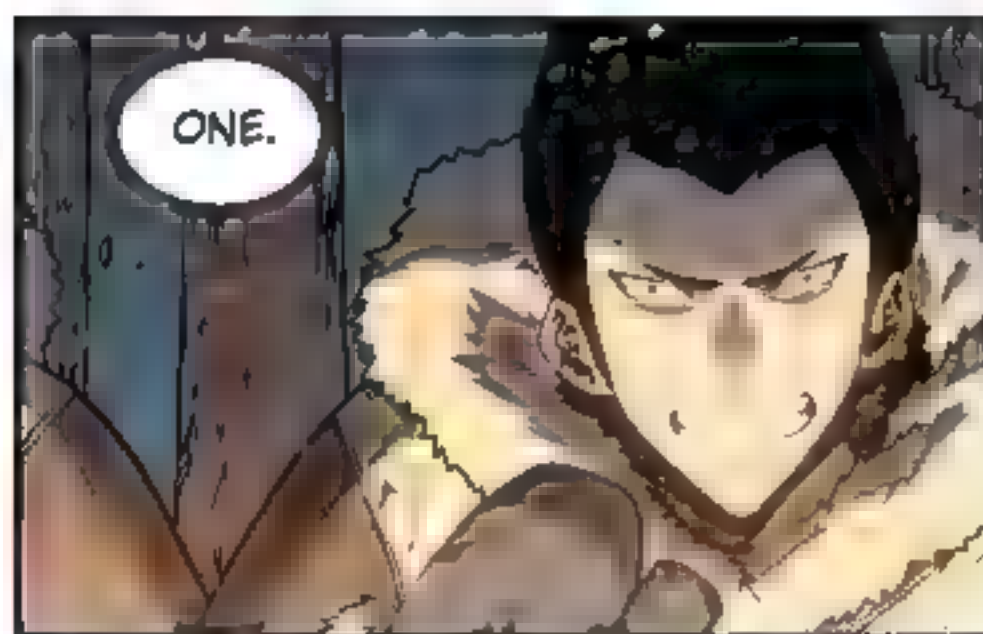


WHO HOARDED
ALL THE SUPPLIES
AND PUT US IN
DANGER?

S-SIS...

I'LL COUNT
TO THREE.

IF YOU DON'T
TELL ME WHO DID
THIS, THEN I'LL
CONSIDER ALL OF
YOU GUILTY!

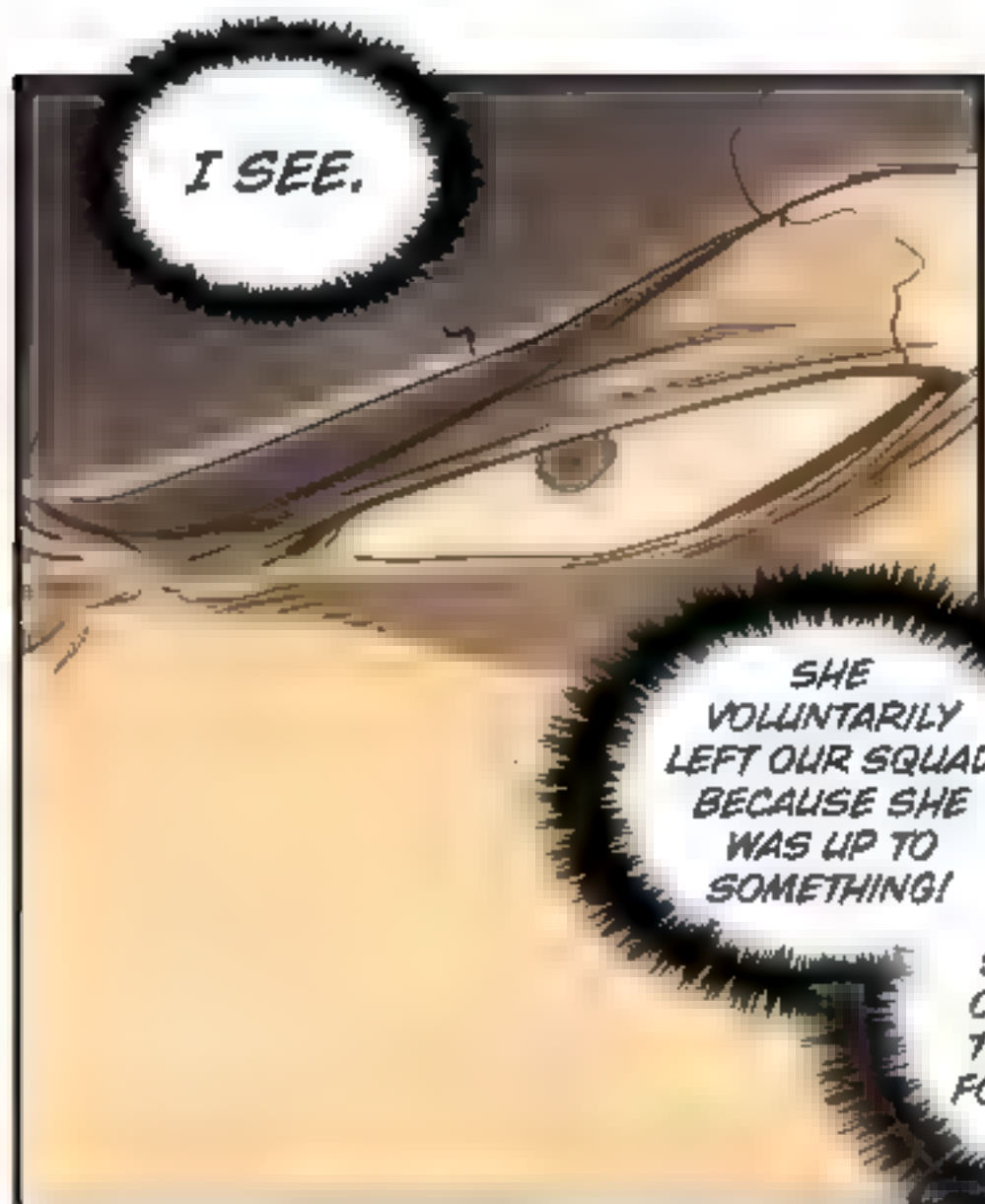


ONE.



TWO.

SHING



I SEE.

SHE
VOLUNTARILY
LEFT OUR SQUAD
BECAUSE SHE
WAS UP TO
SOMETHING!

SHE KNEW
SHE COULDN'T
SURVIVE ON HER
OWN AND WANTED
TO CONSERVE THE
FOOD IN A SMALLER
GROUP!

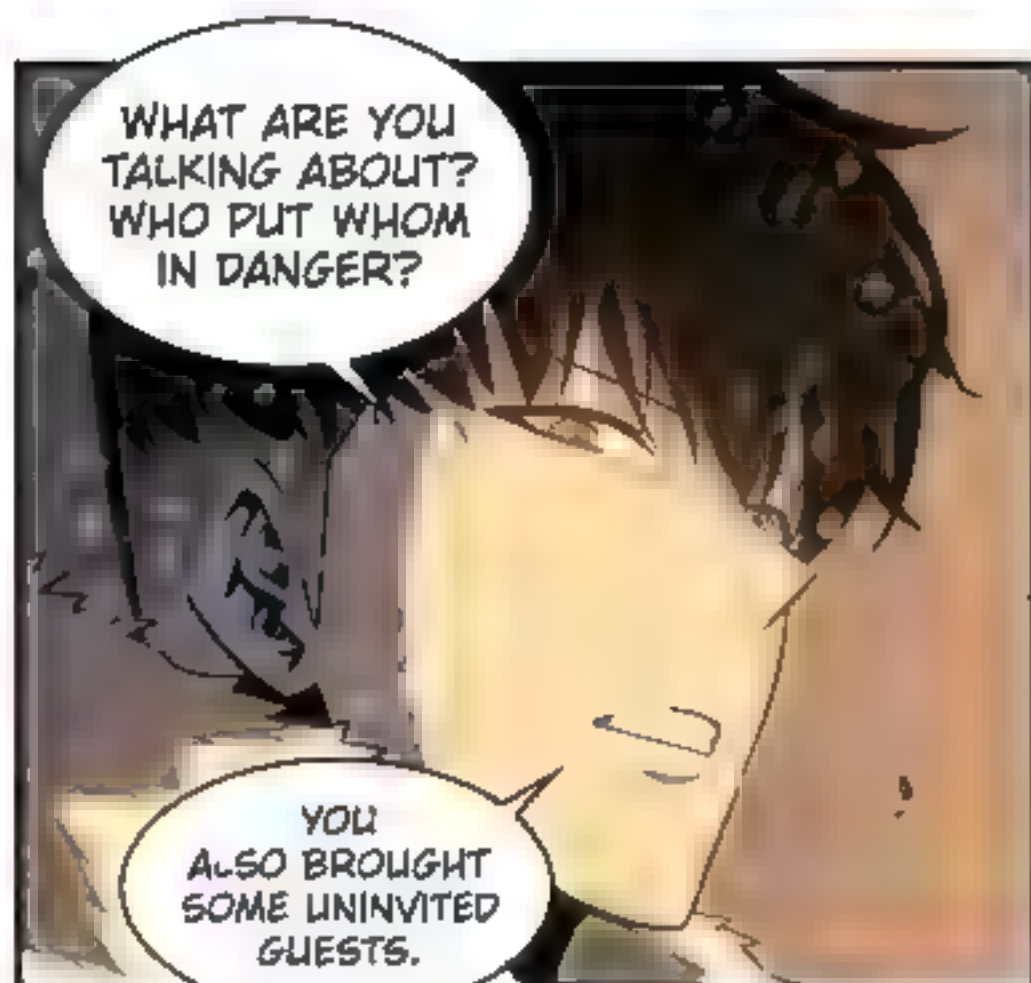


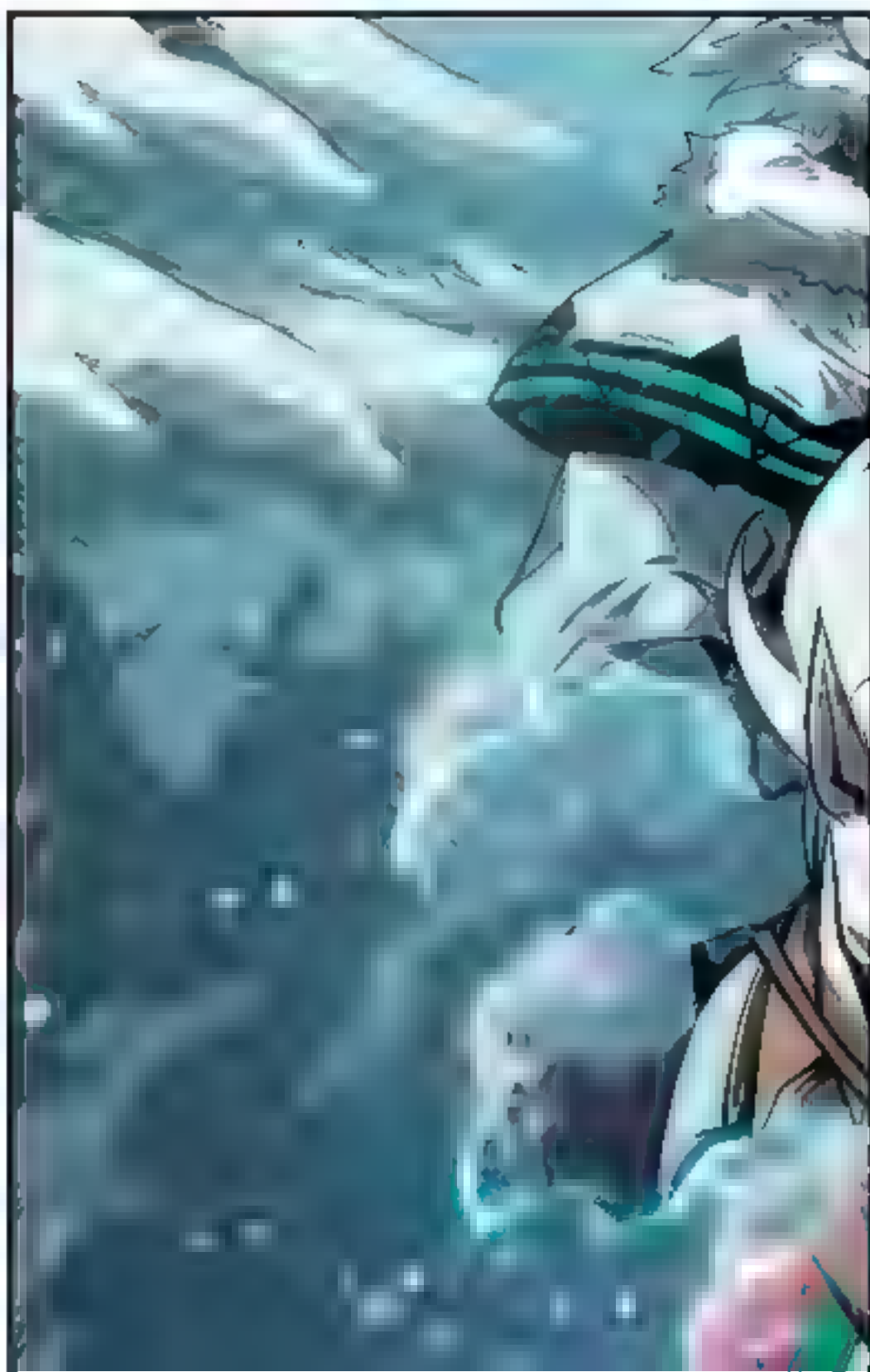
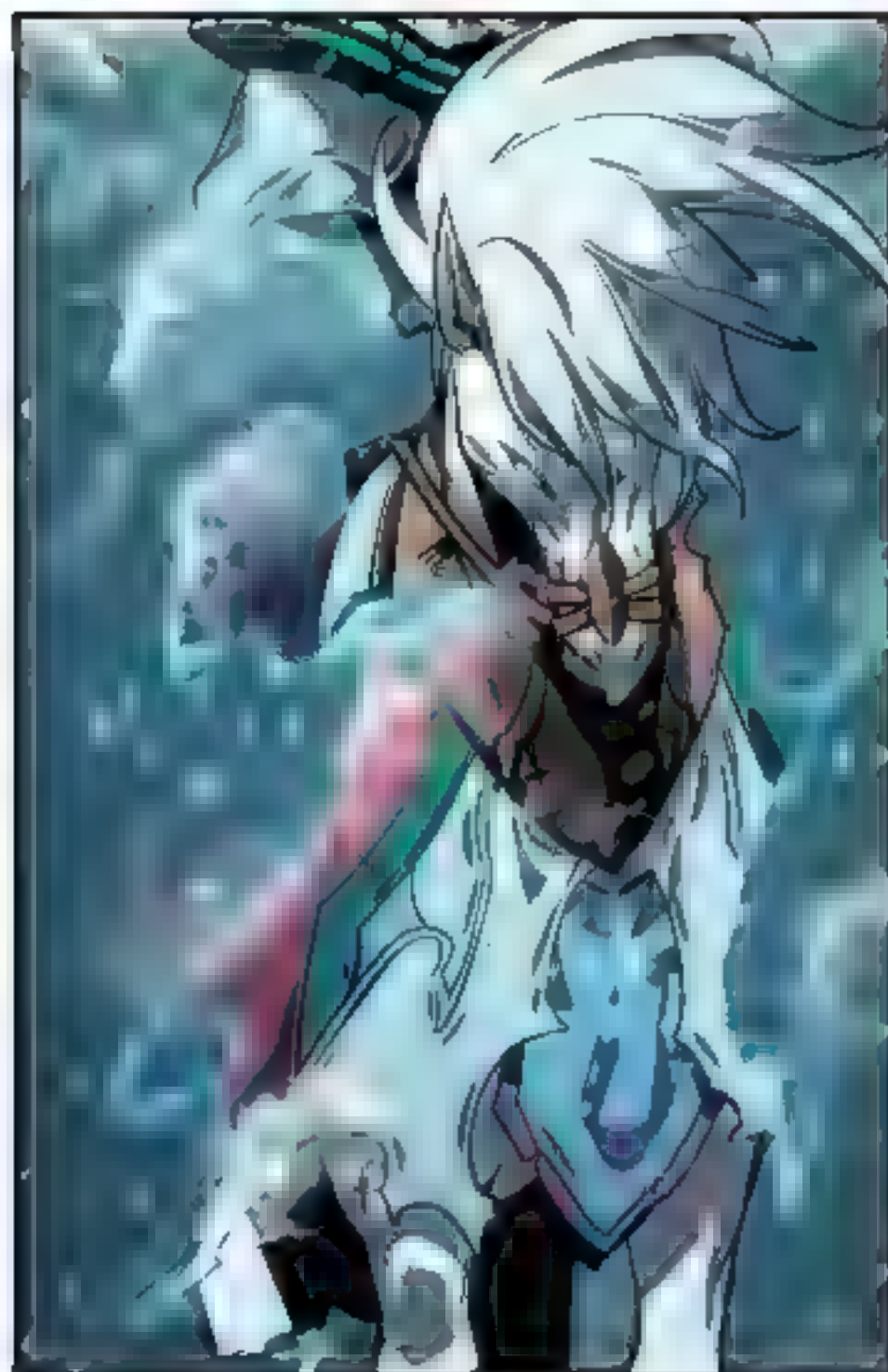
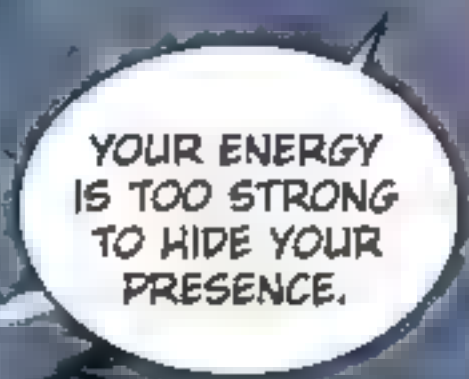
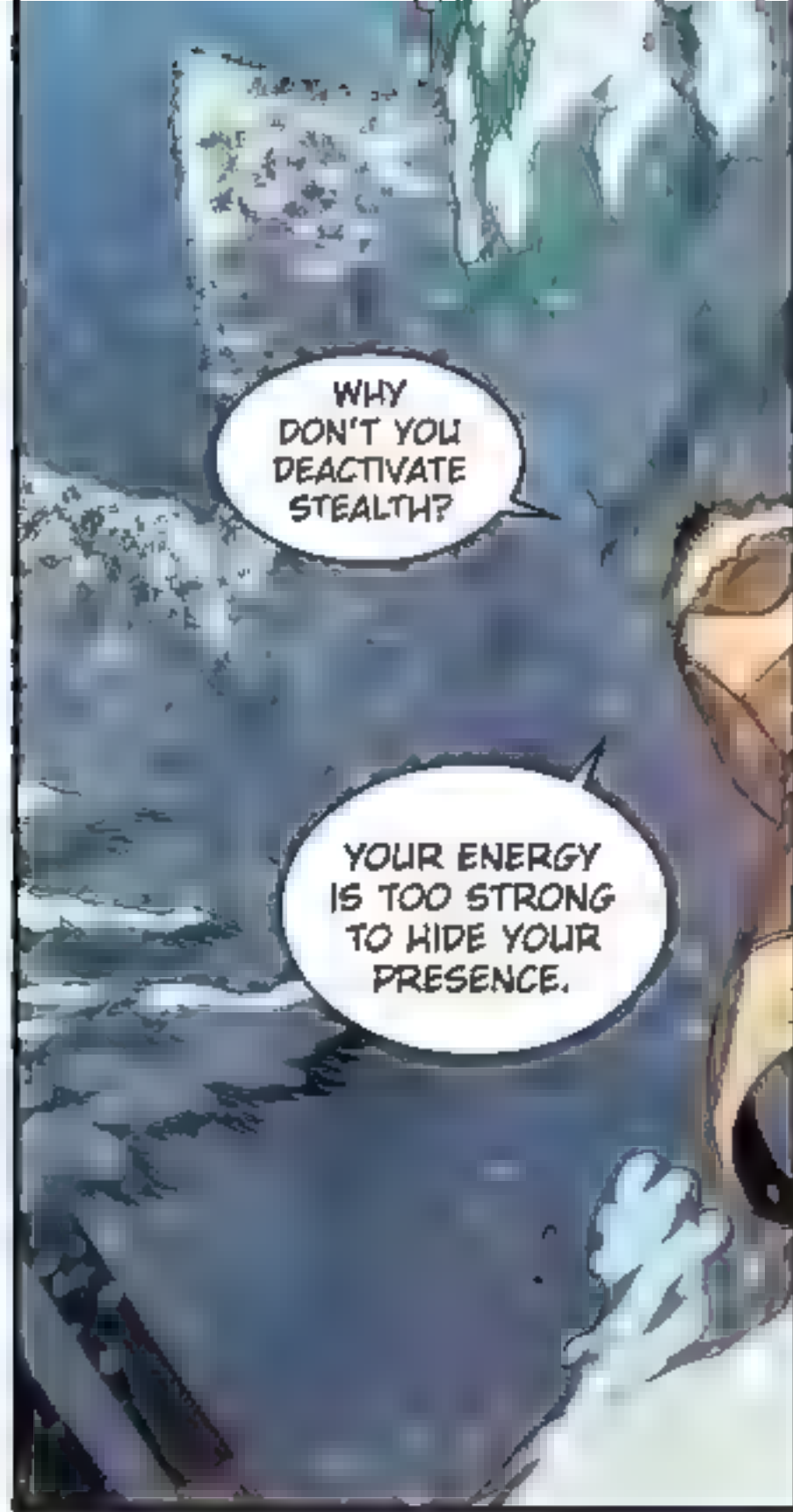
I ACCUSE
YOU, HEEJIN
PARK!

THREE!!



FOUR.







THE ENERGY
IT'S EMITTING
IS TERRIFYING.
IT HAS TO BE
THE BOSS.

I-ICE
ELVES!

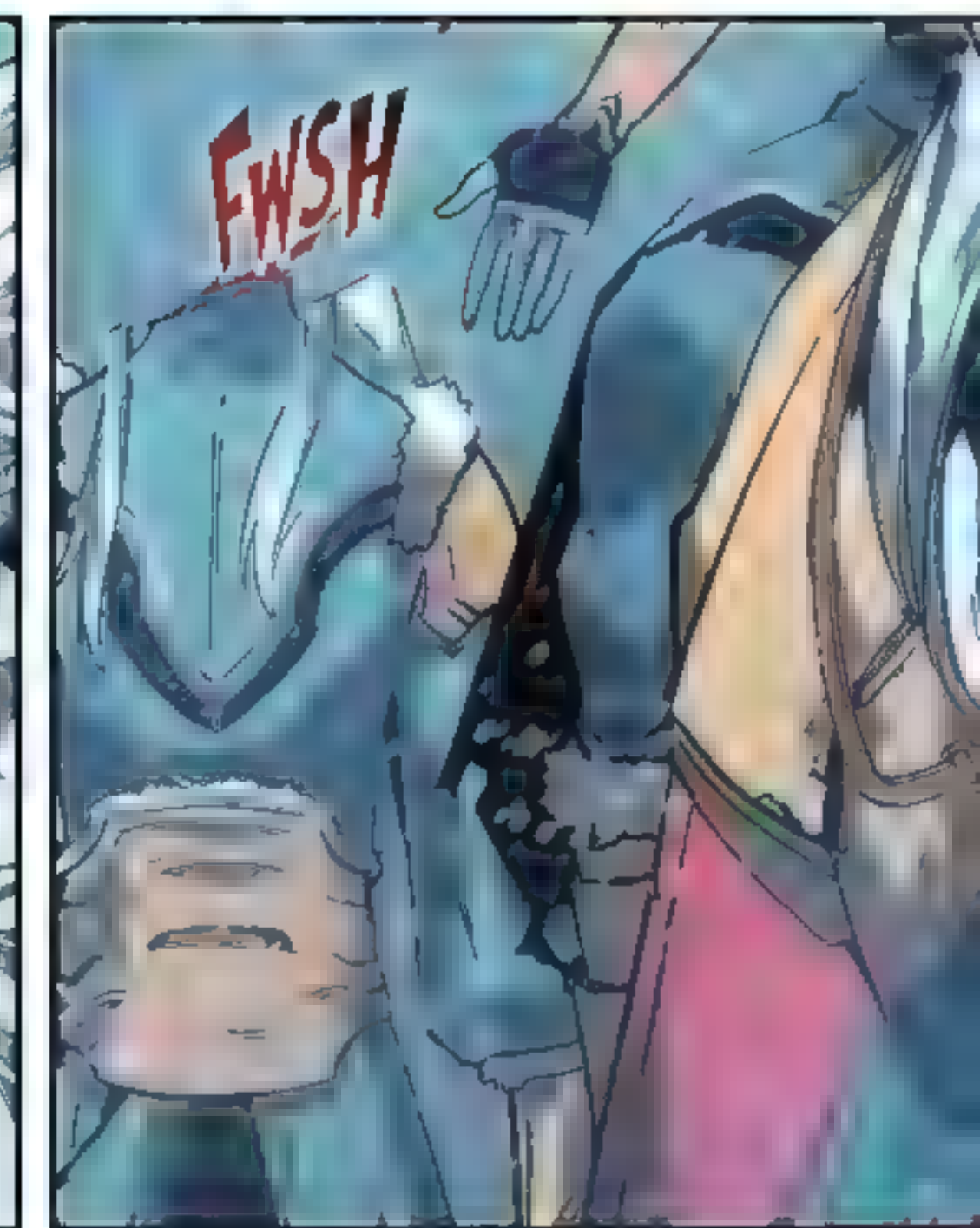
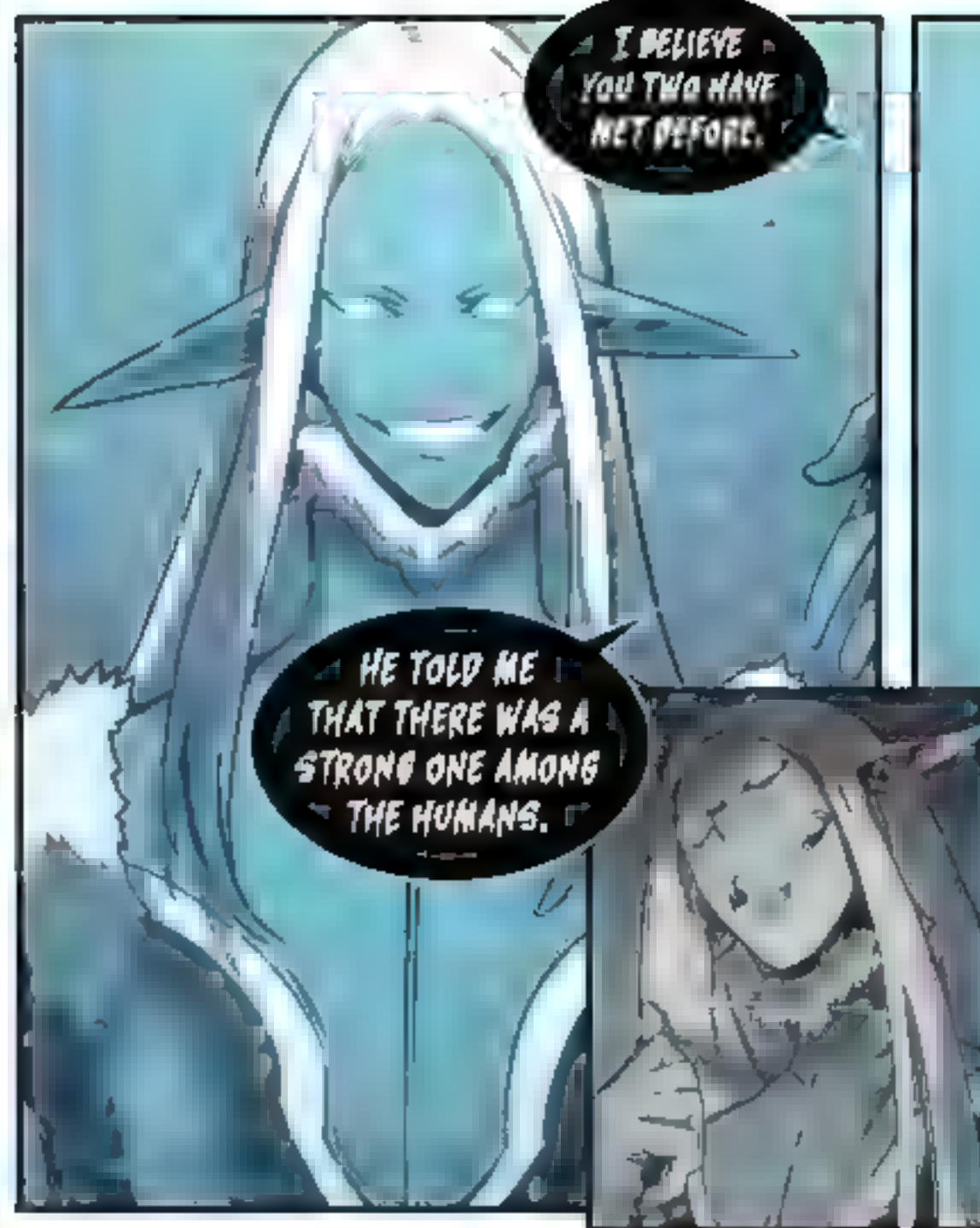
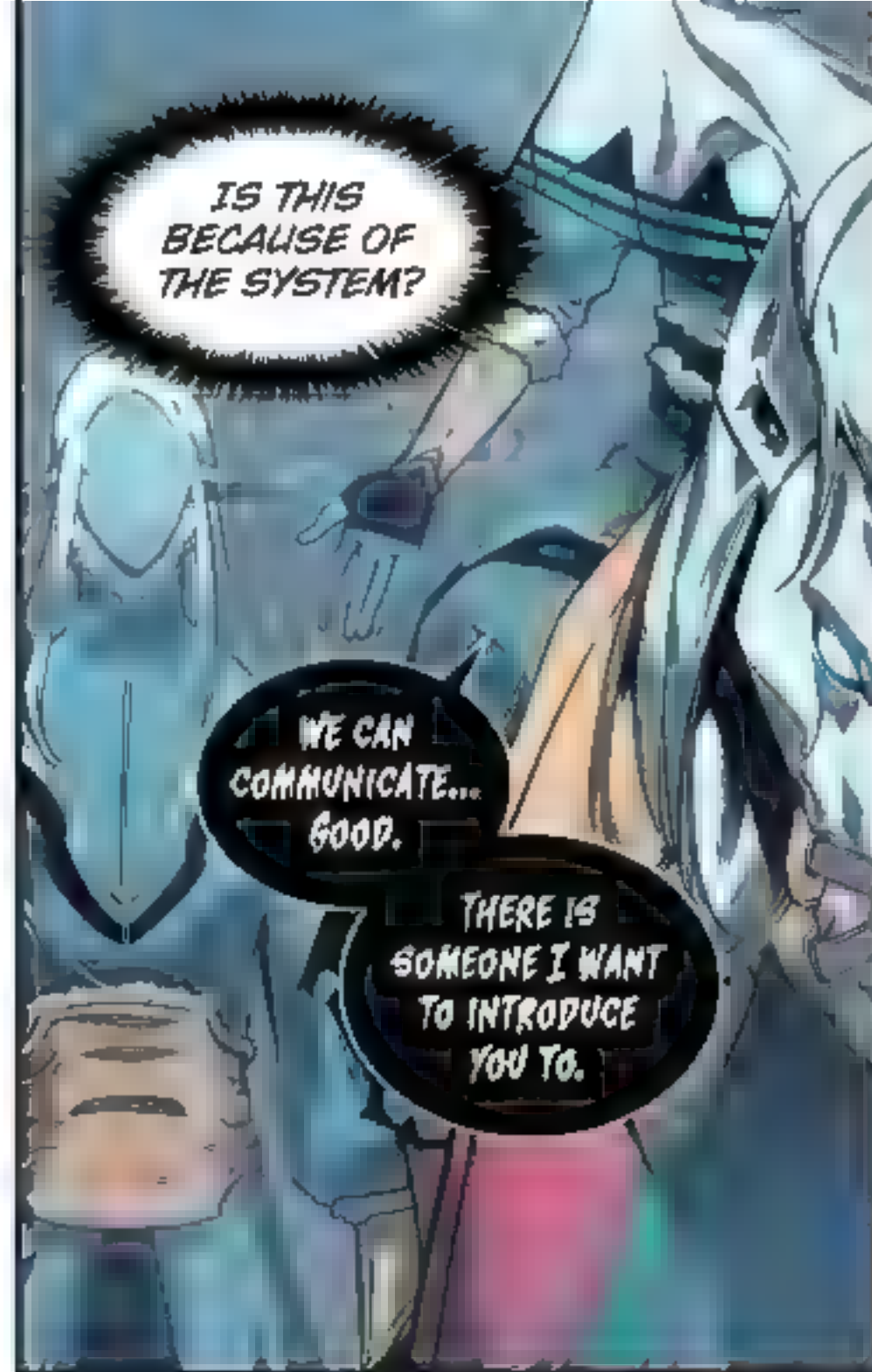
THERE
ARE SO
MANY OF
THEM!

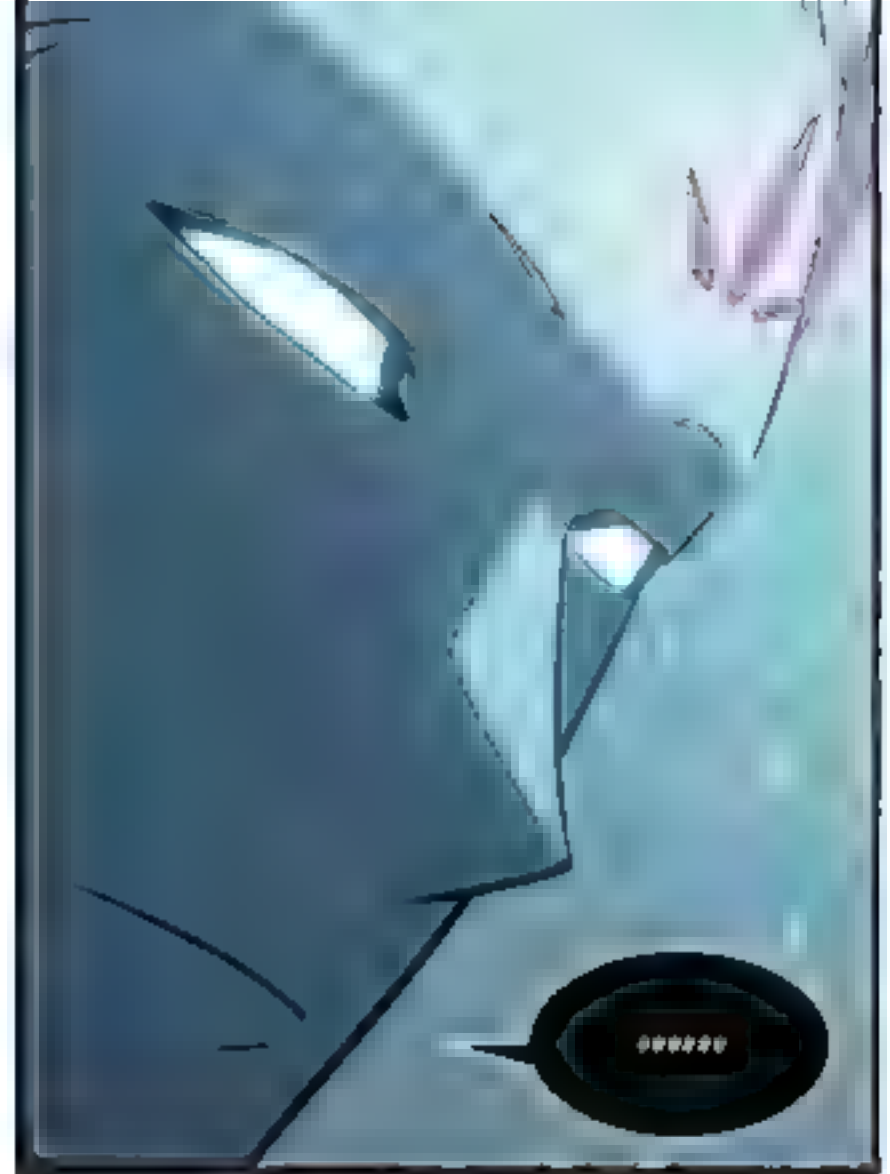
MORE THAN
TWENTY, IT
SEEMS!

FSHH

FSHH







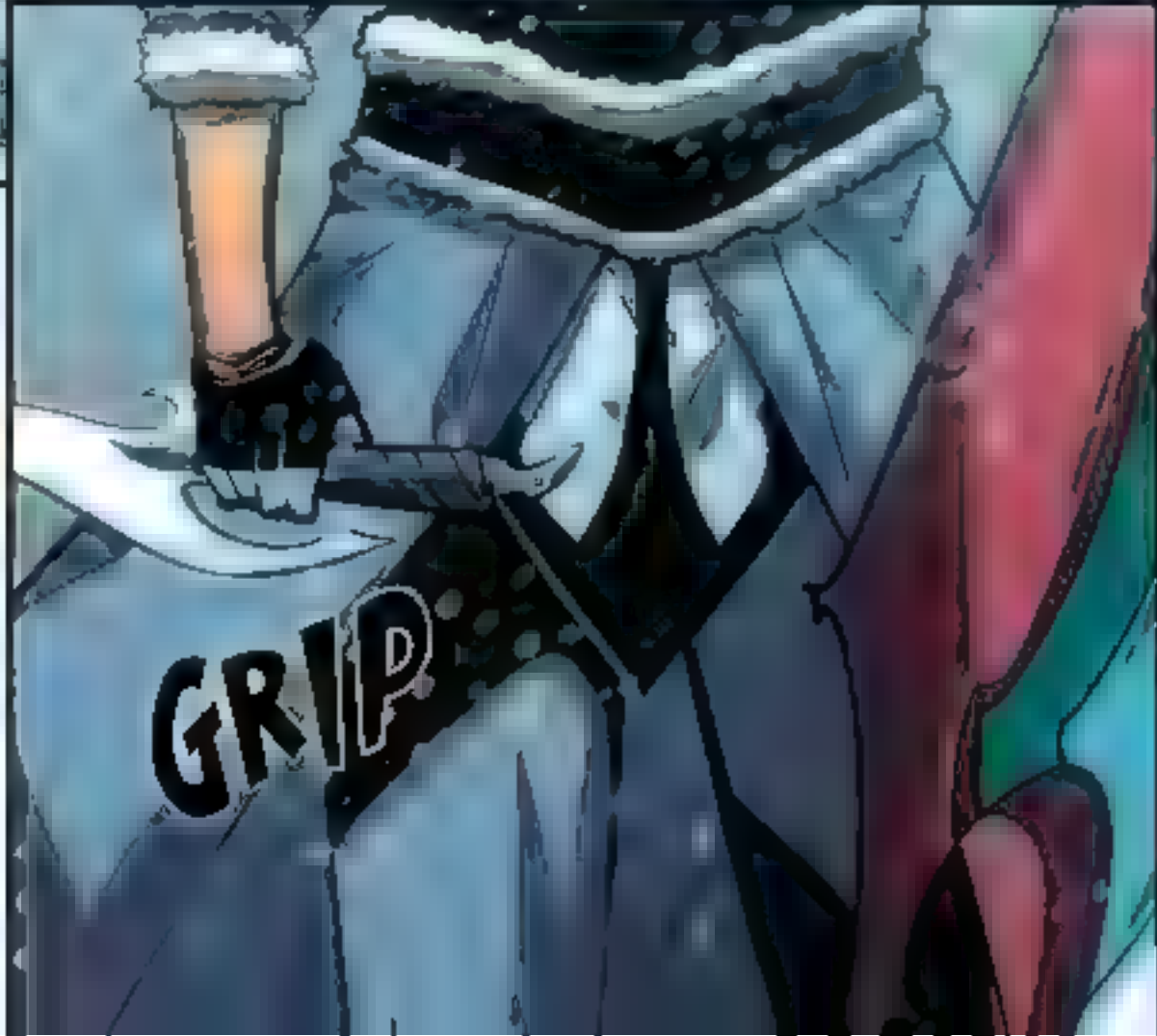


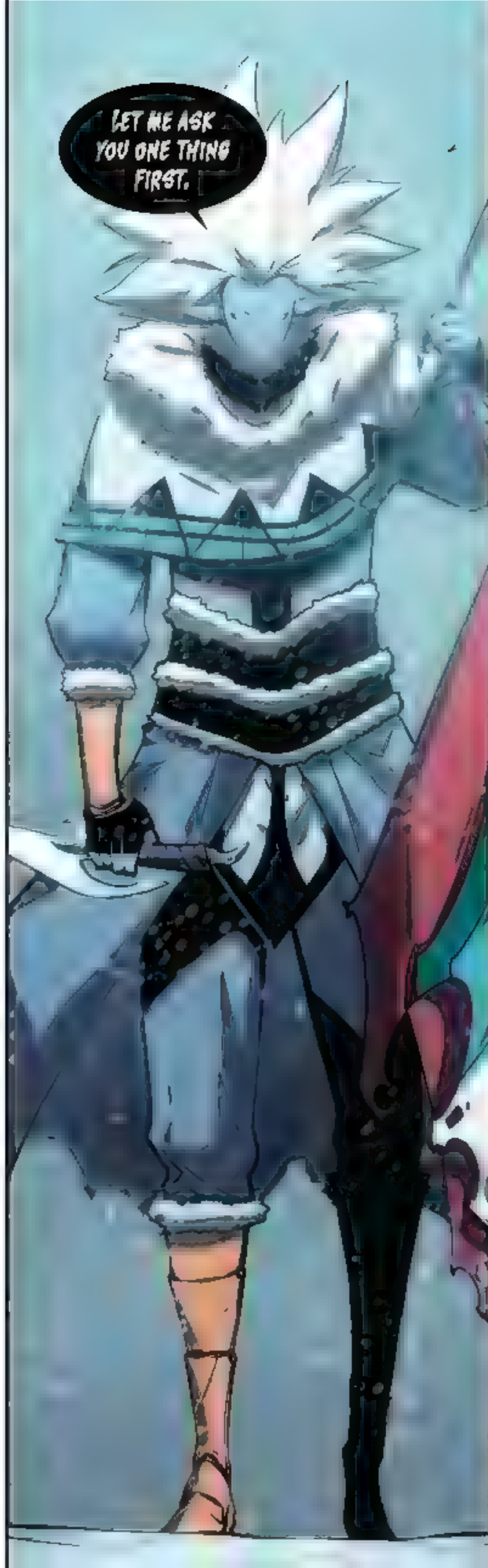
I GUESS THIS
GUY WON'T GO
DOWN EASILY.



LET'S MAKE
A DEAL.

IT WILL
BE THE BEST
OUTCOME FOR
YOU.





LET ME ASK
YOU ONE THING
FIRST.

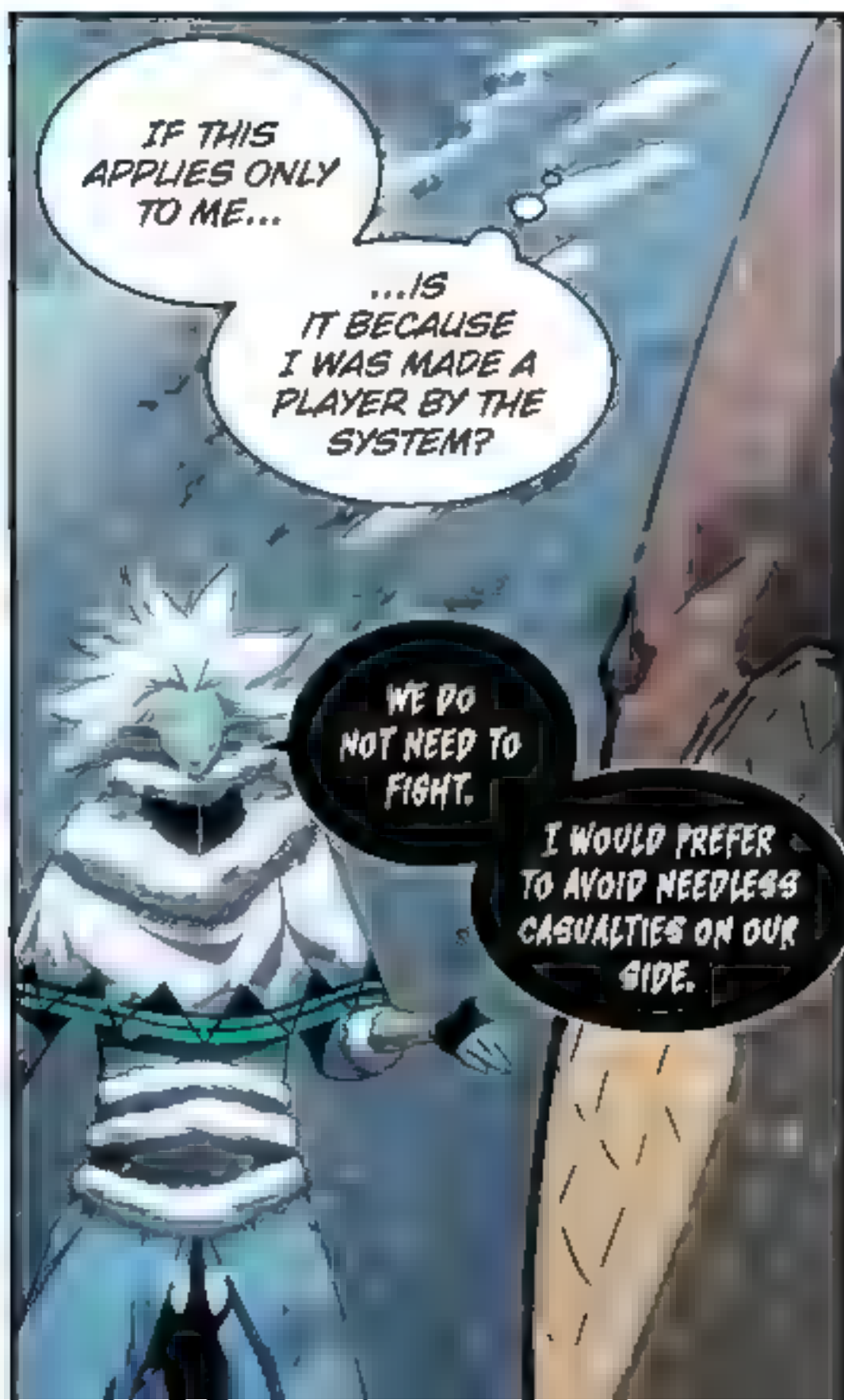
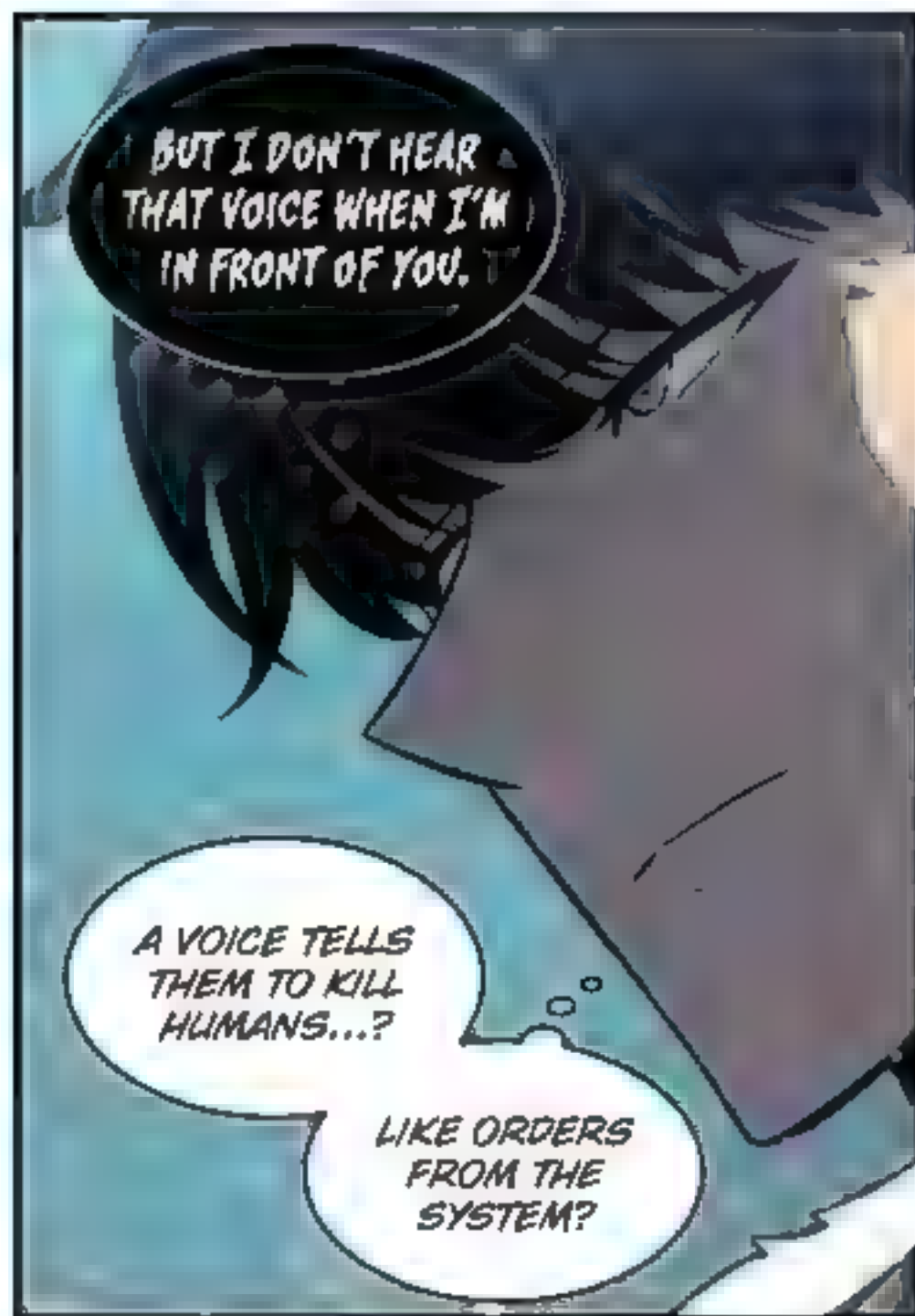


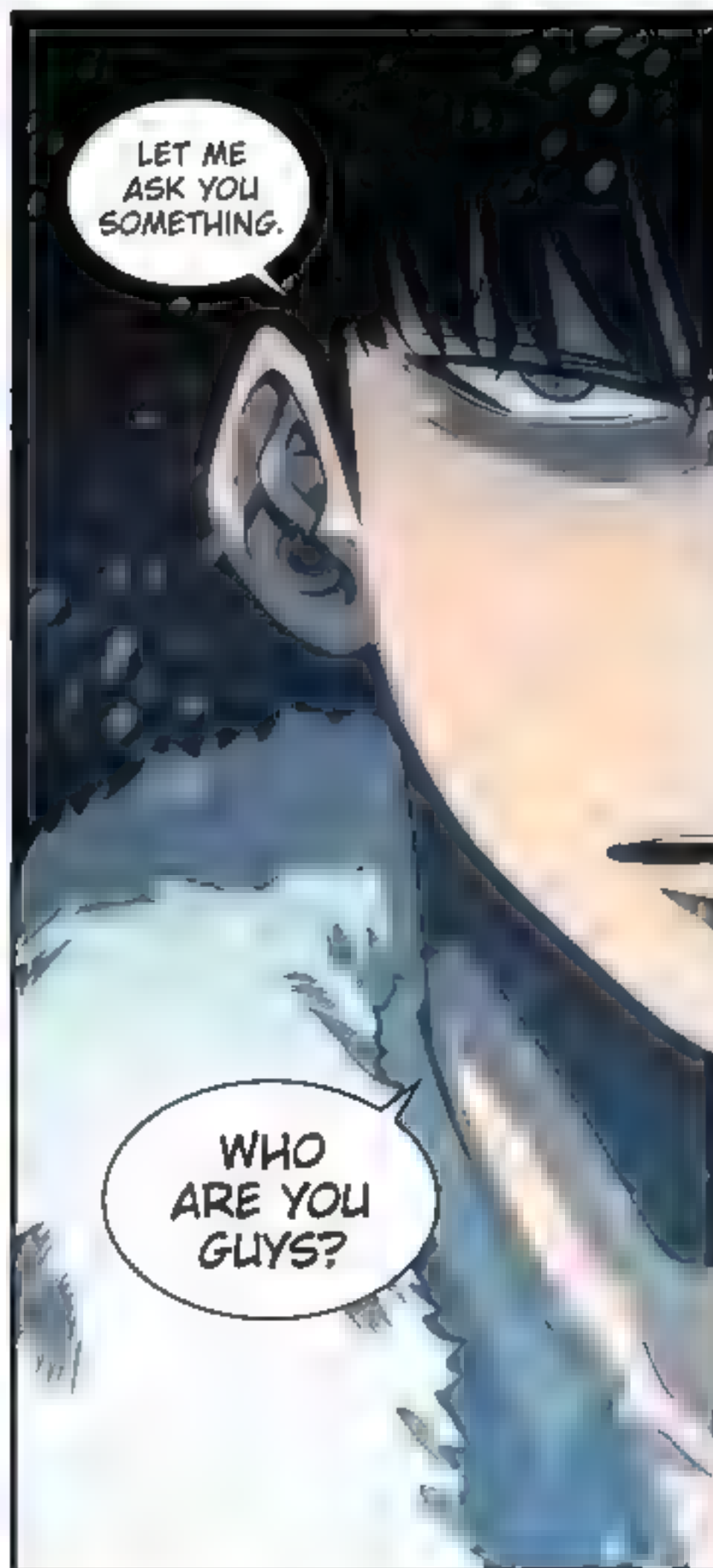
WHY ARE
YOU WITH HUMANS
EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE
NOT ONE OF
THEM?

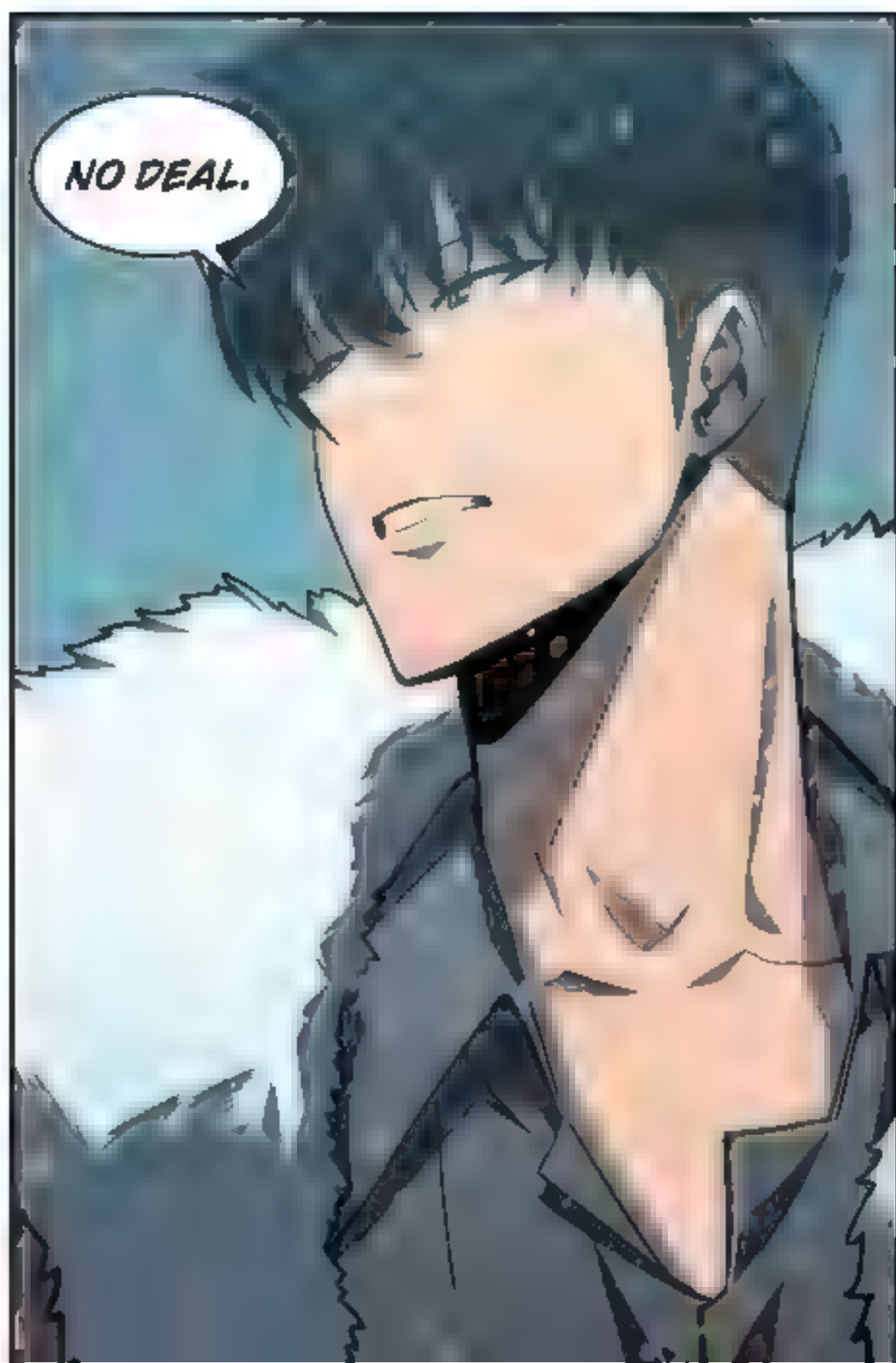
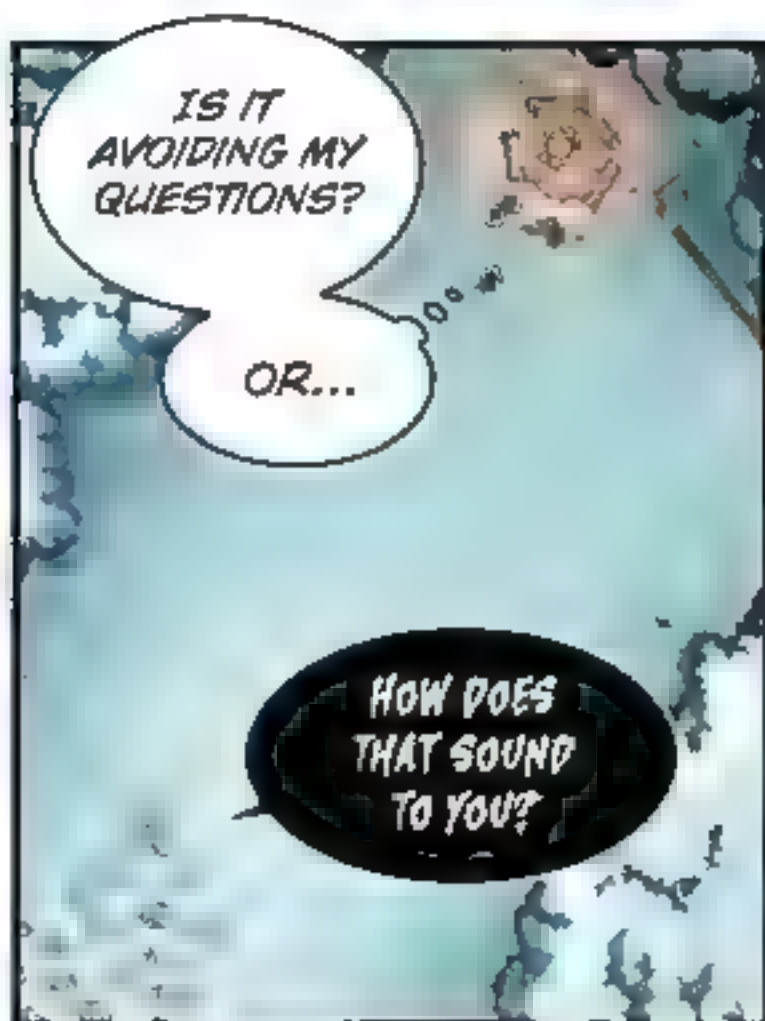


WHAT THE
HELL ARE
YOU TALKING
ABOUT?

HA-HA.
YOU DIDN'T
KNOW?







WHO
ON

YOU DARE TO
CHALLENGE ME AND
MY SOLDIERS?

YOU'RE
OUTNUMBERED.
THINK YOU CAN DO
THIS ALONE?

"OUTNUM-
BERED"?



WHO'S
OUTNUMBERED
NOW?

A-
ARGH!

WHAT'S
THIS?!!

M-MON-
STERS...

WHERE DID
THEY COME
FROM?!!

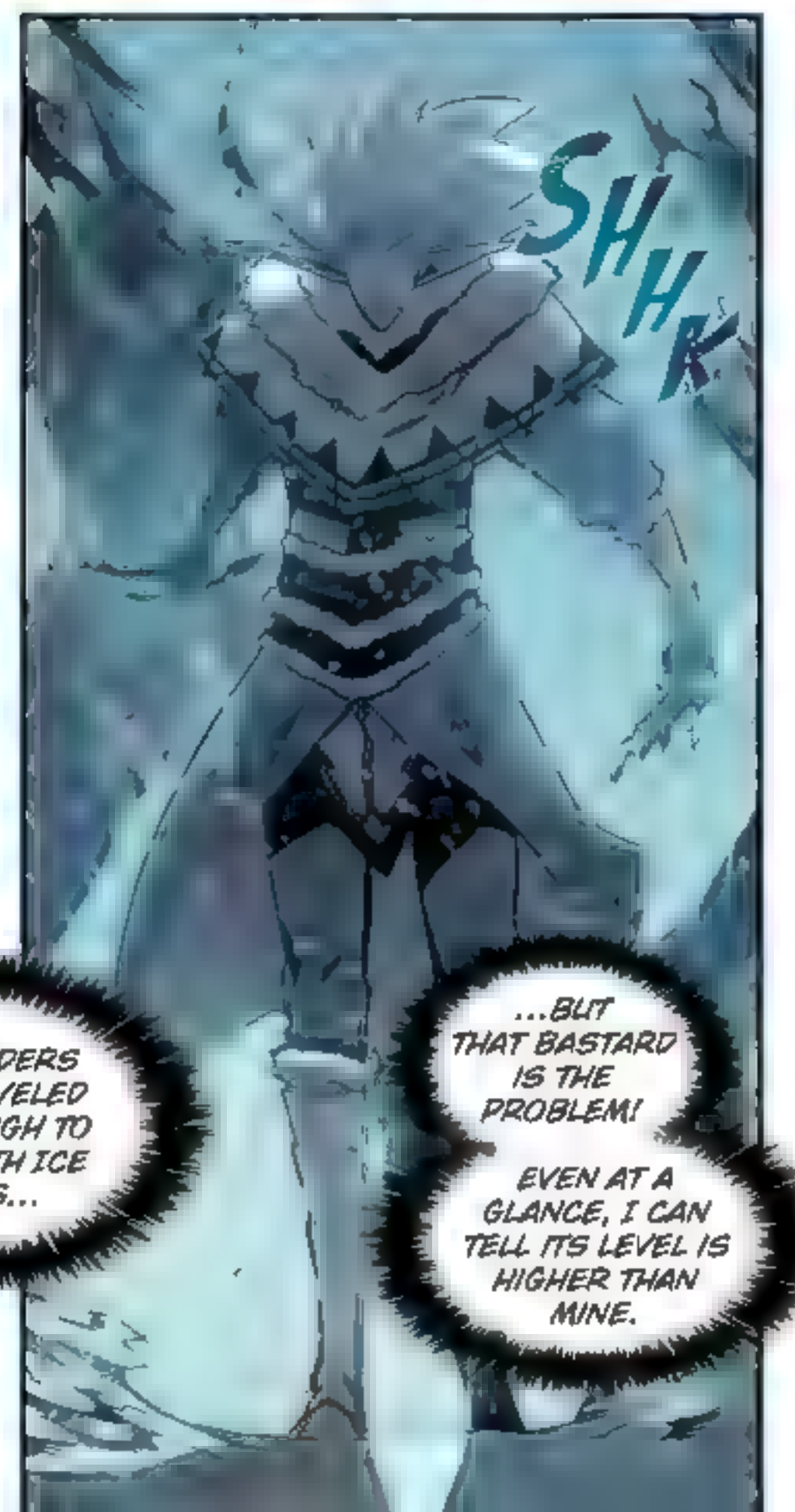
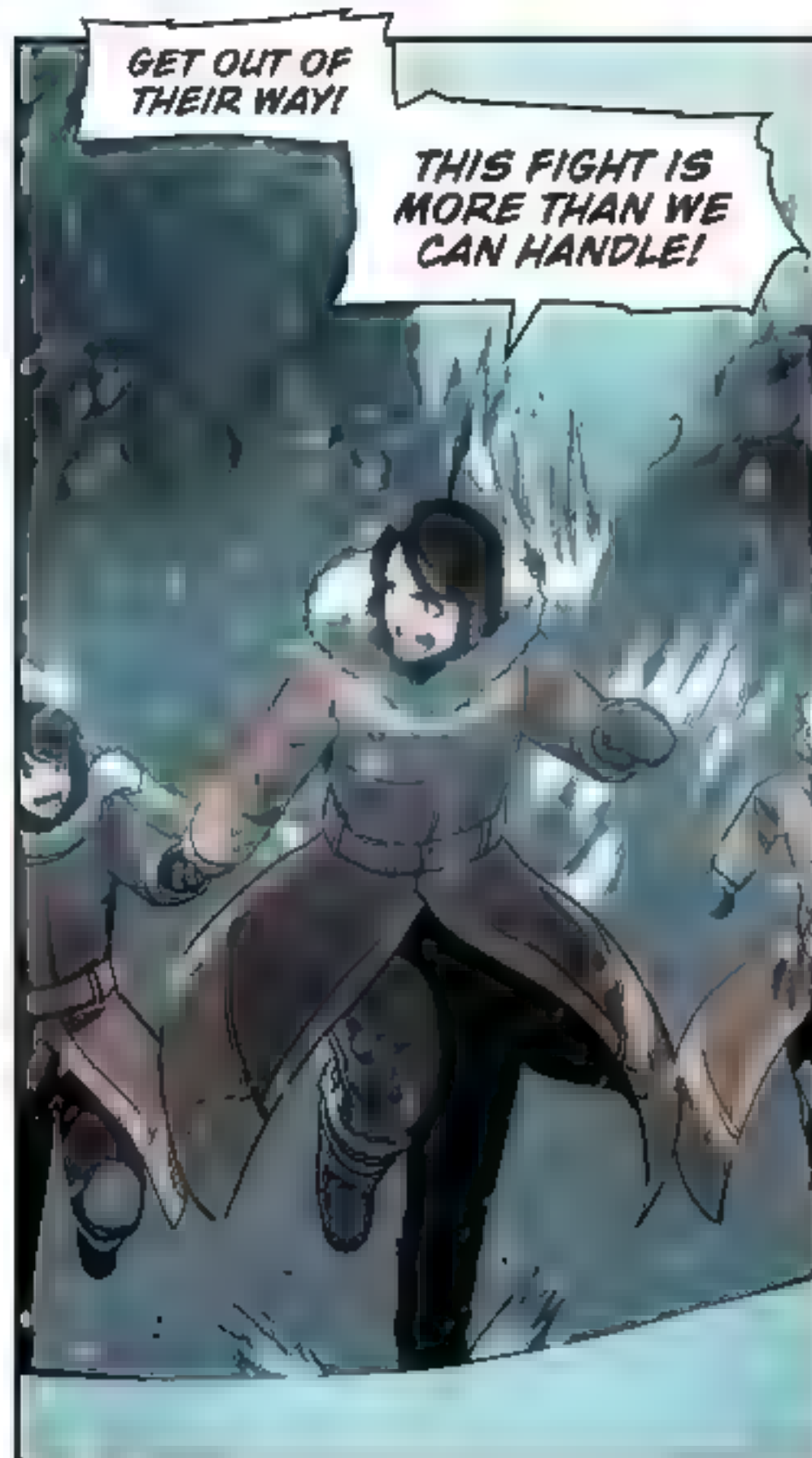
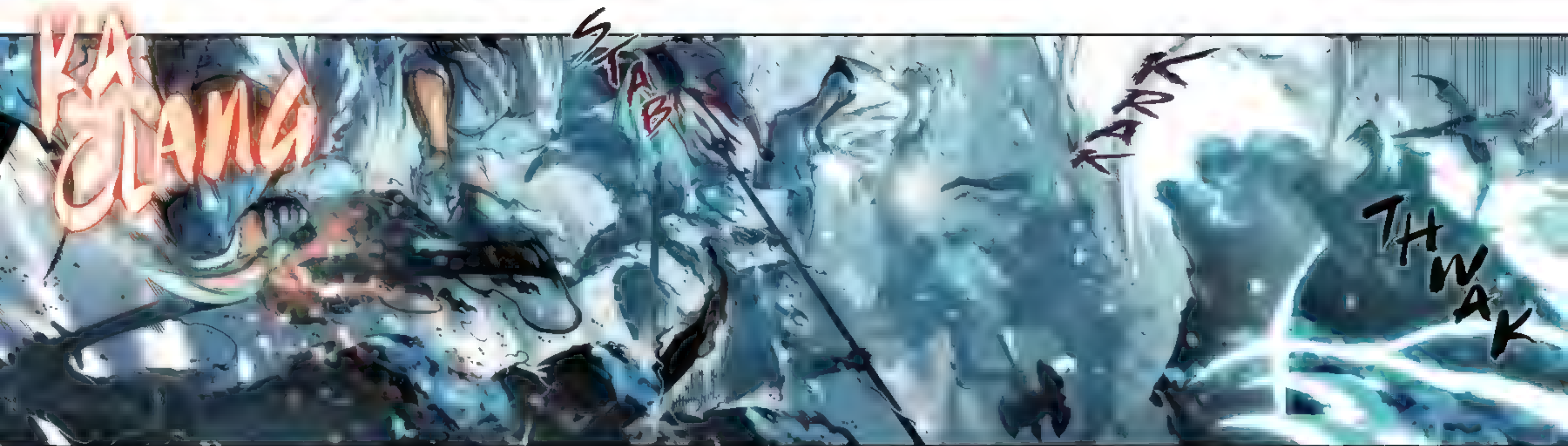


BLACK
SOLDIERS AND
BLACK ICE
BEARS?!

AROOO!
GROAR!
GRRR!

NO WAY...!
IS JINWOO
DOING ALL OF
THIS...?!

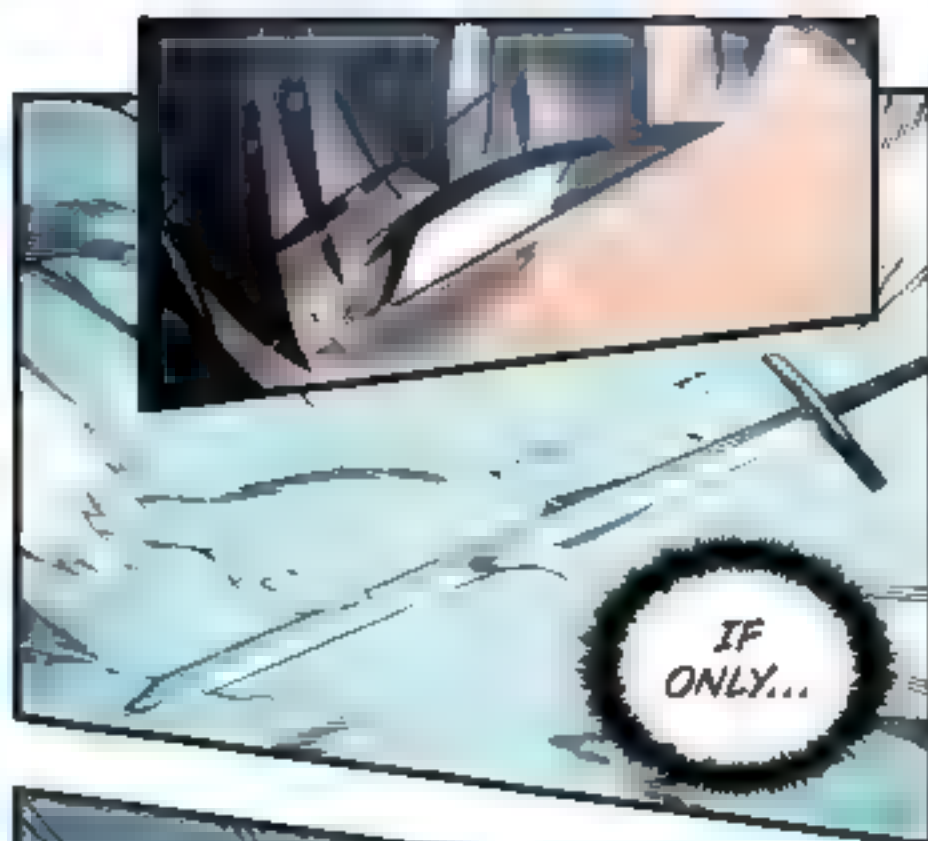






EVEN IF IGRIS
AND I FIGHT
IT TOGETHER,
IT'LL BE A
CHALLENGE...

ORDINARY
SOLDIERS ARE
NO MATCH
FOR IT.



IF
ONLY...



...I HAD
A MORE
POWERFUL
SOLDIER!



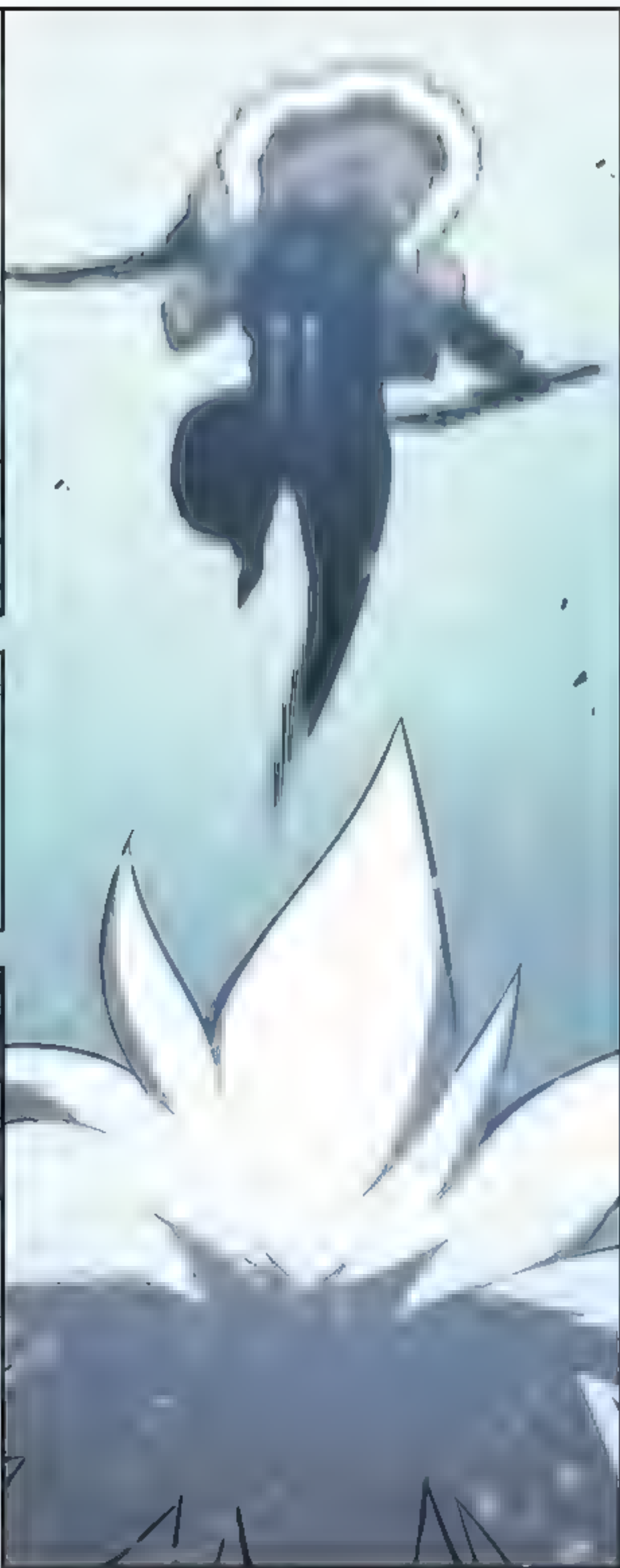
MY NAME
IS BARCA.

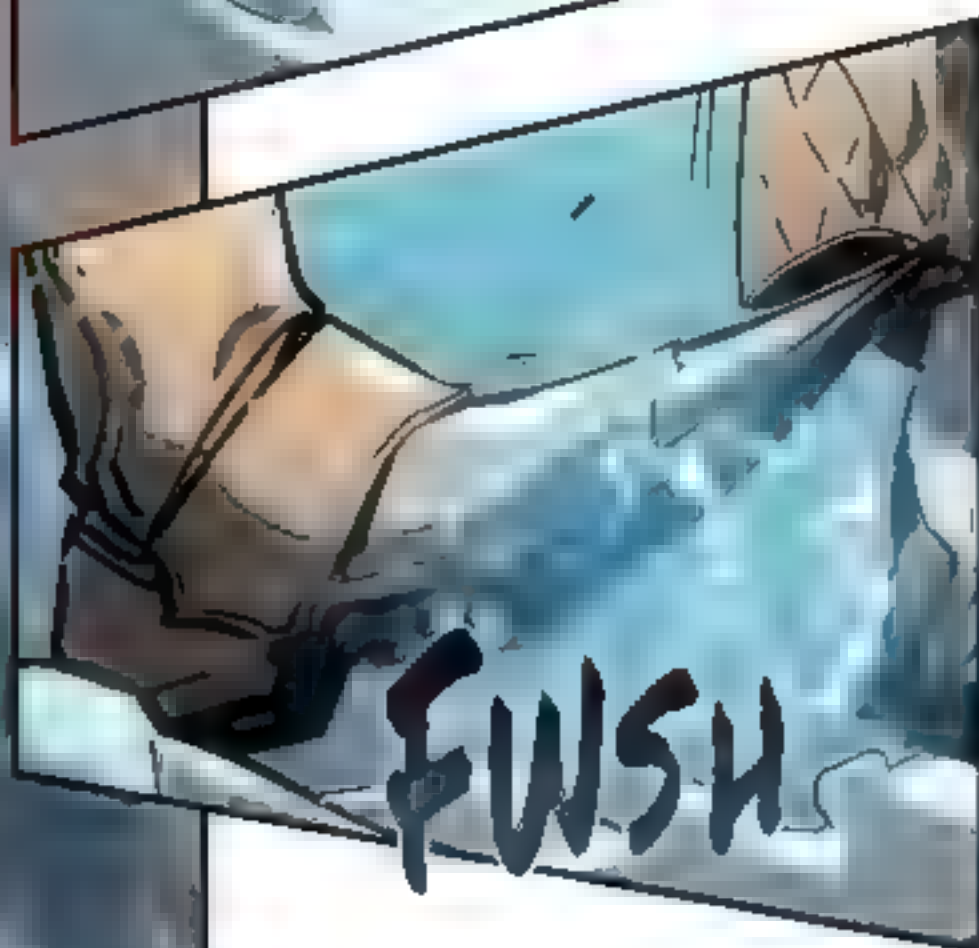
WHAT'S
YOURST?

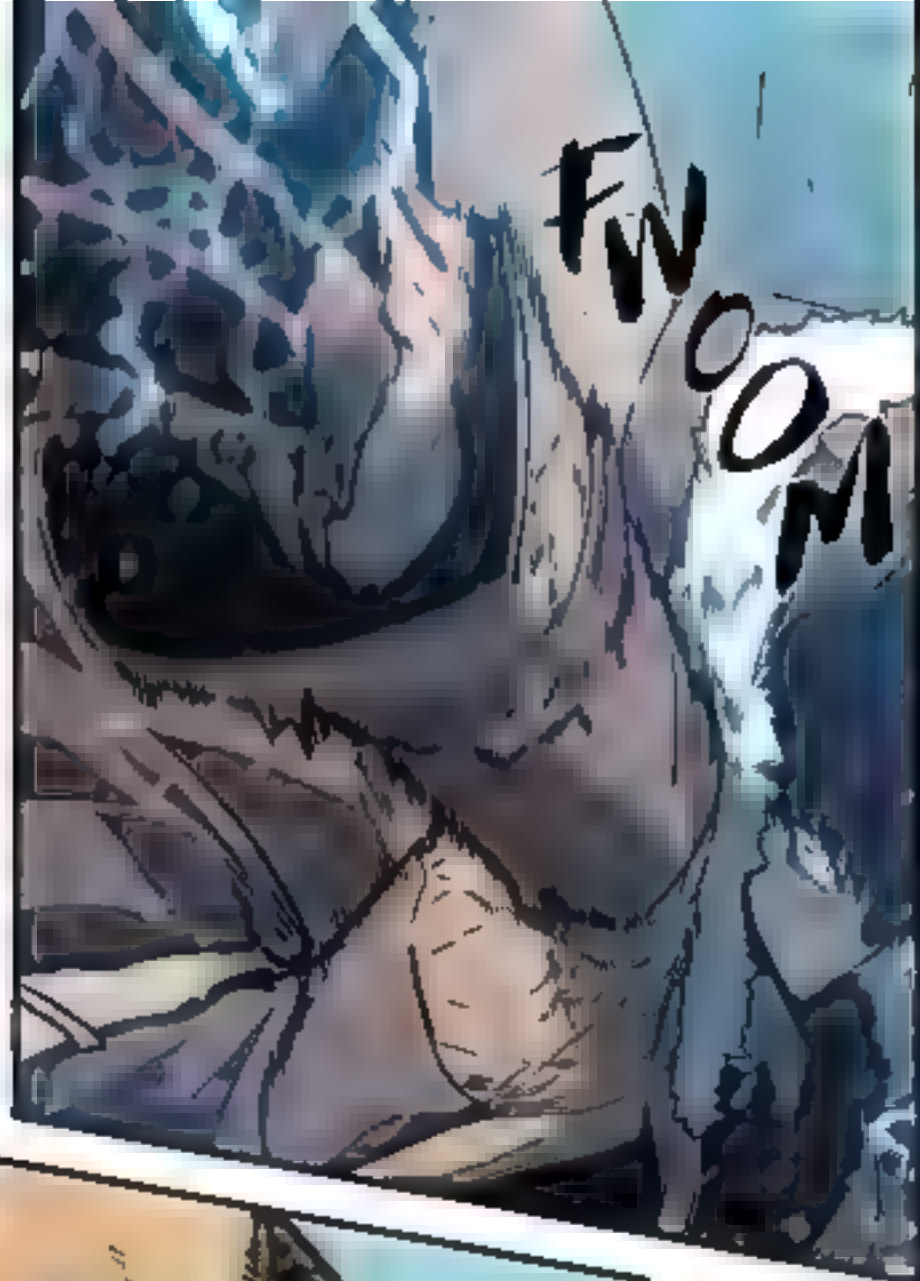


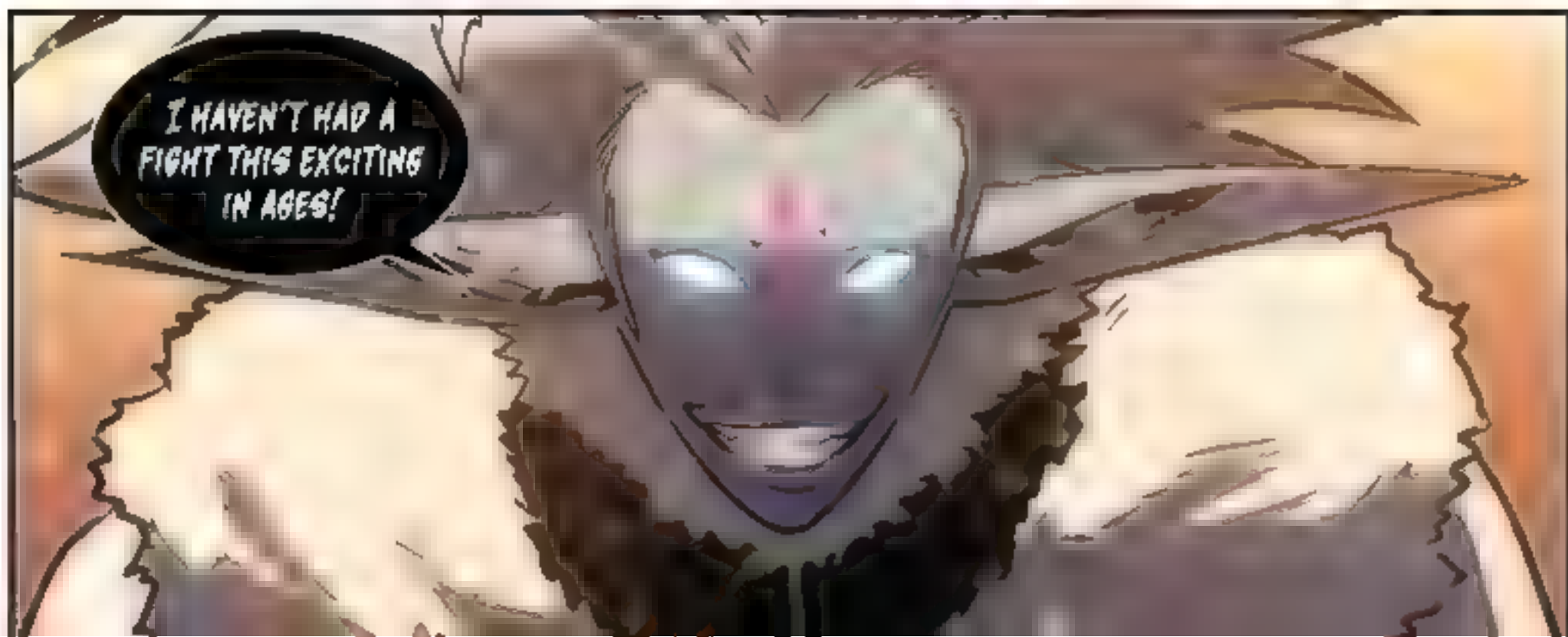
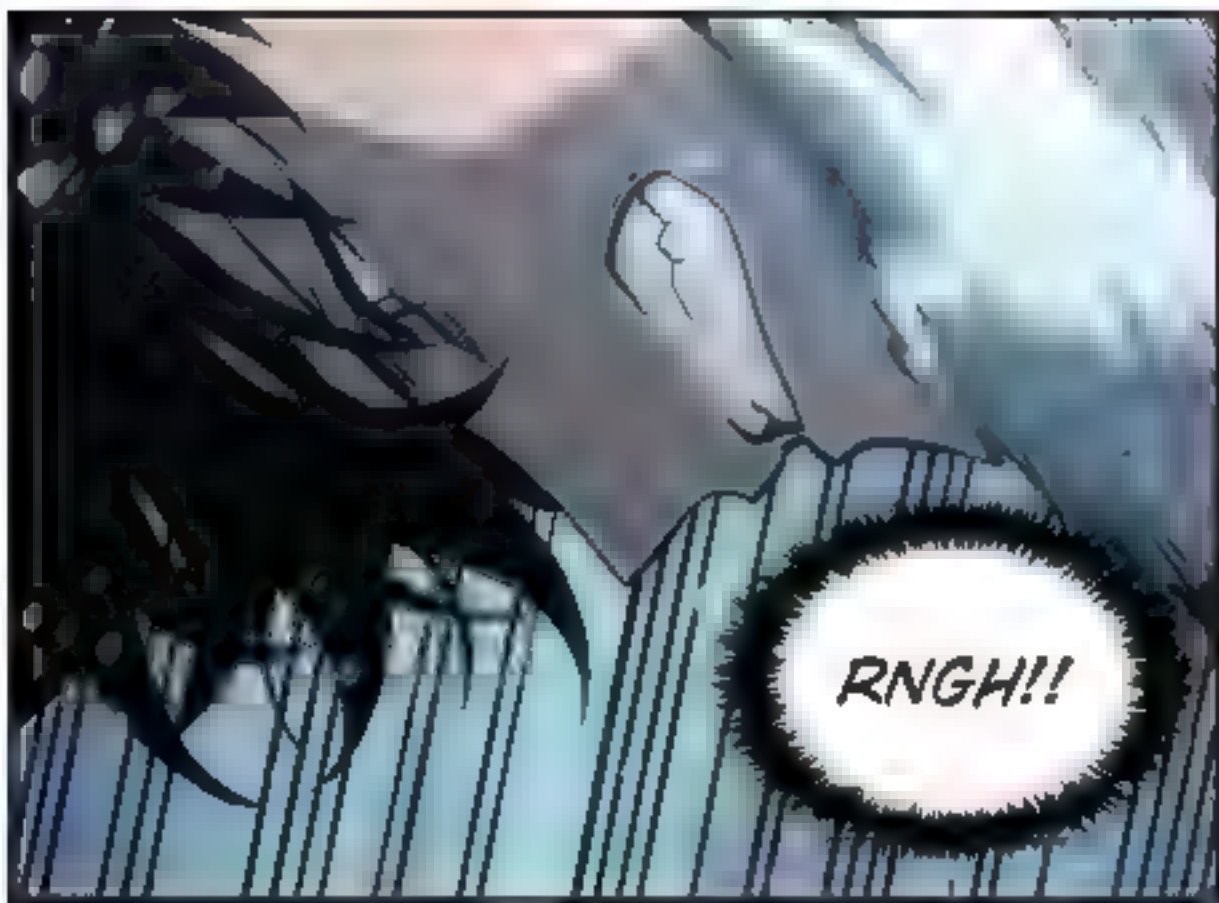
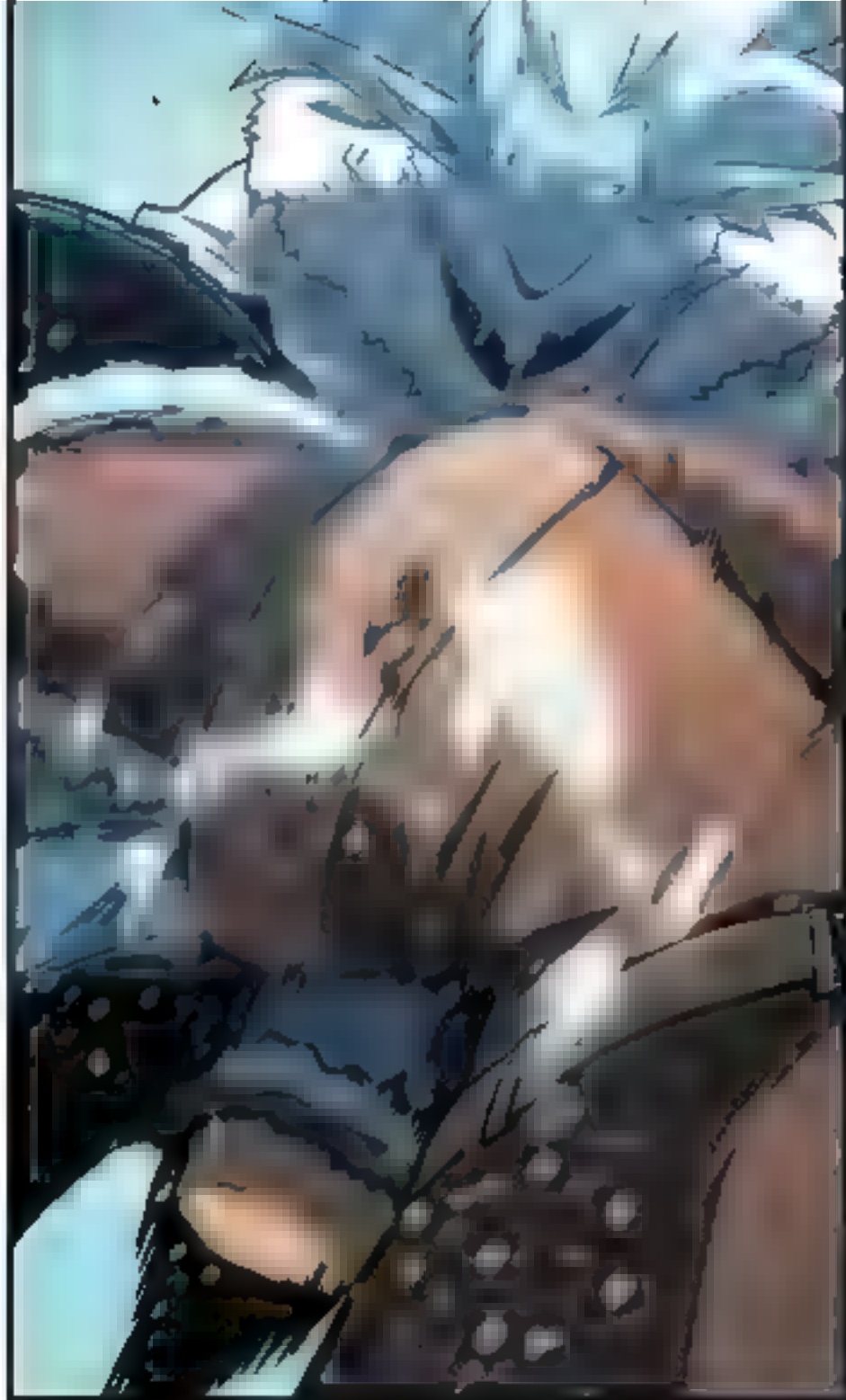
JINWOO
SUNG.

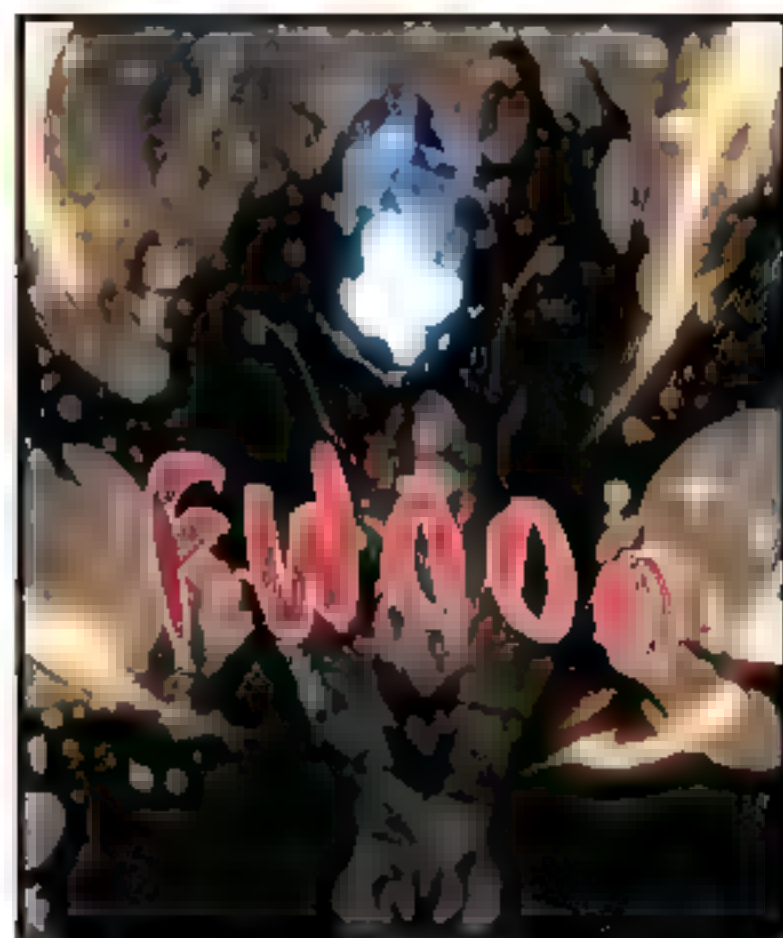
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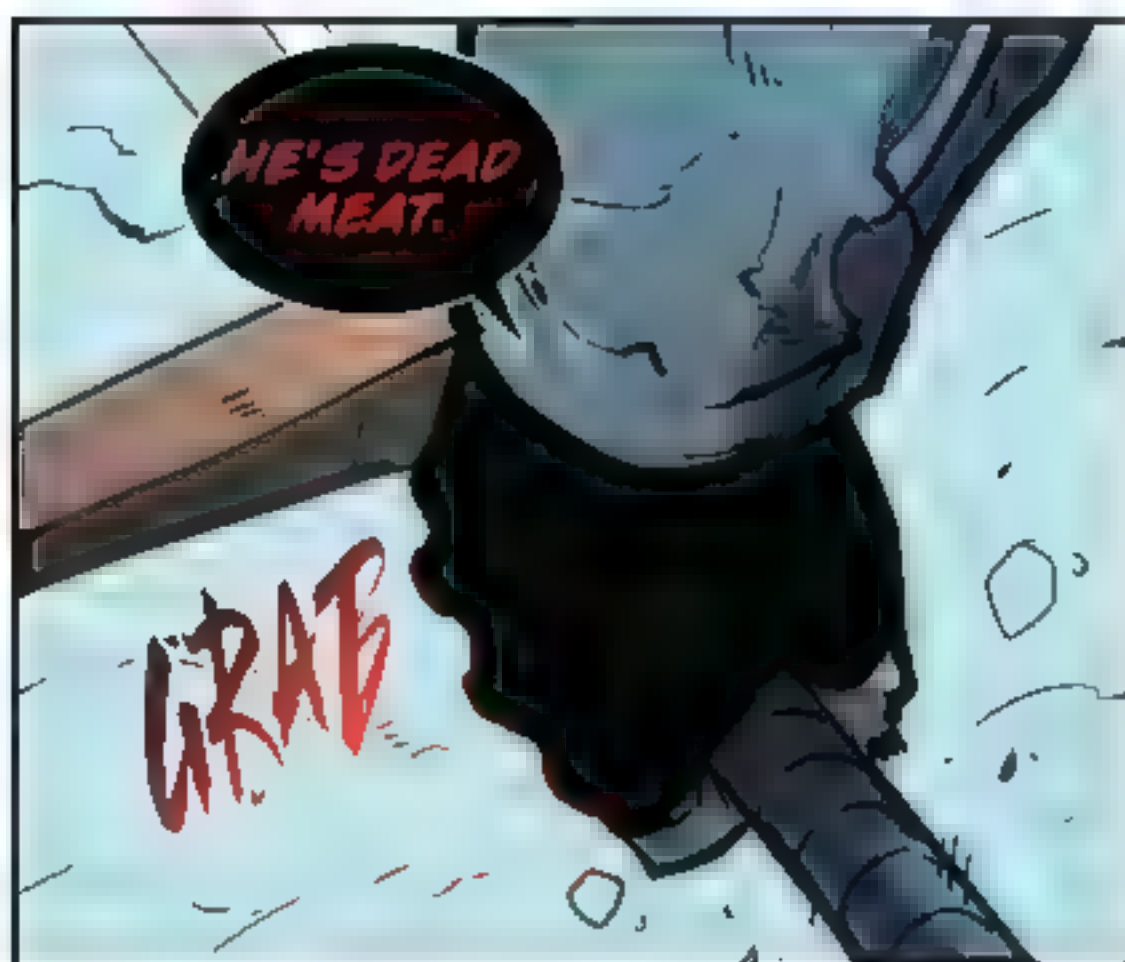
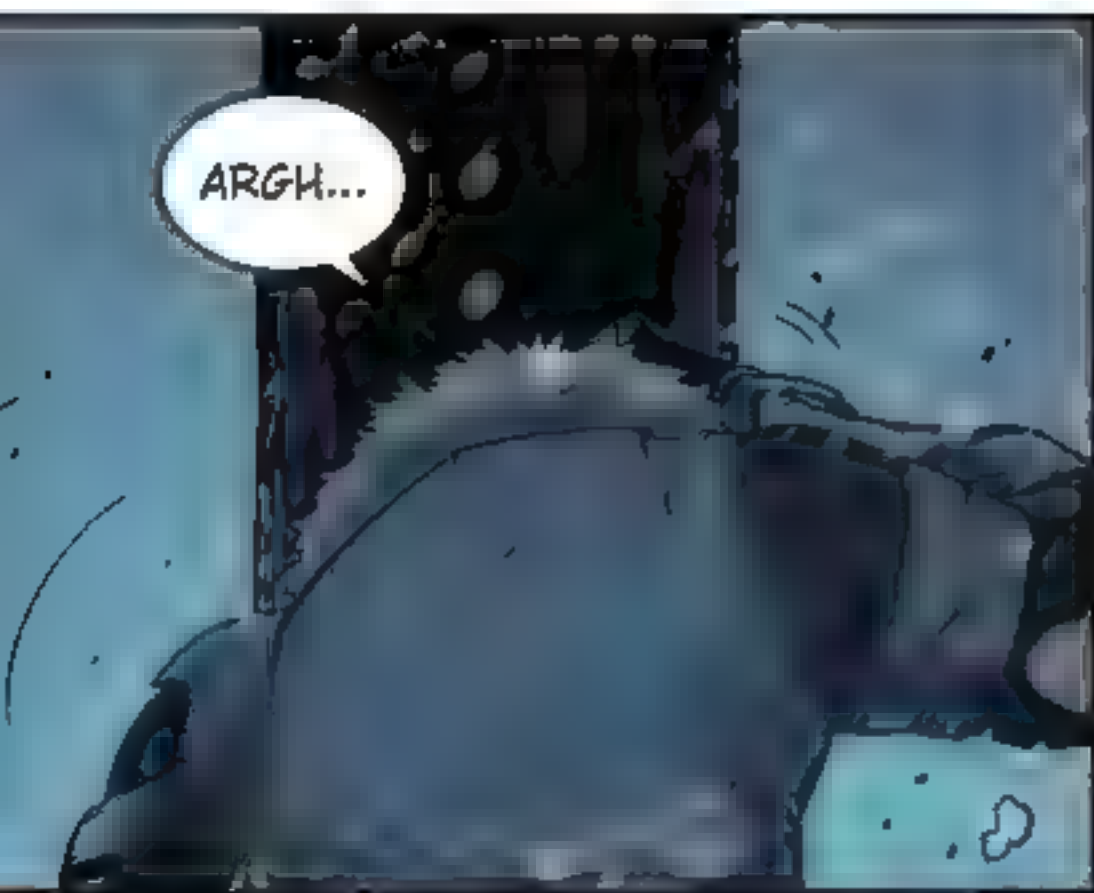




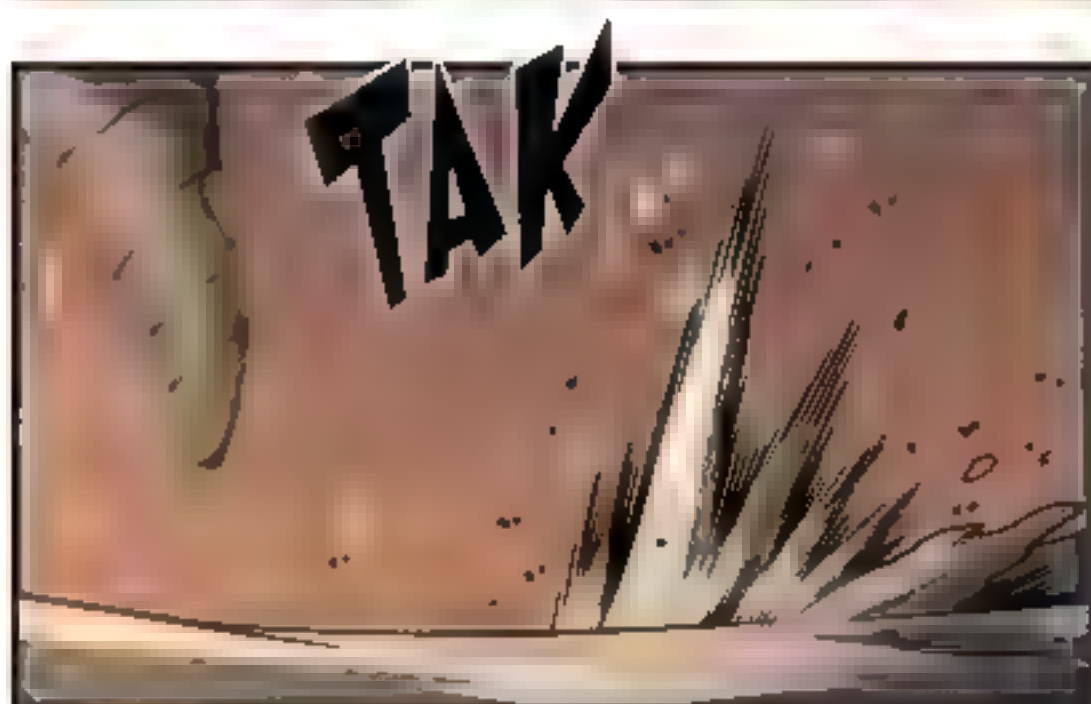
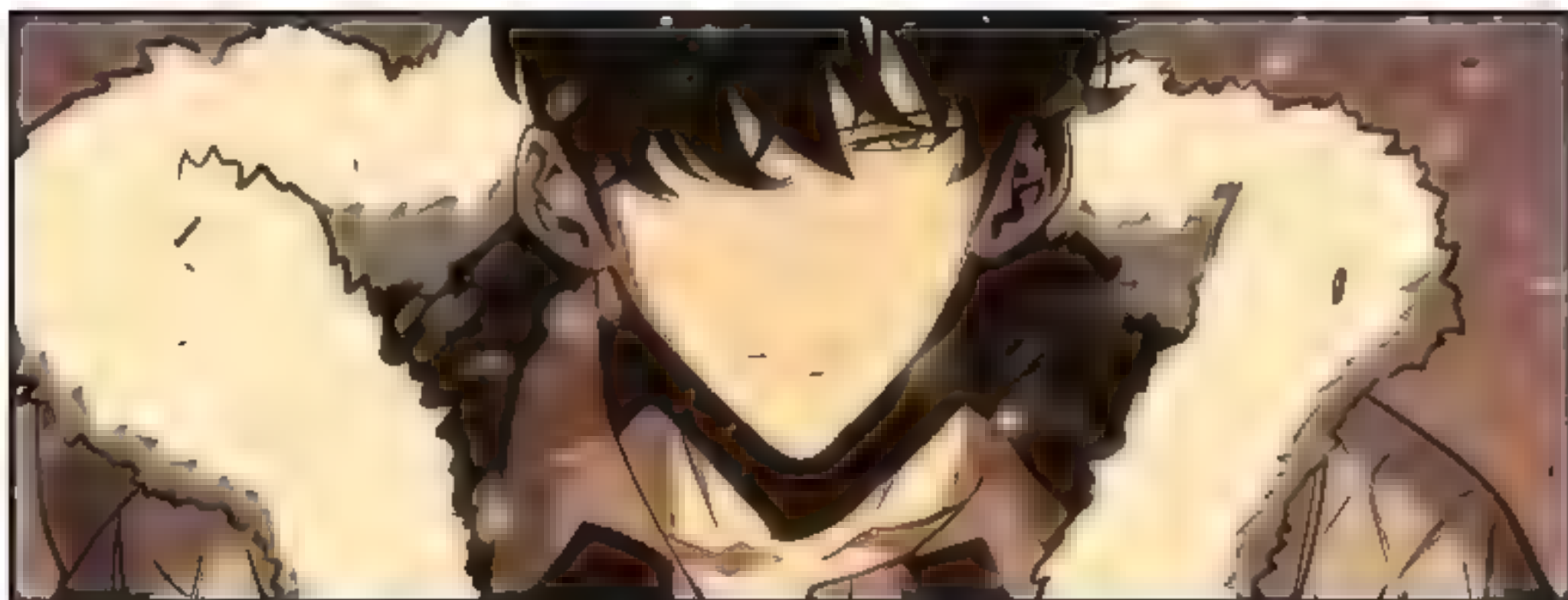


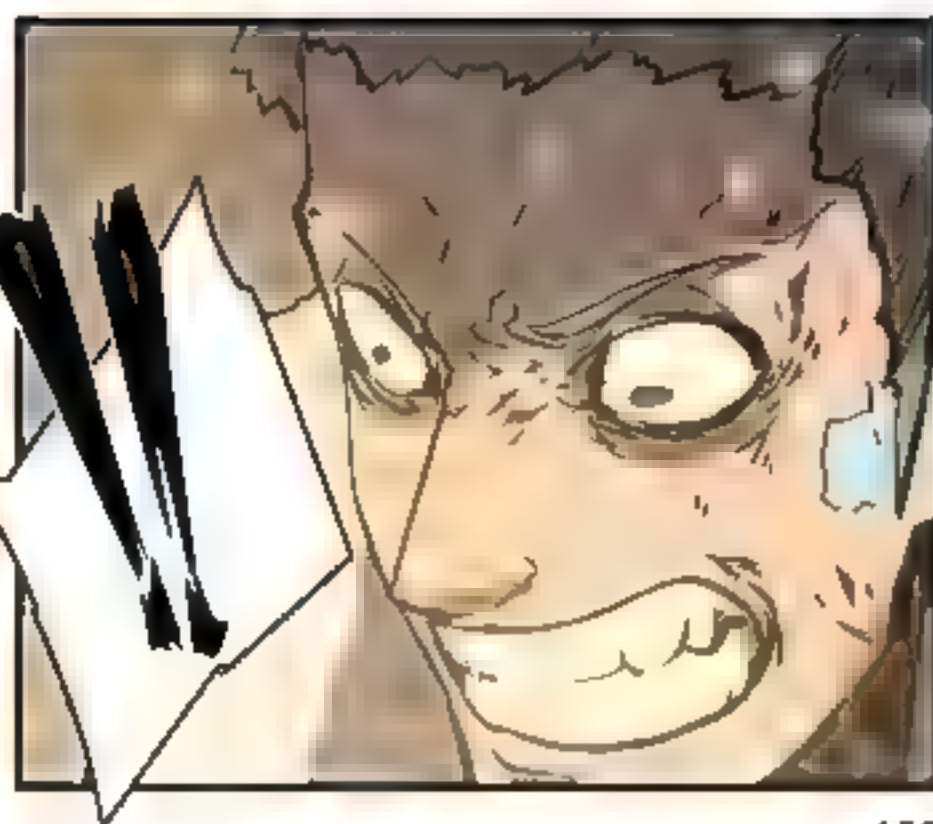
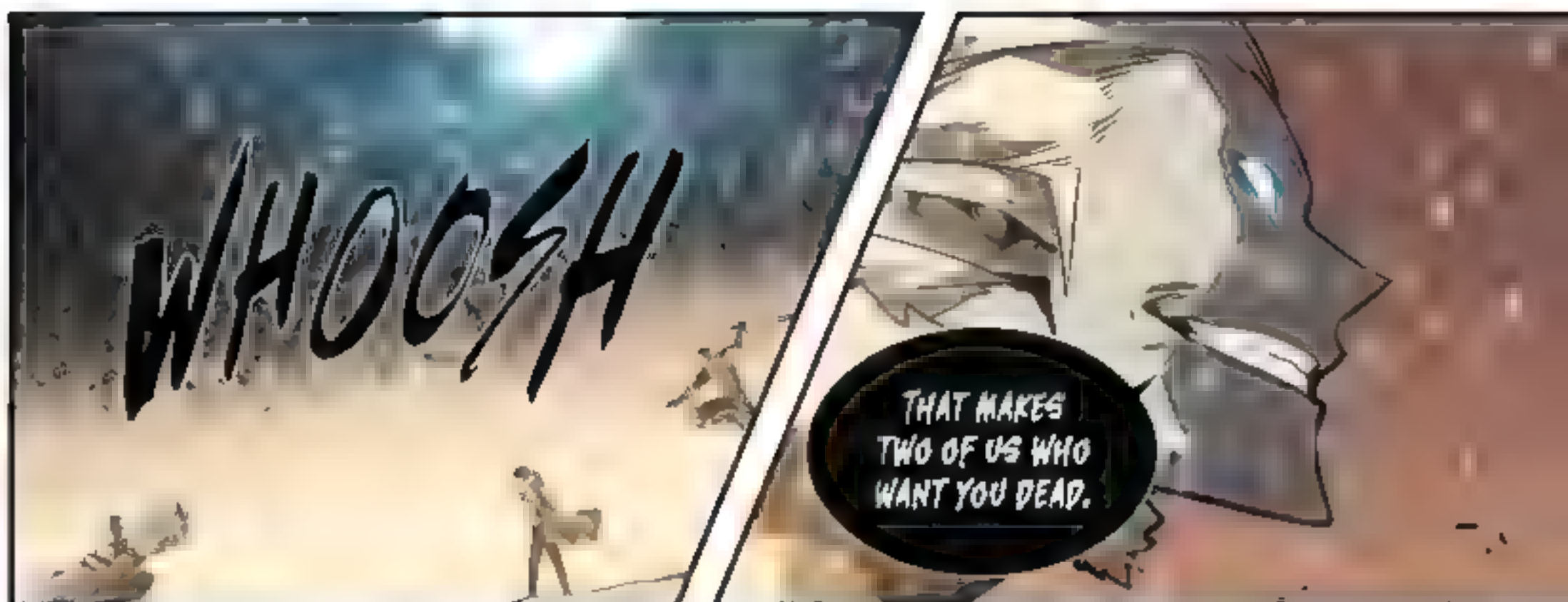
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BOUGHT ME
SOME TIME...

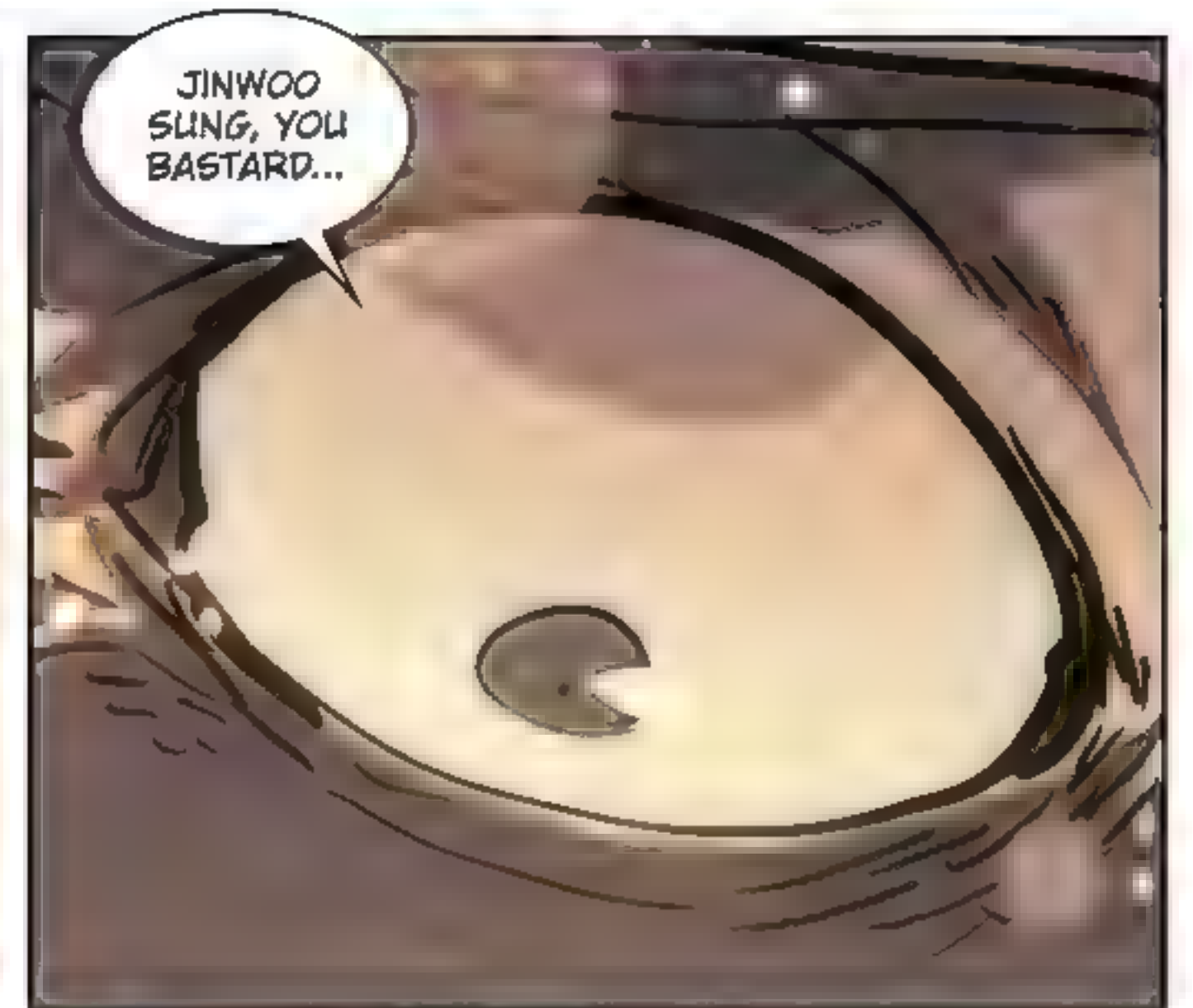
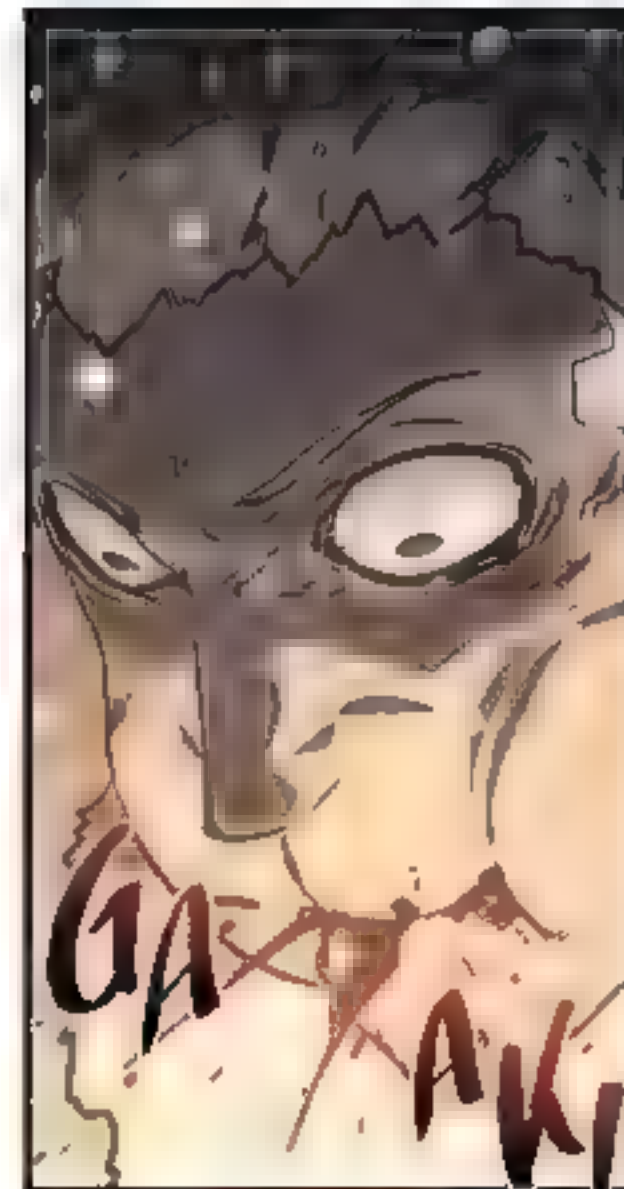
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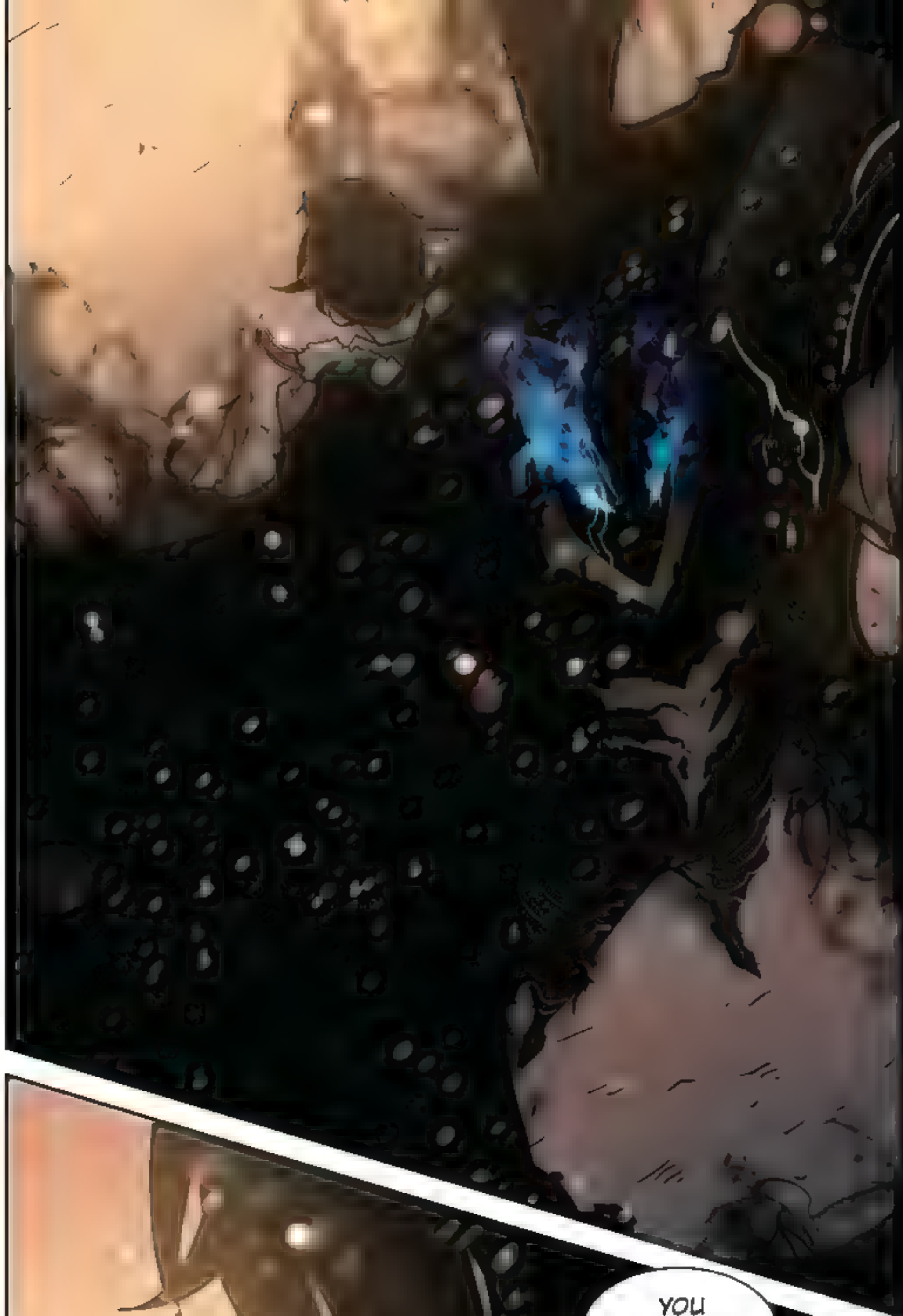












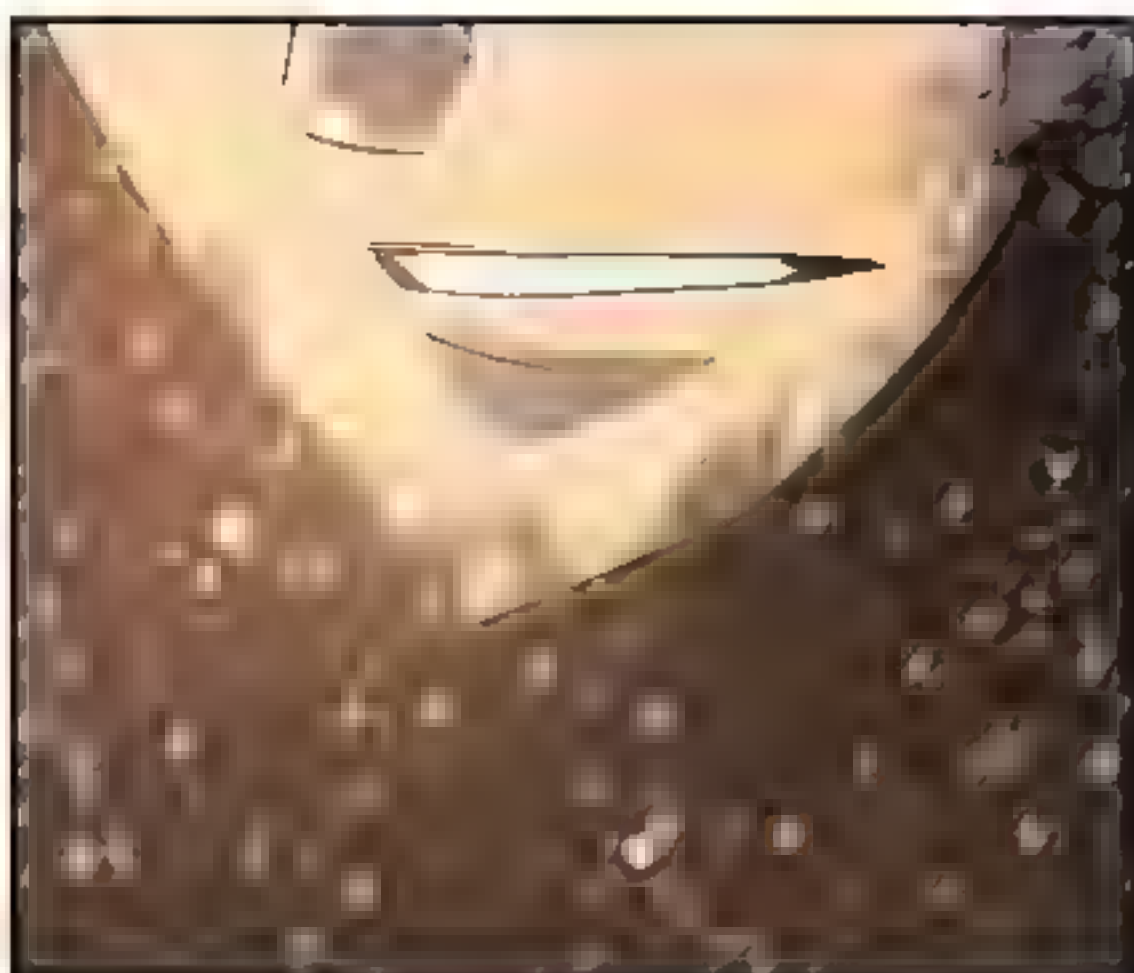
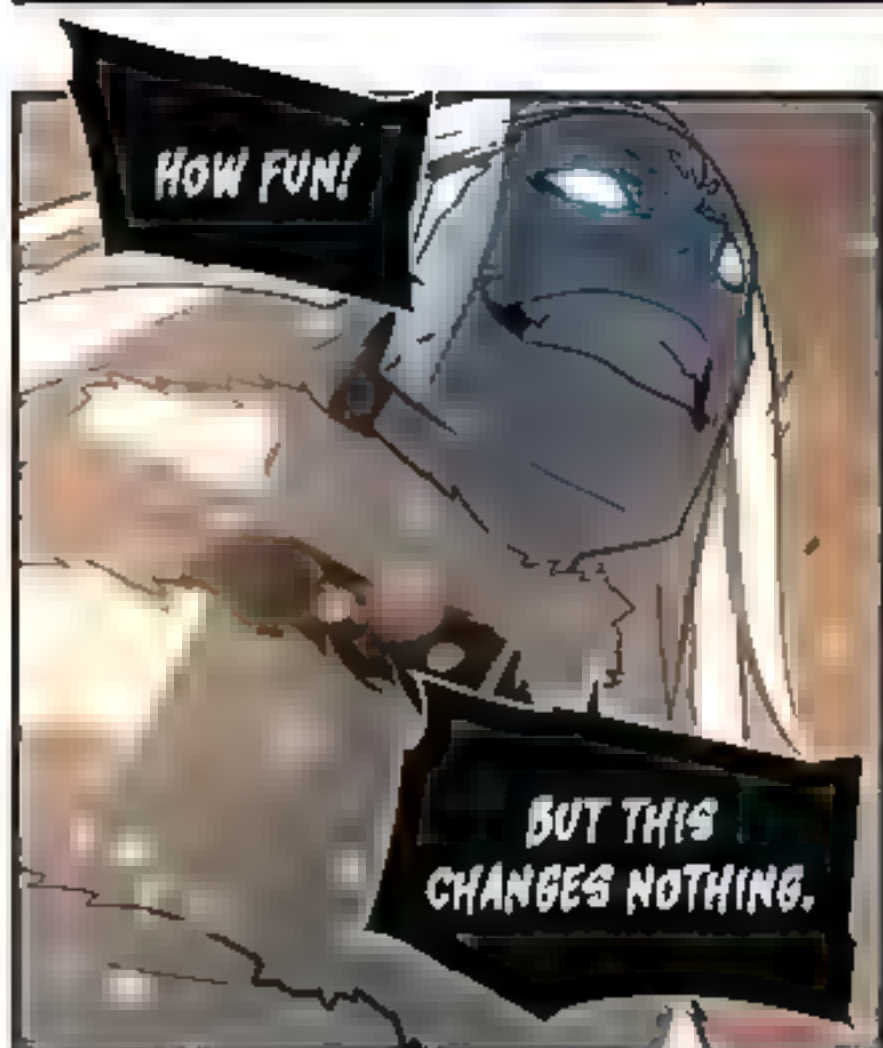
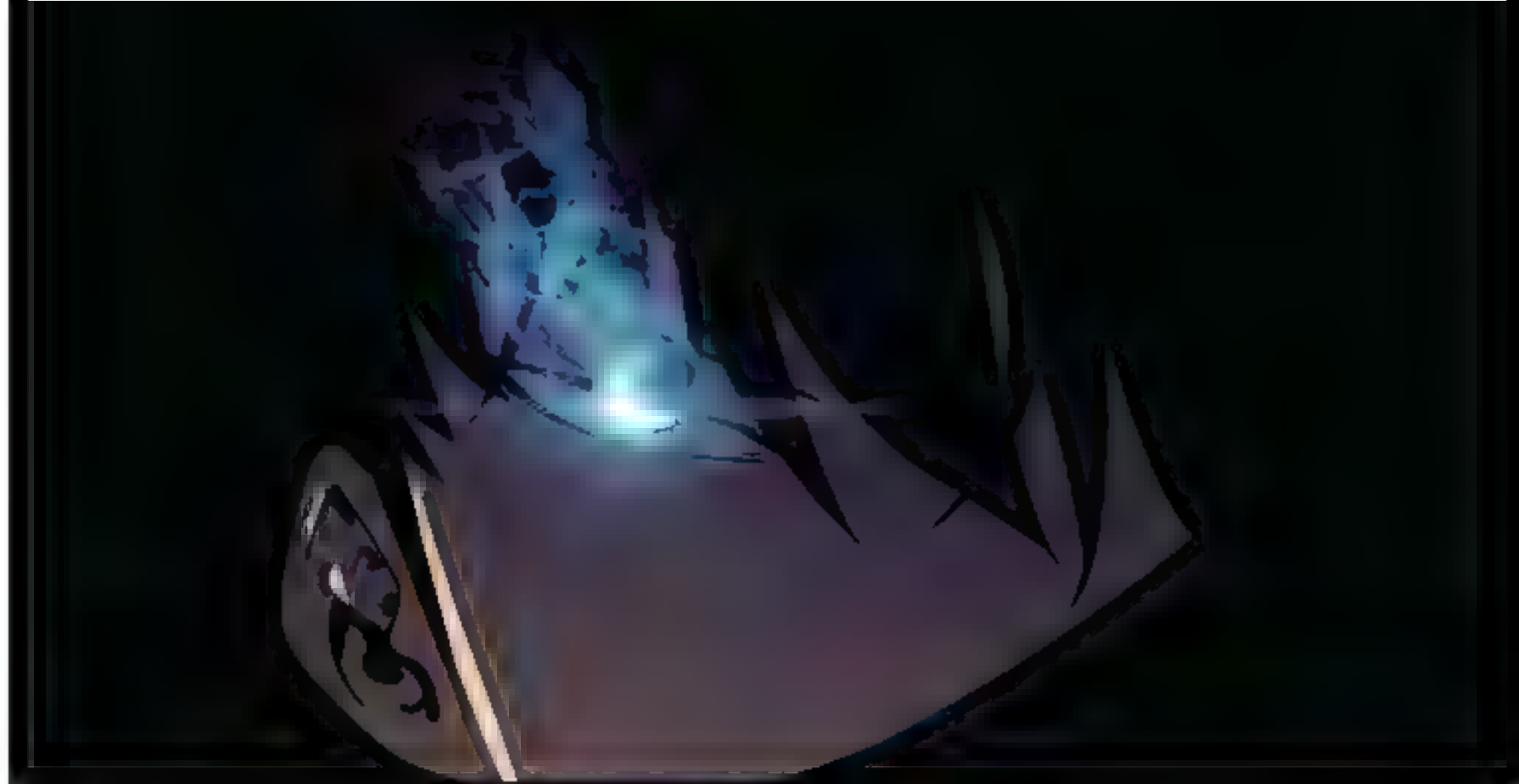
YOU
EXPECTED
THIS...

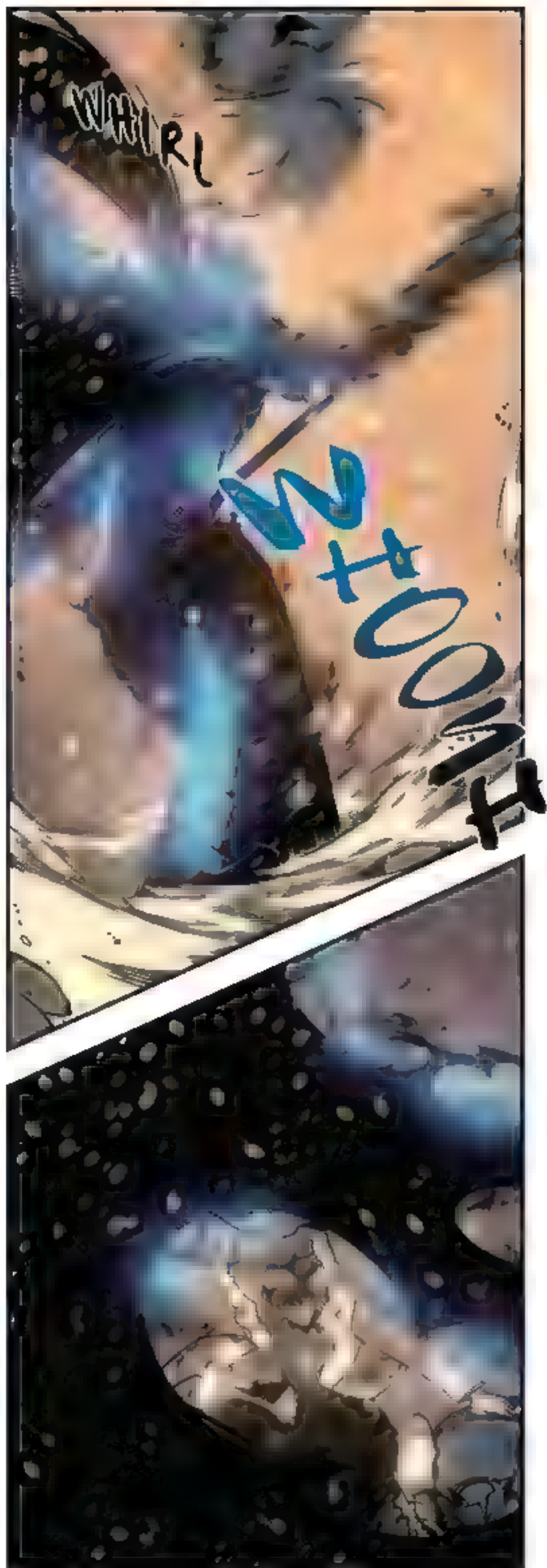
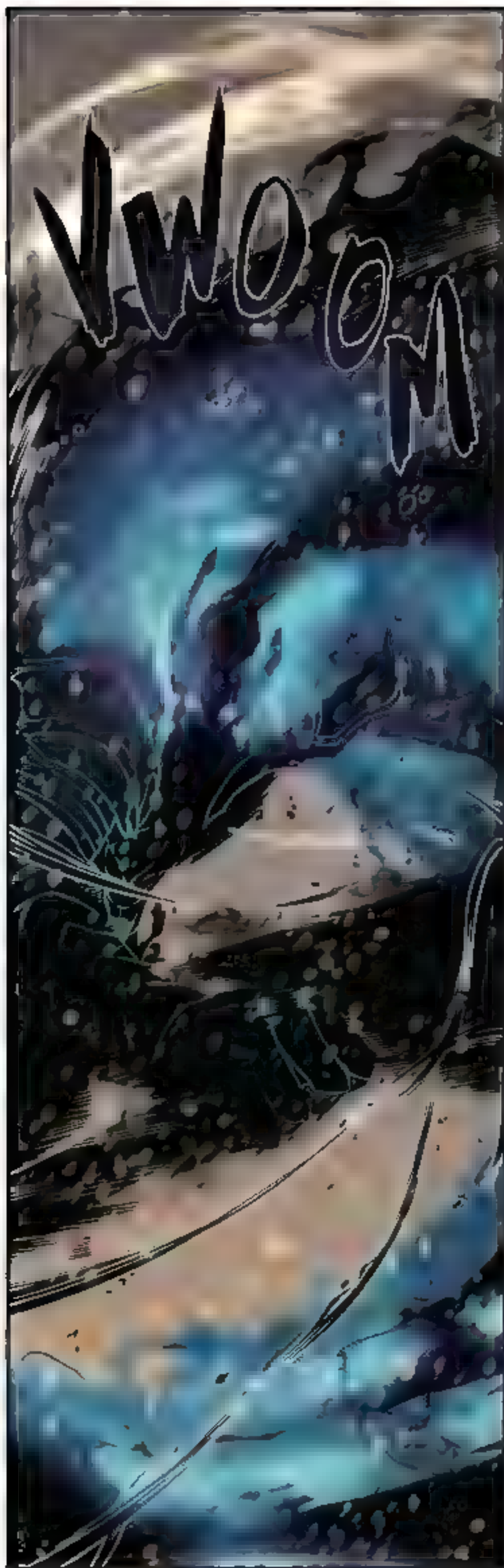


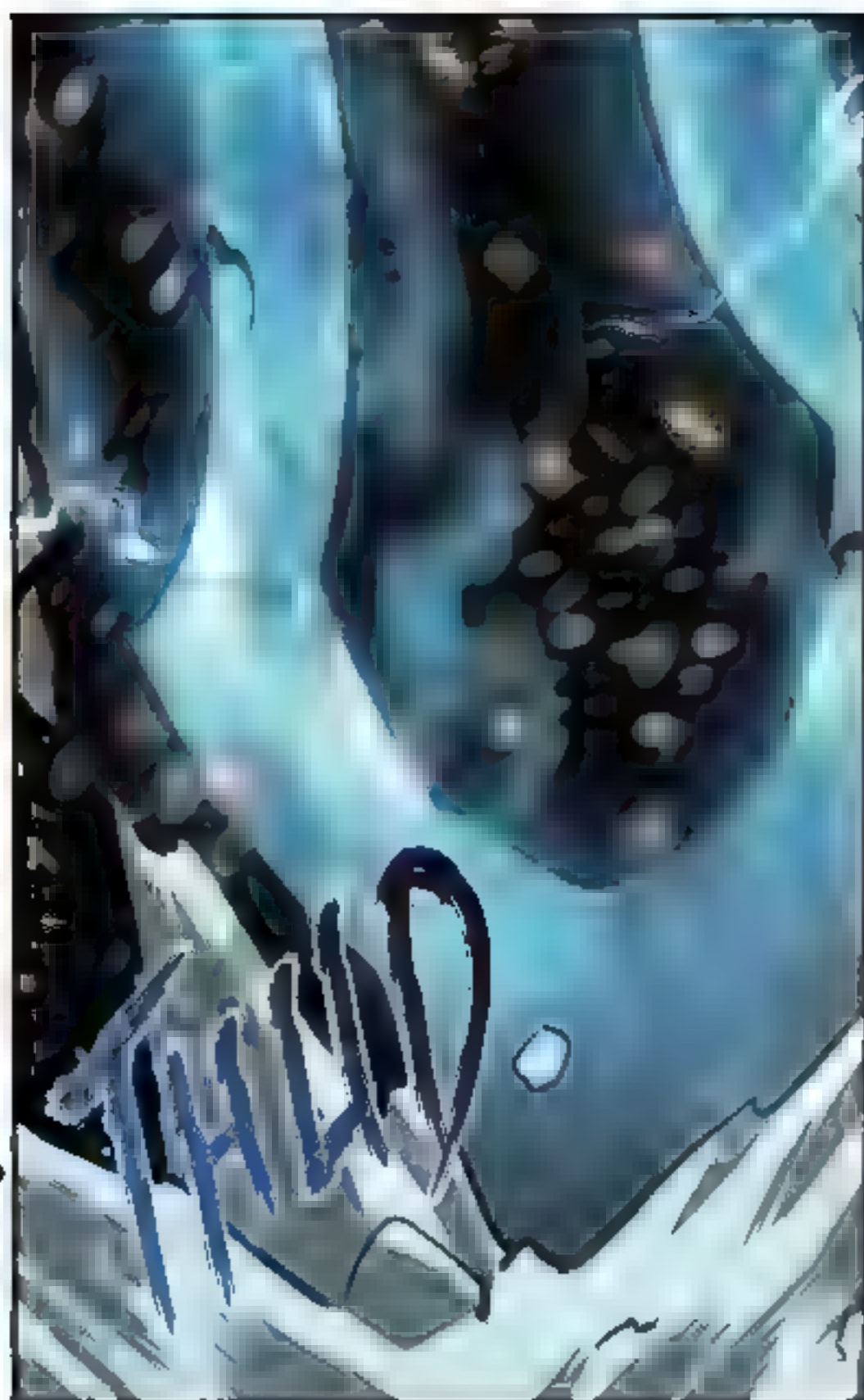
...FROM THE
START!



DAMN IT...



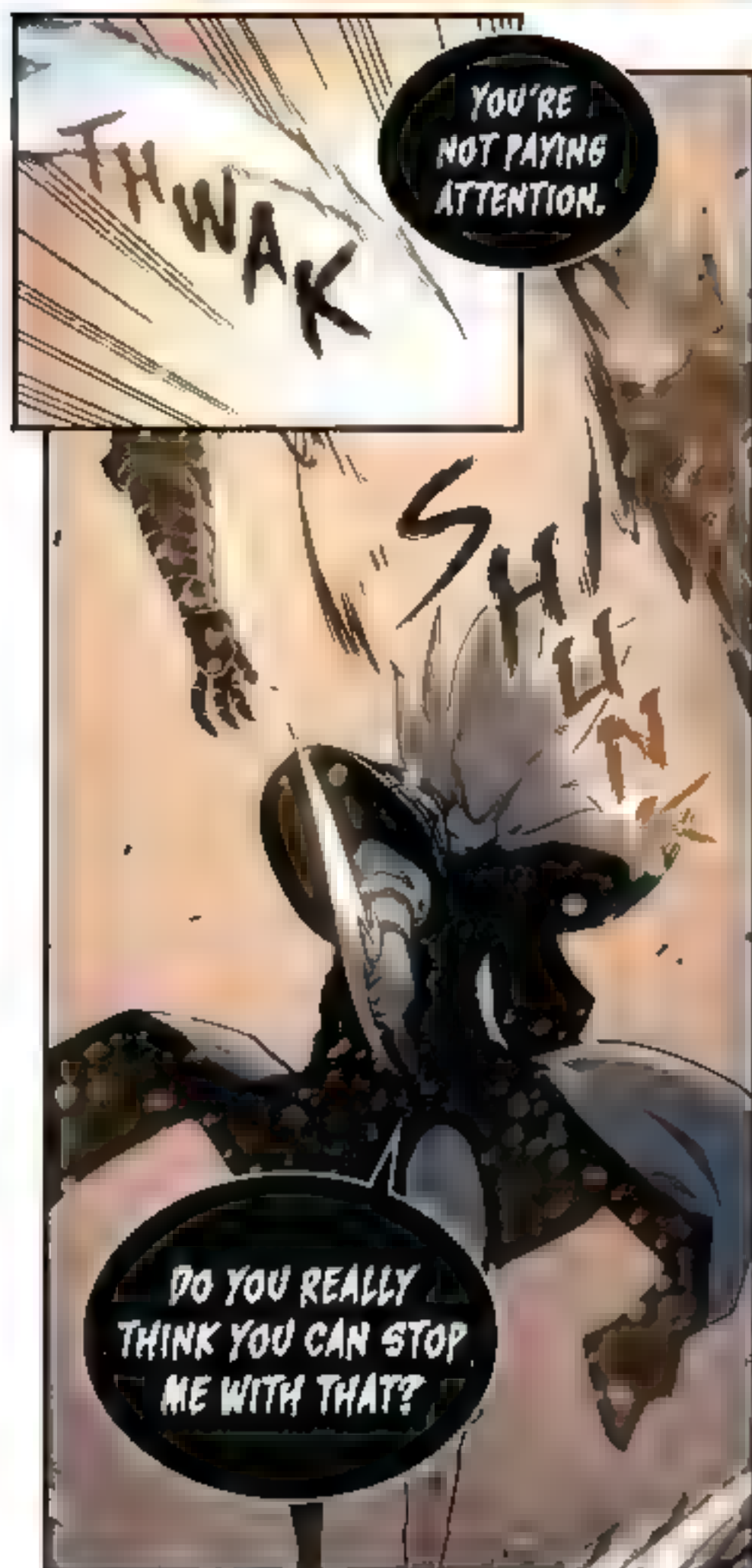




Shadow Extraction is successful.

YOU'RE EVEN
BIGGER NOW,
AREN'T YOU?

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RAAAAAAH!

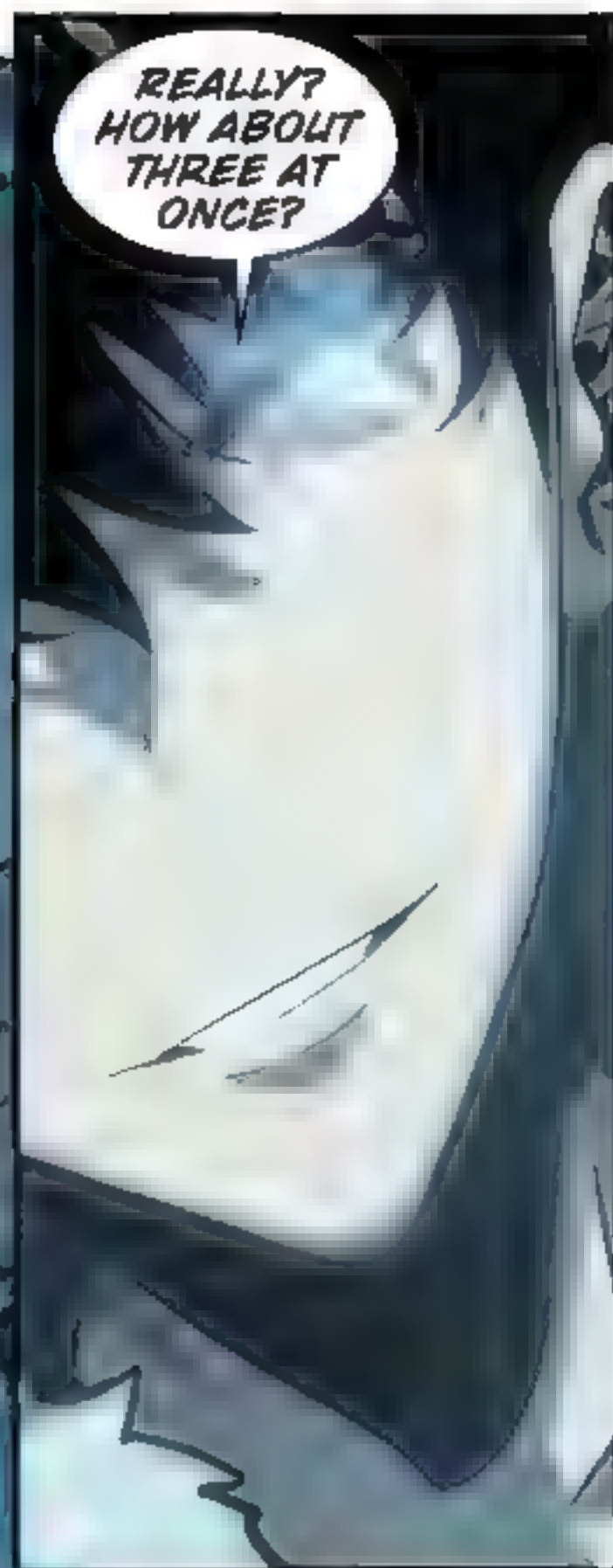
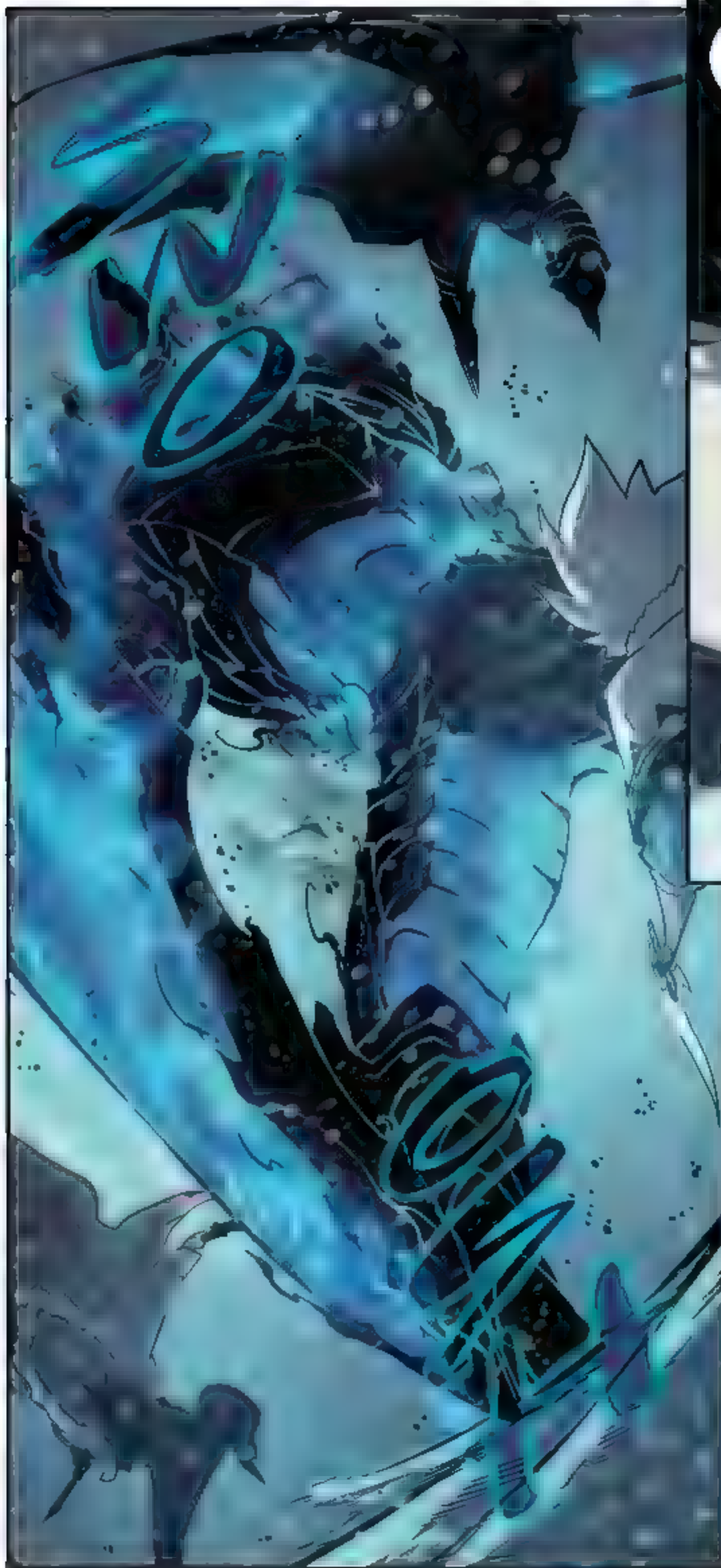
Irod is using [Skill: Epic Taunt].

The master of the dungeon has entered a state of aggro.

HOW
INTERESTING!

I'LL KILL
YOU FIRST!



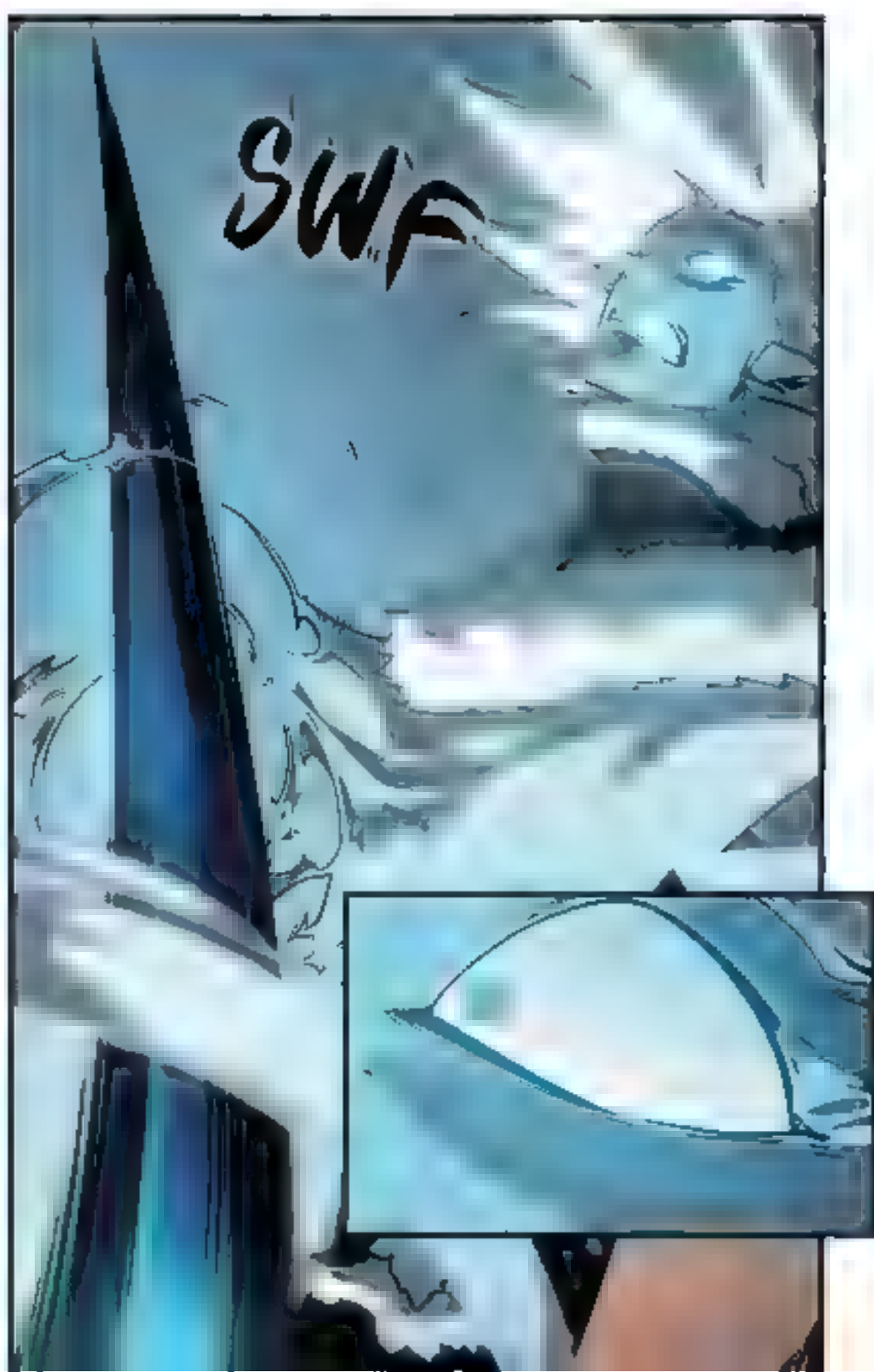
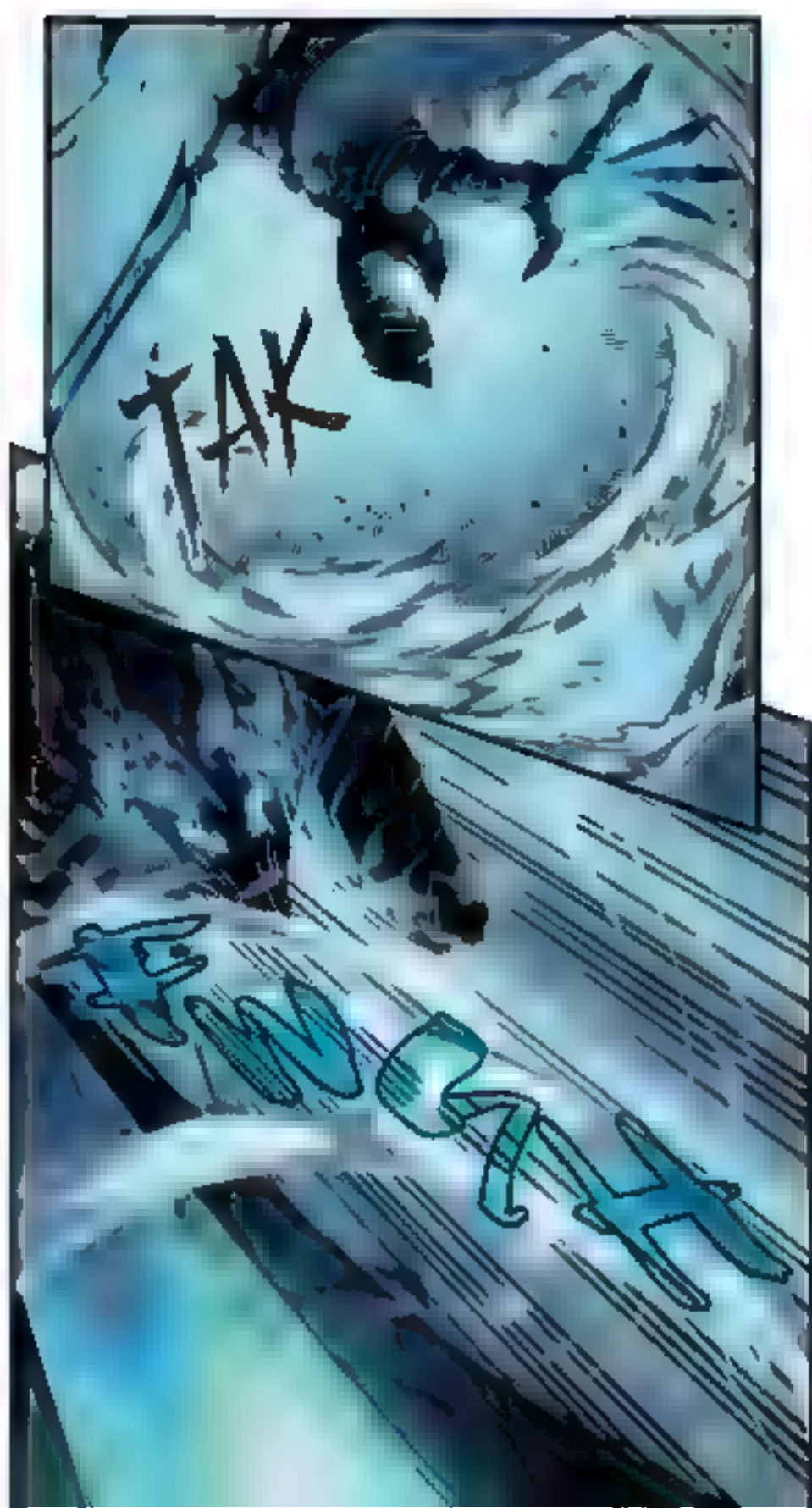


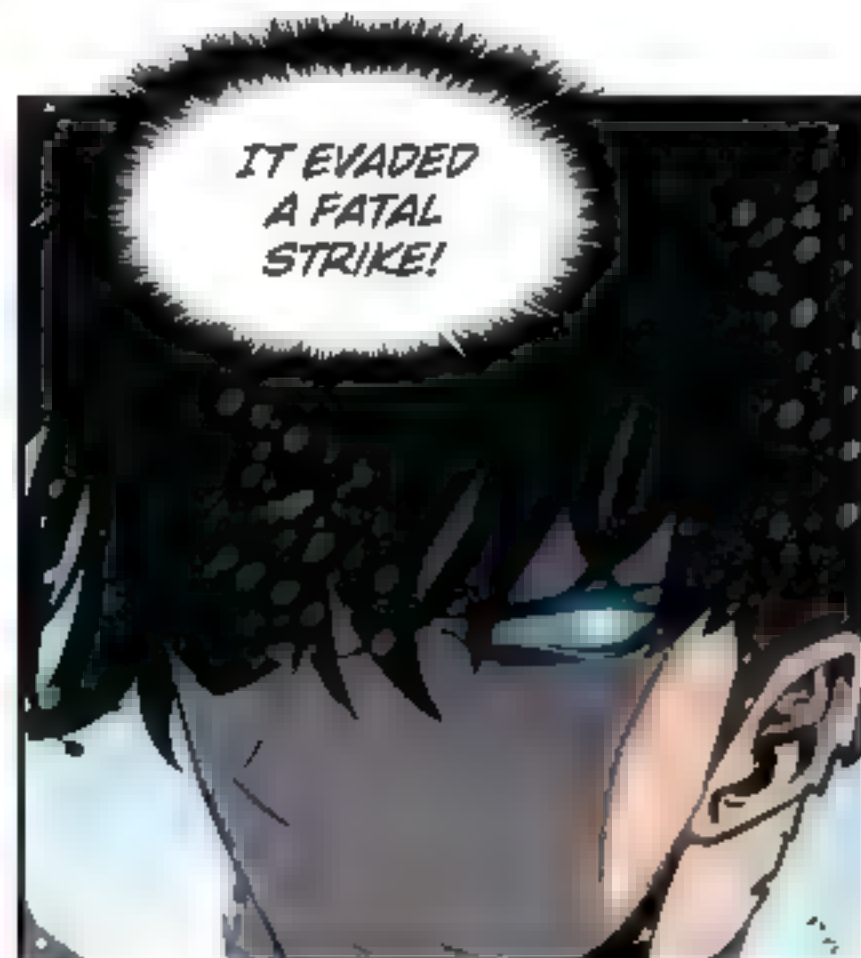
REALLY?
HOW ABOUT
THREE AT
ONCE?



DO ALL
HUNTERS'
FIGHTS LOOK
LIKE THIS?

IF THEY DID,
I WOULDN'T
HAVE GOTTEN
MY HUNTER'S
LICENSE!





IT EVADED
A FATAL
STRIKE!

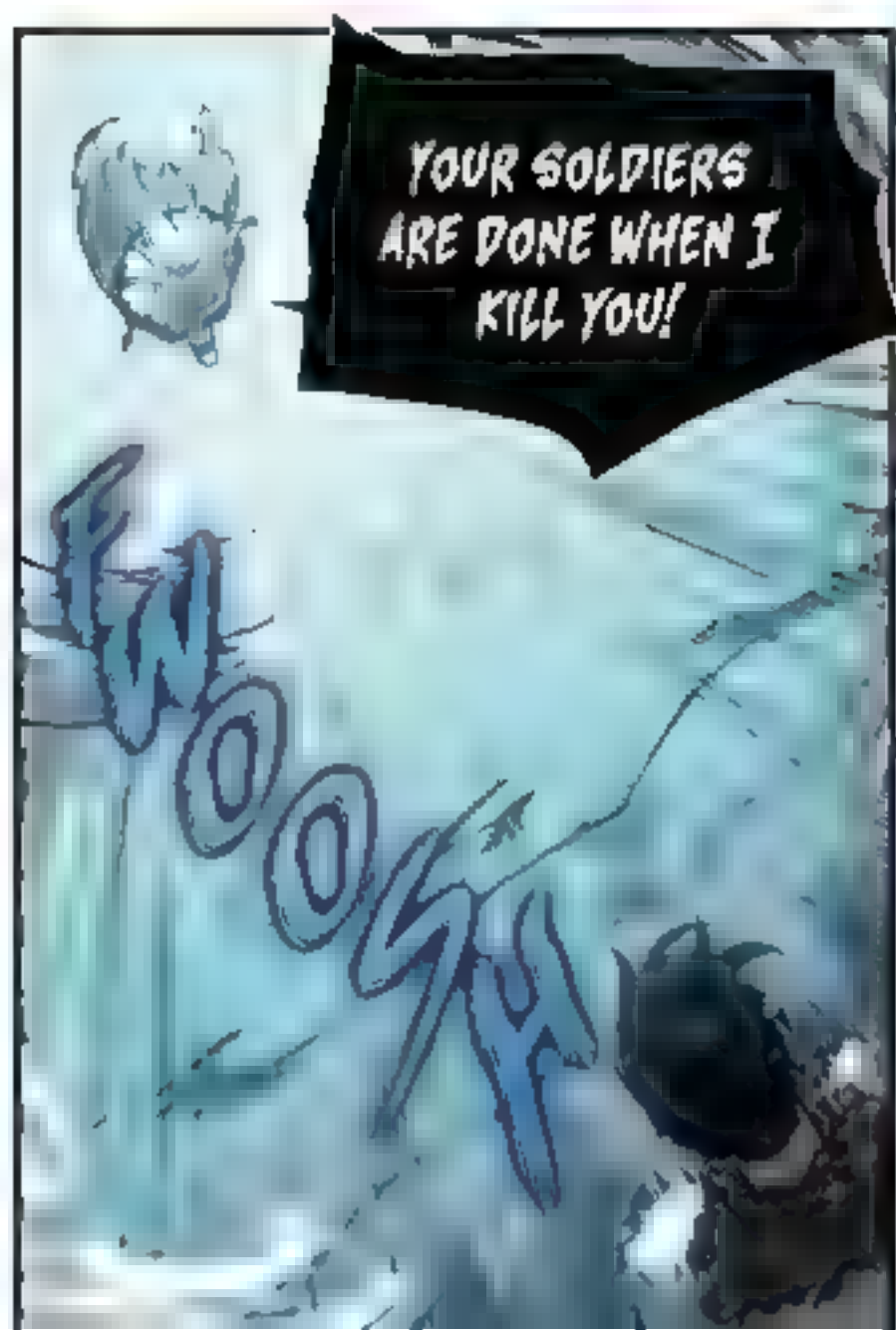
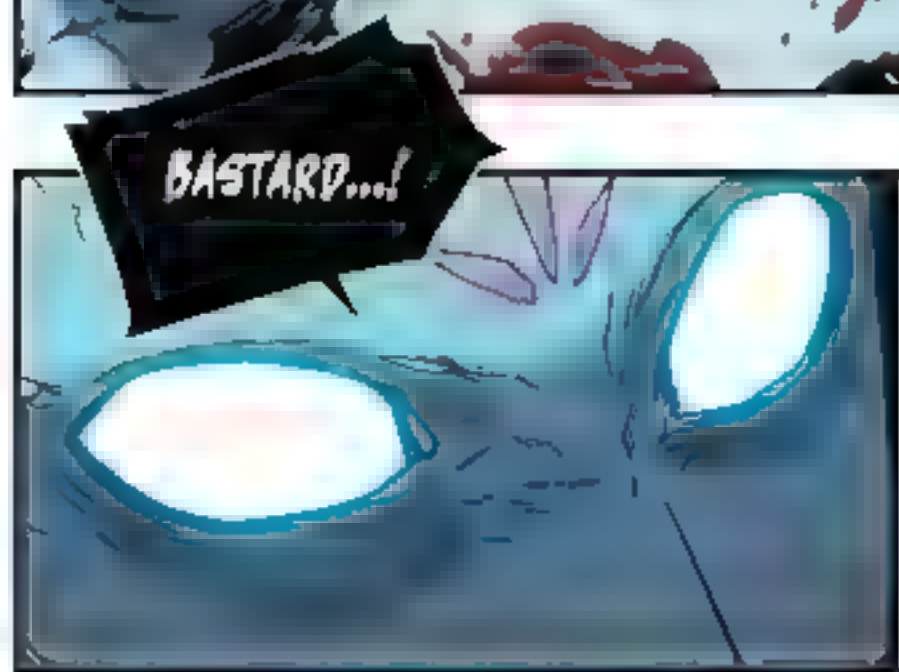


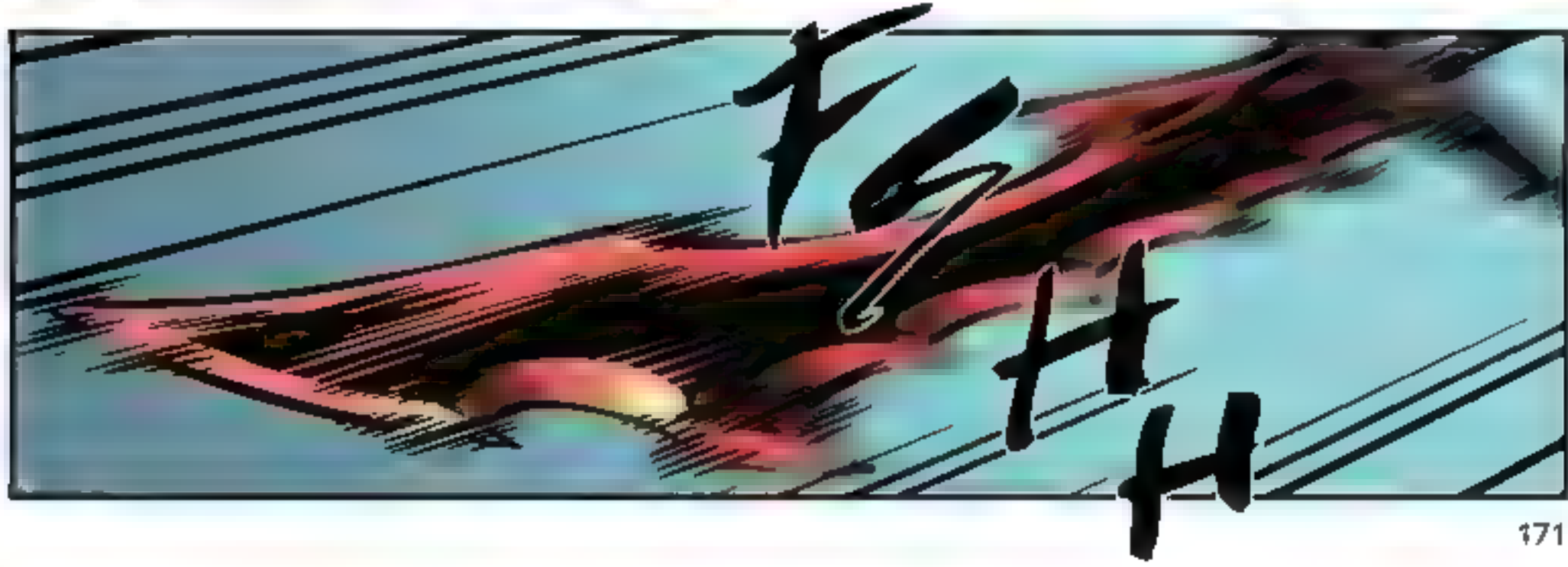
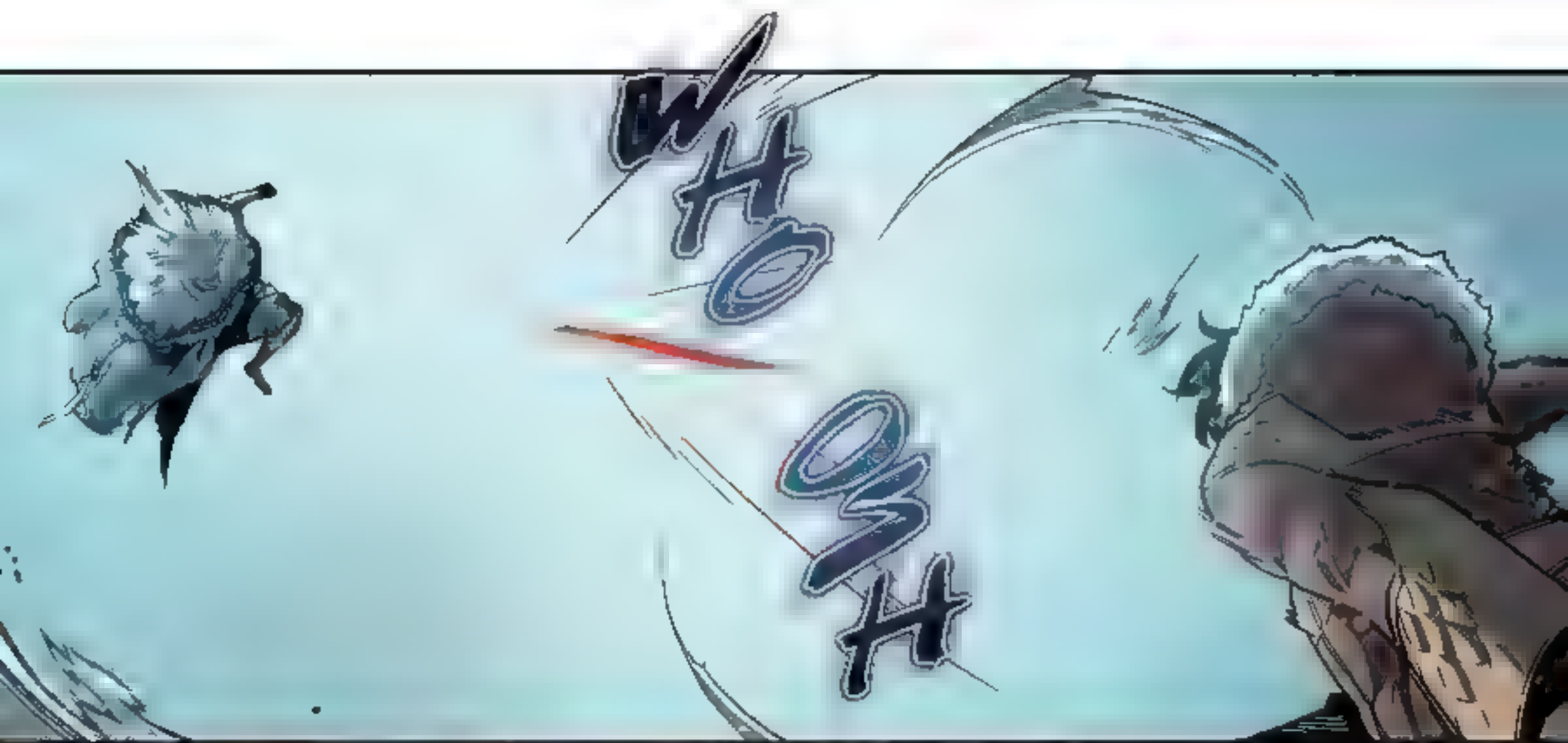
YOU'RE
QUITE PERSISTENT
FOR A BUNCH OF
GARBAGE.

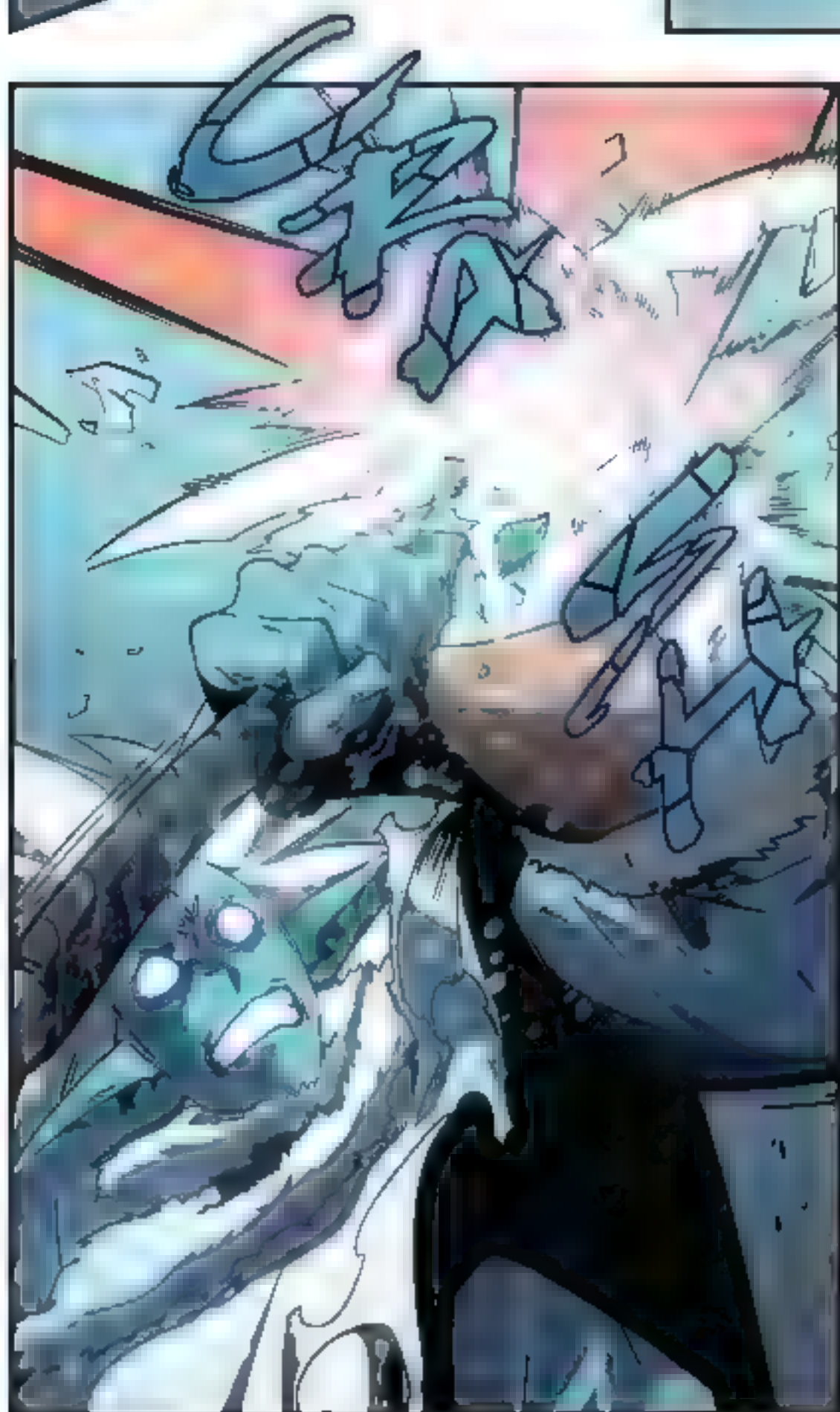
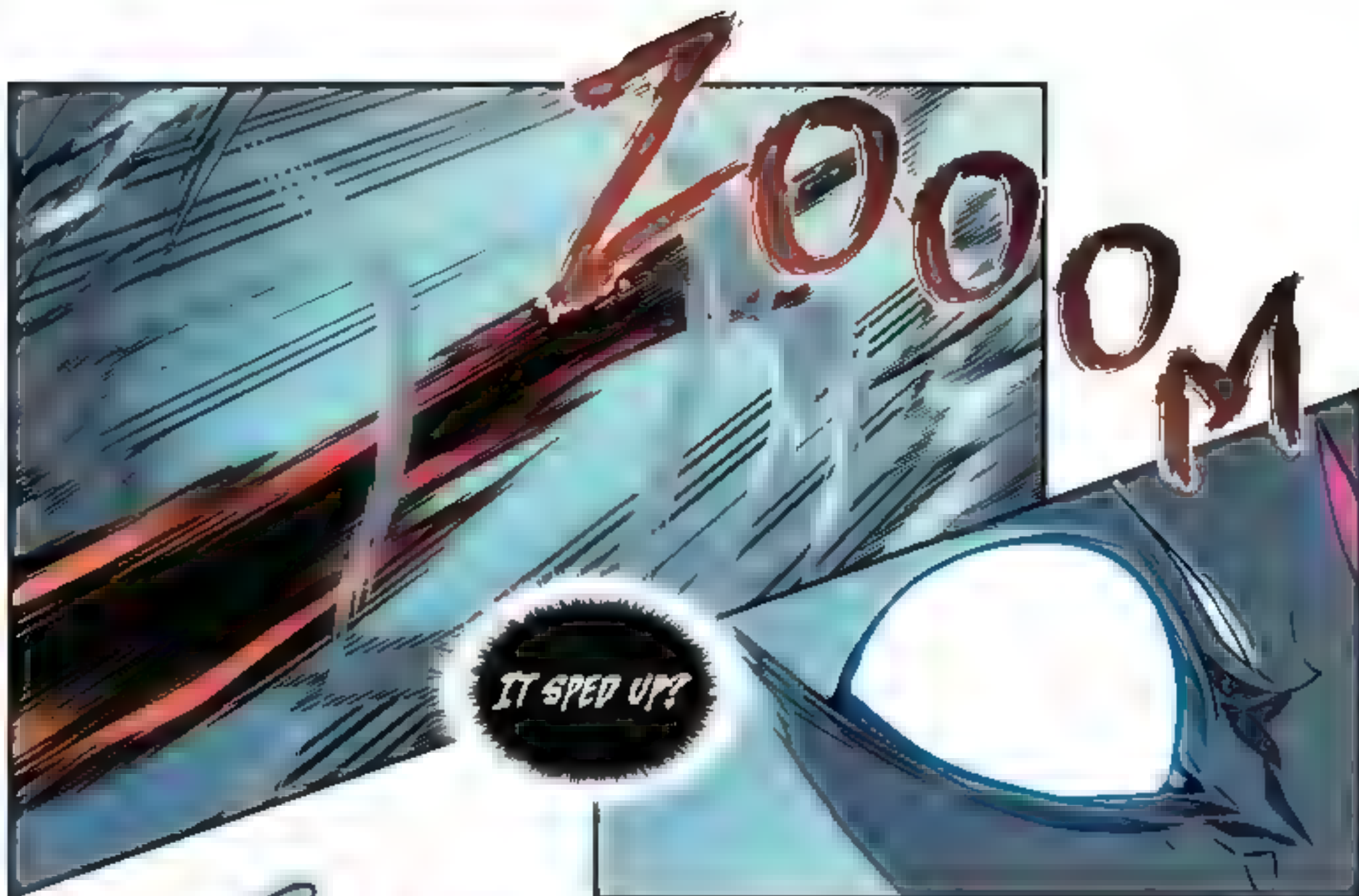
IS THAT REALLY
SOMETHING YOU
CAN SAY?

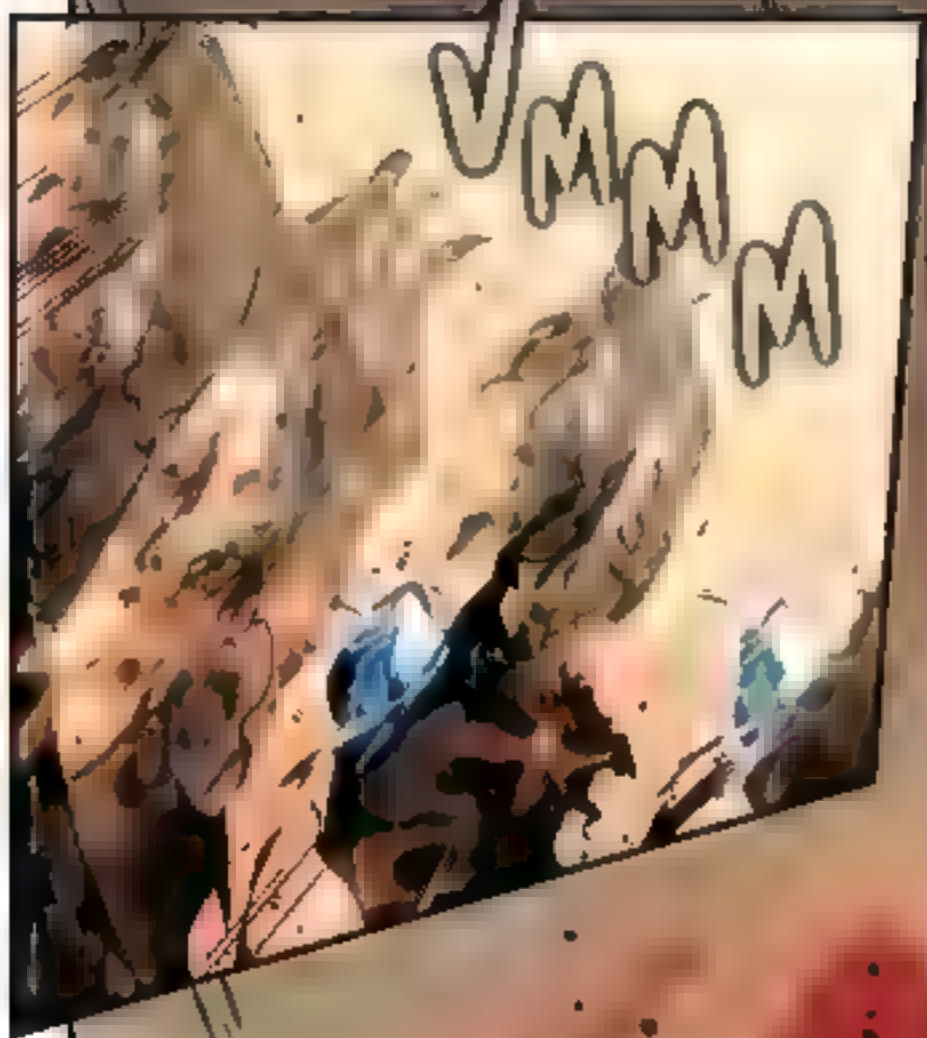
LOOK
AROUND.

Debuff has been canceled
out by the opponent's
high resistance level.

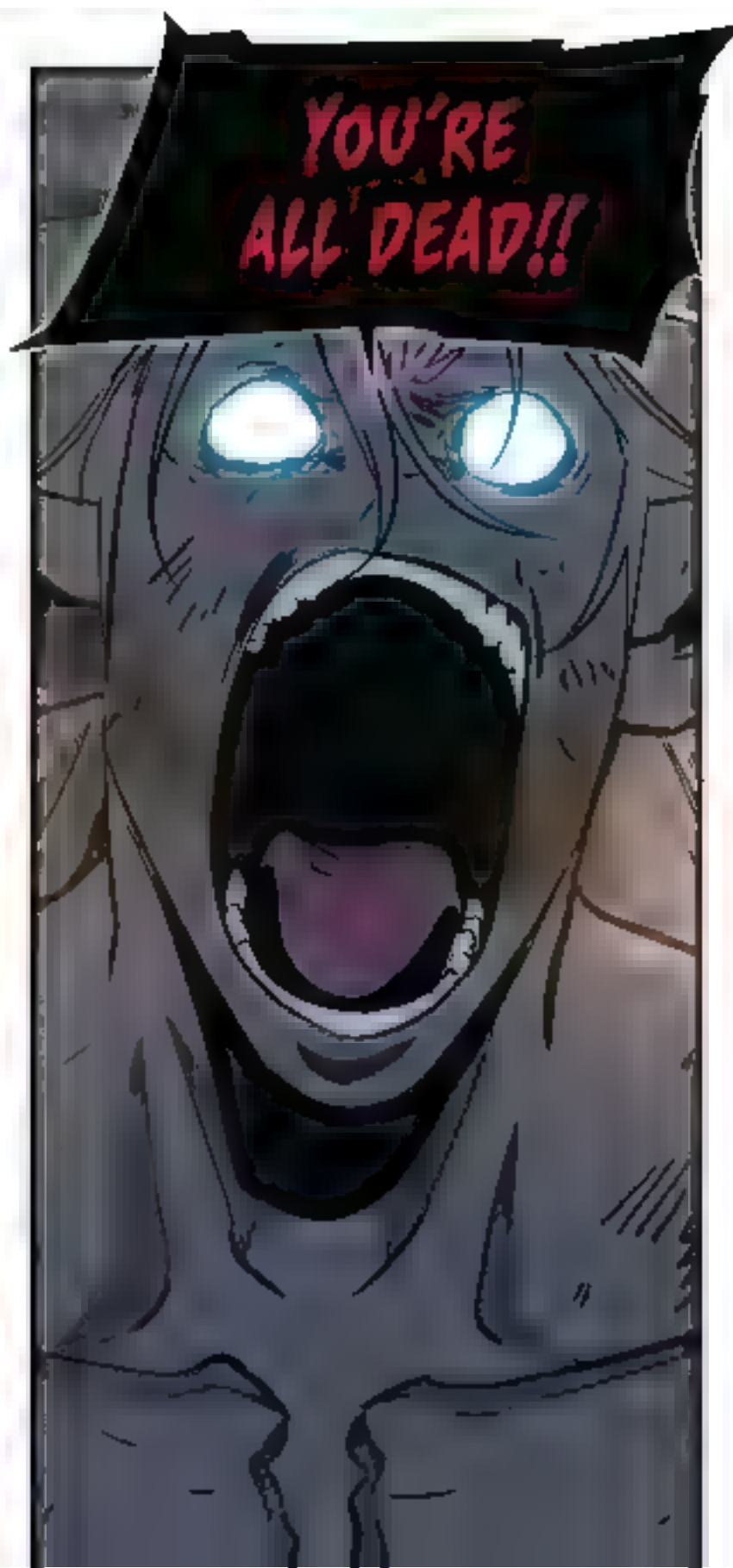


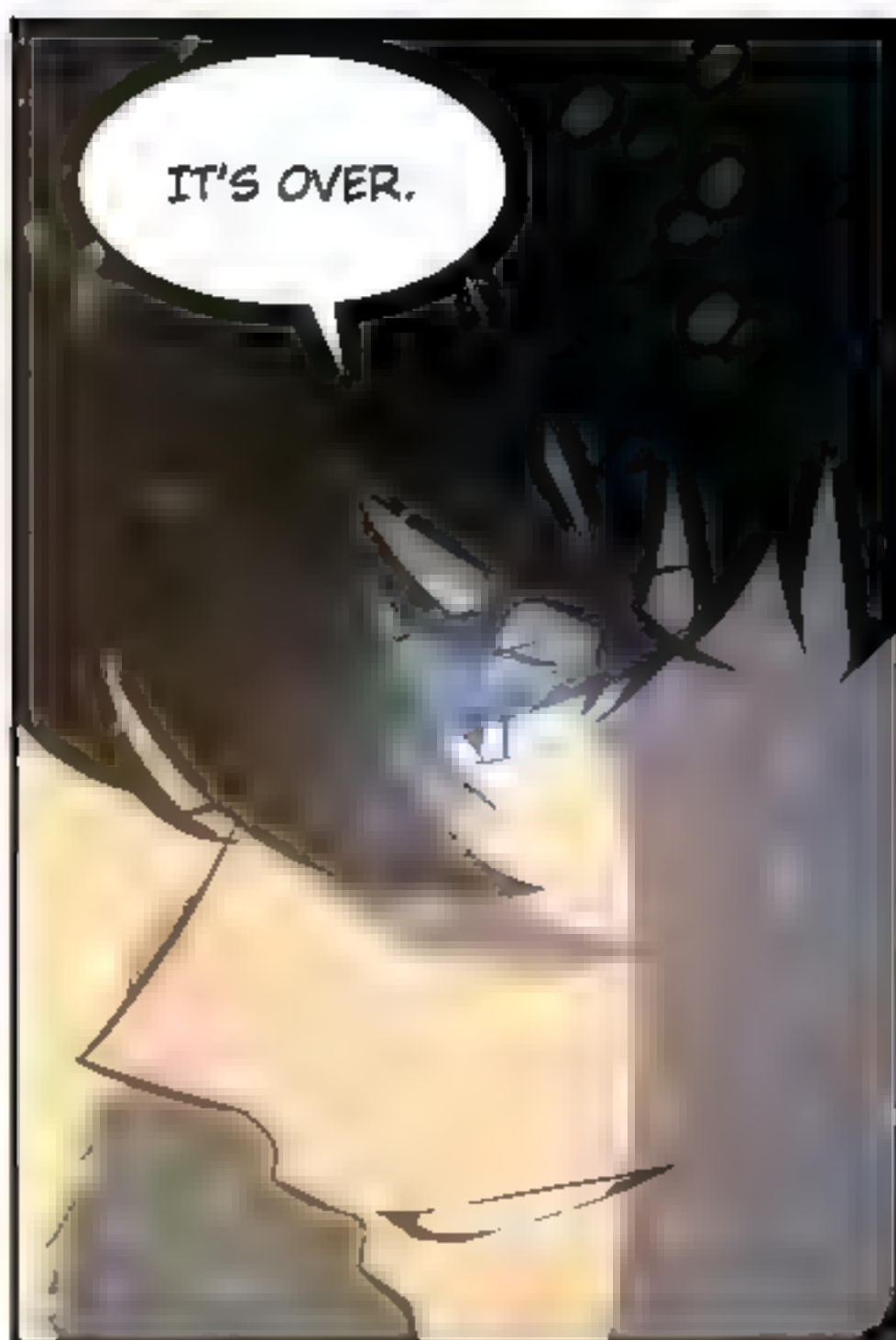
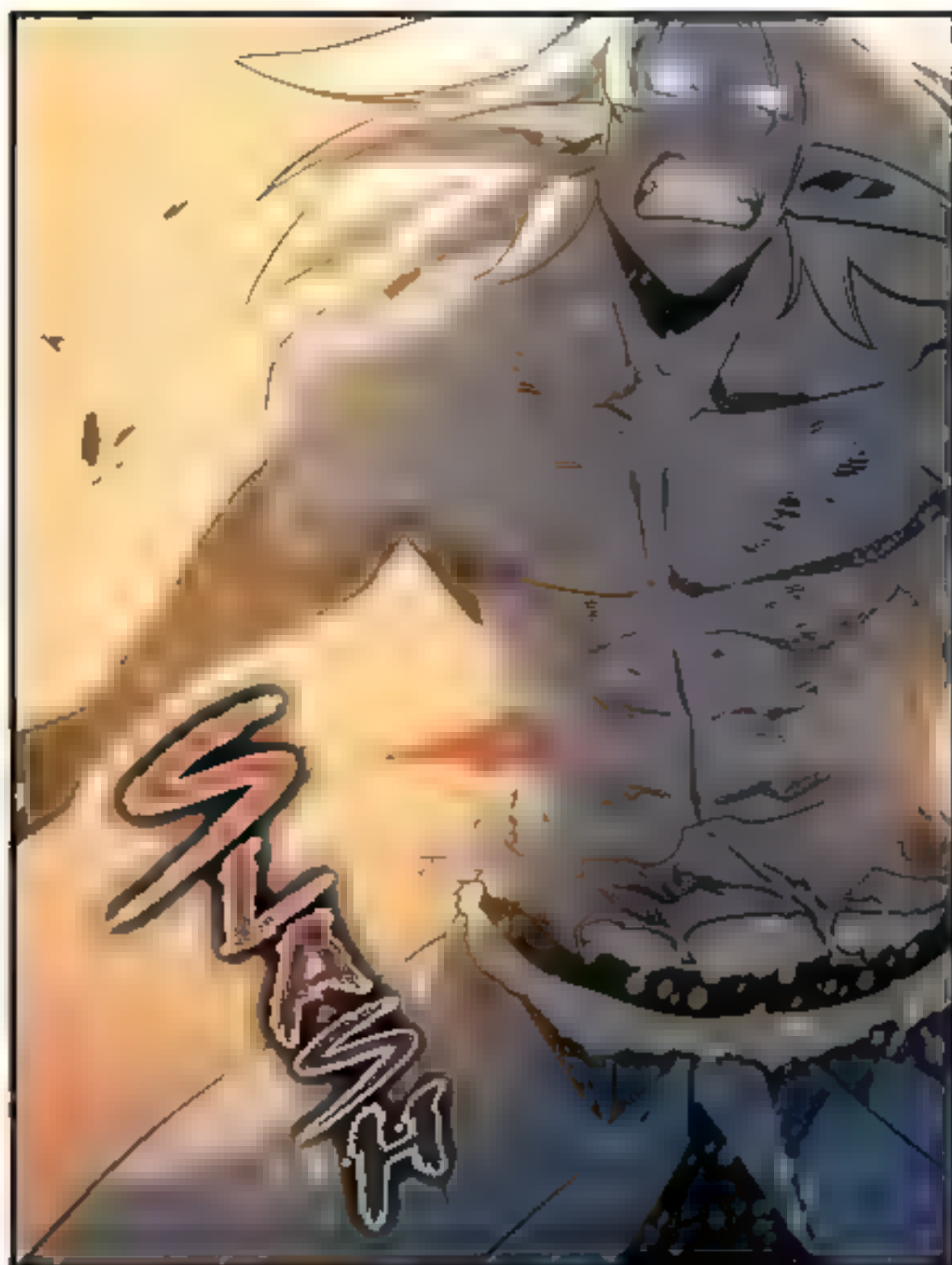


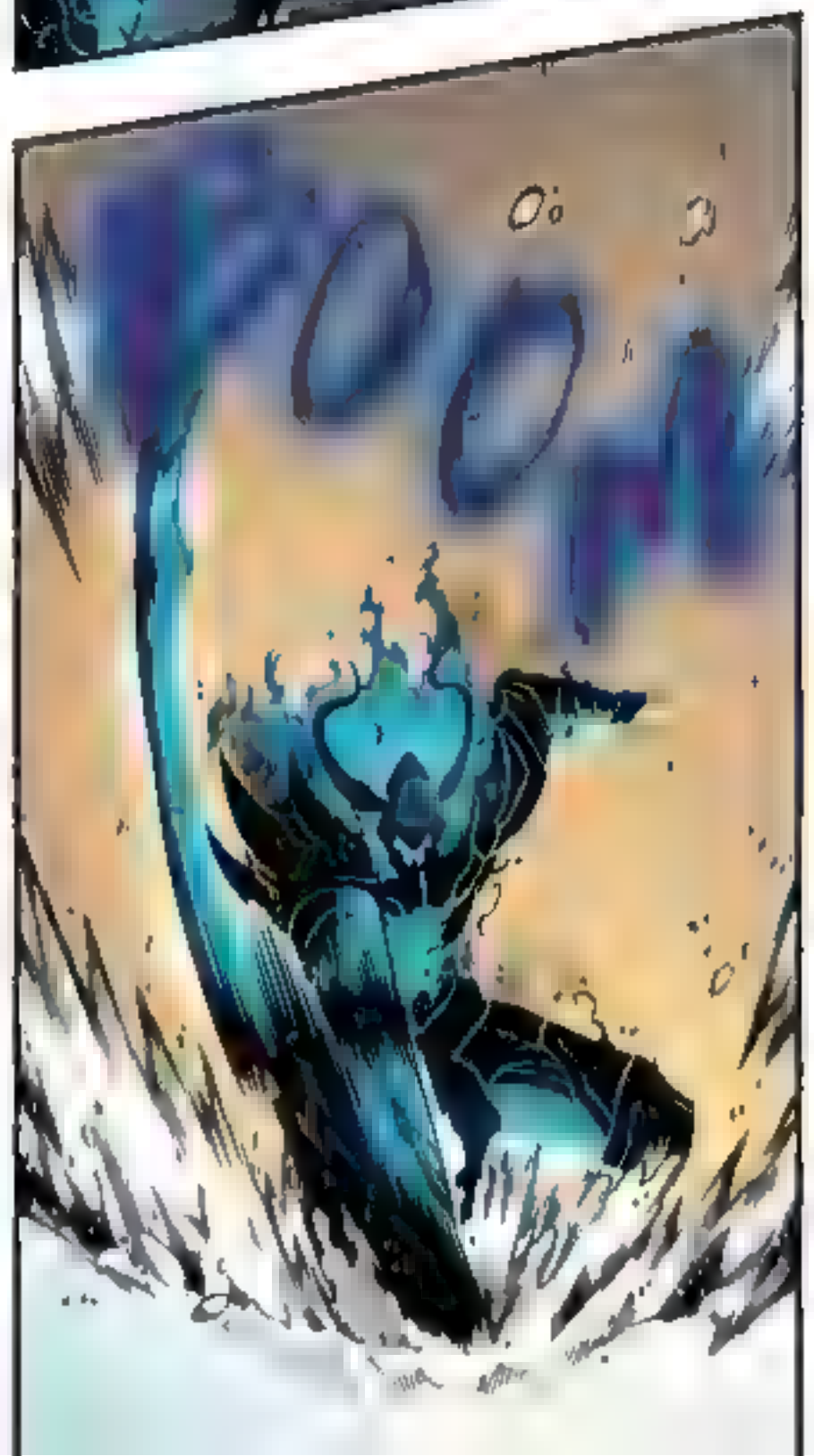
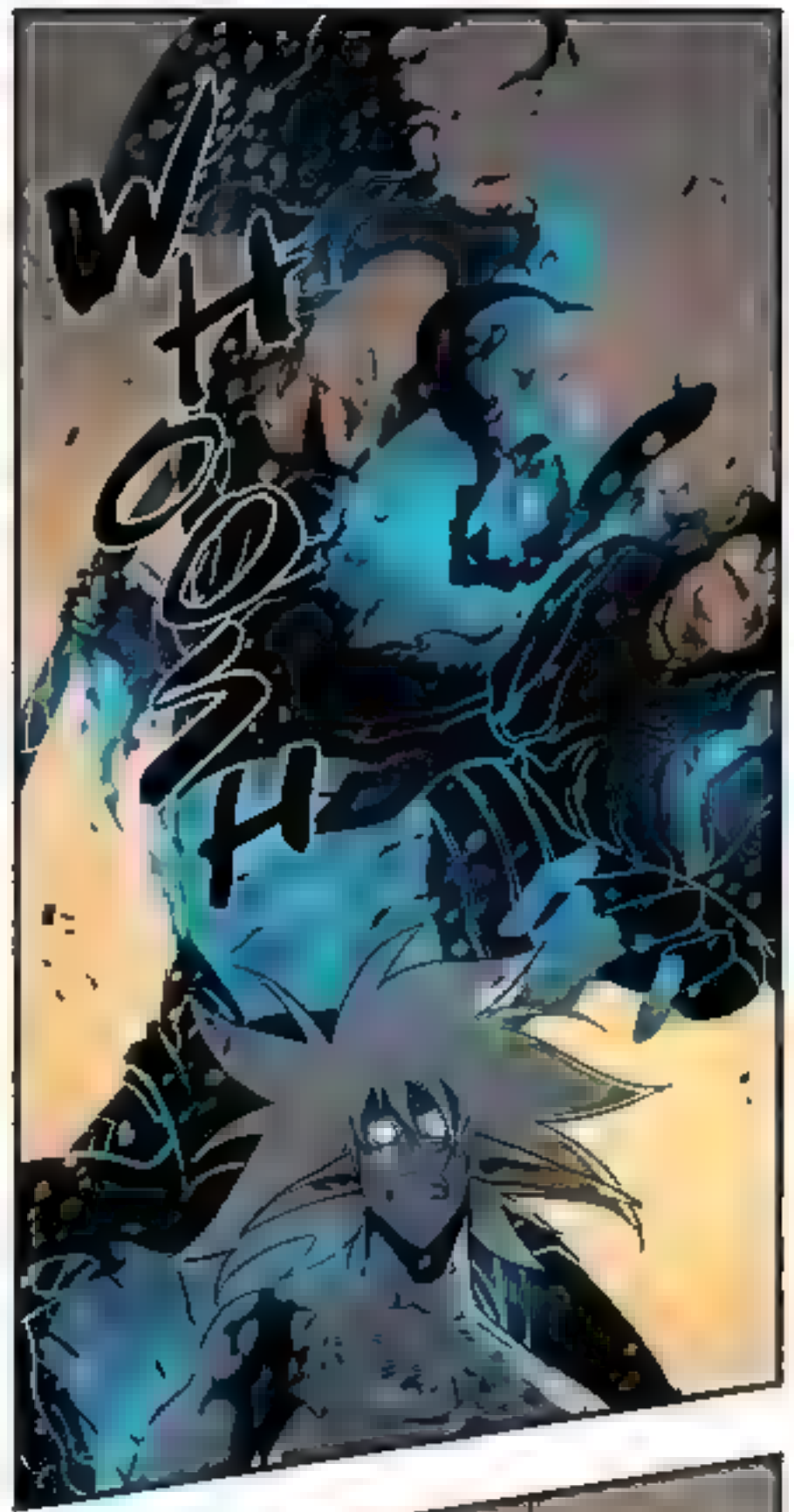
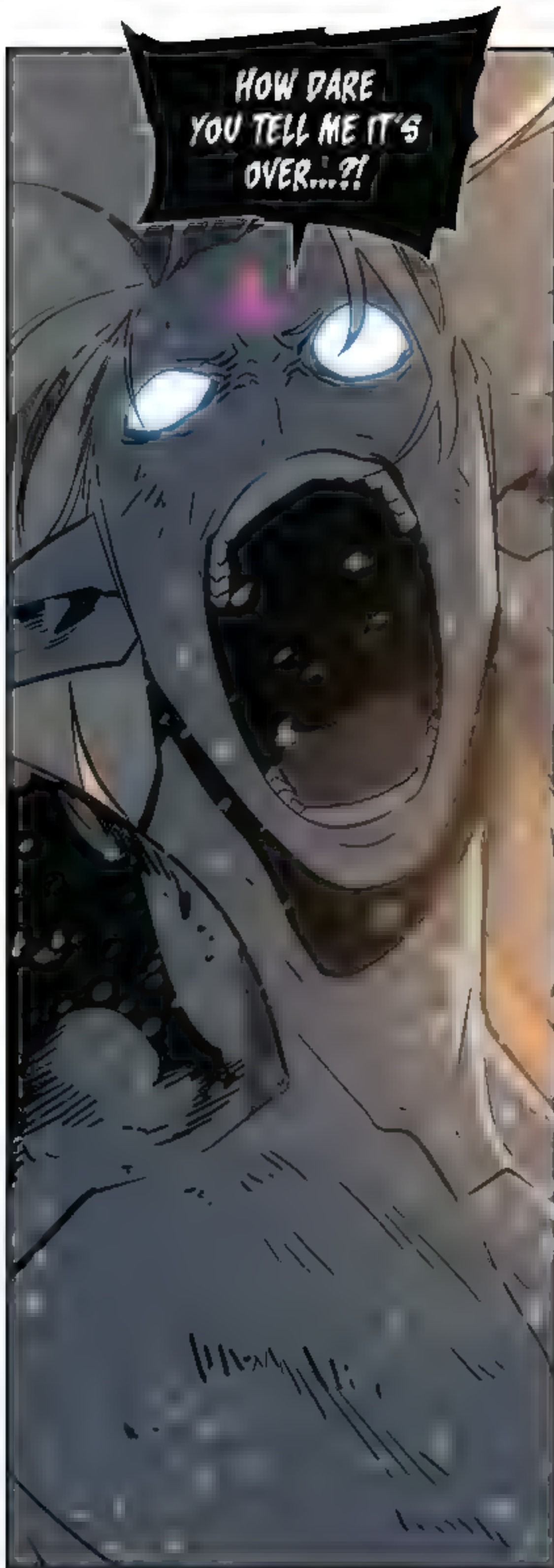


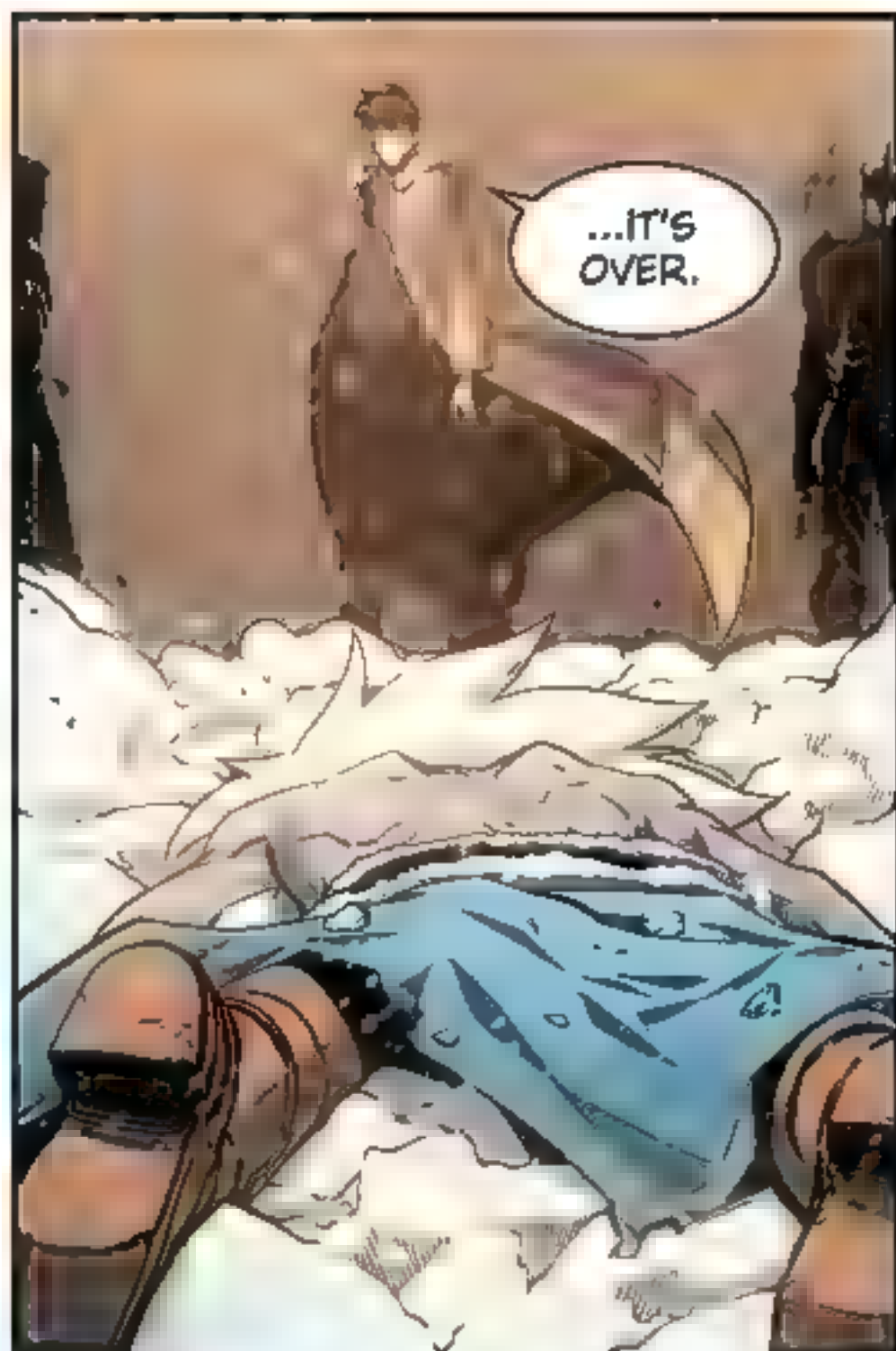
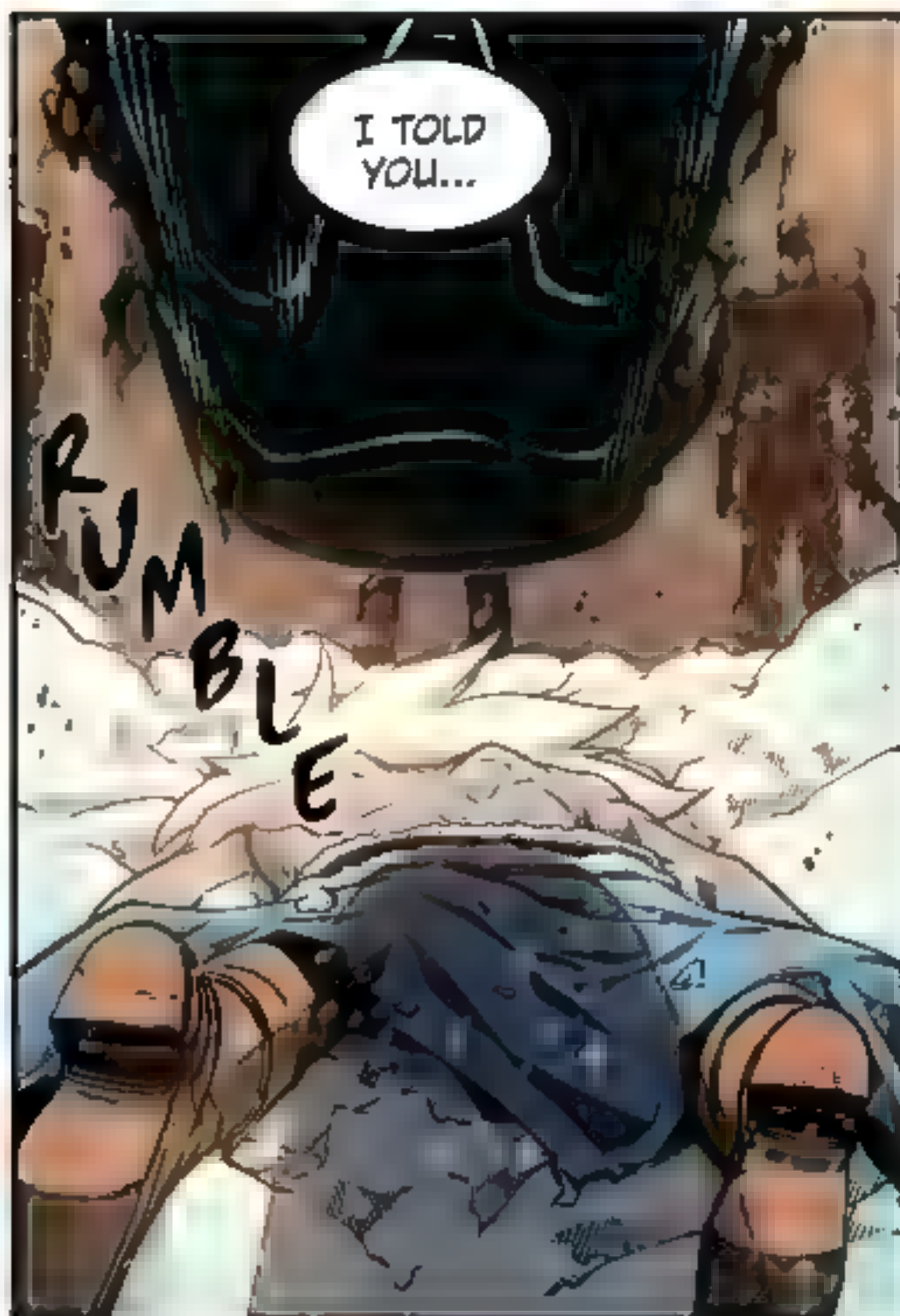


KA BOOM





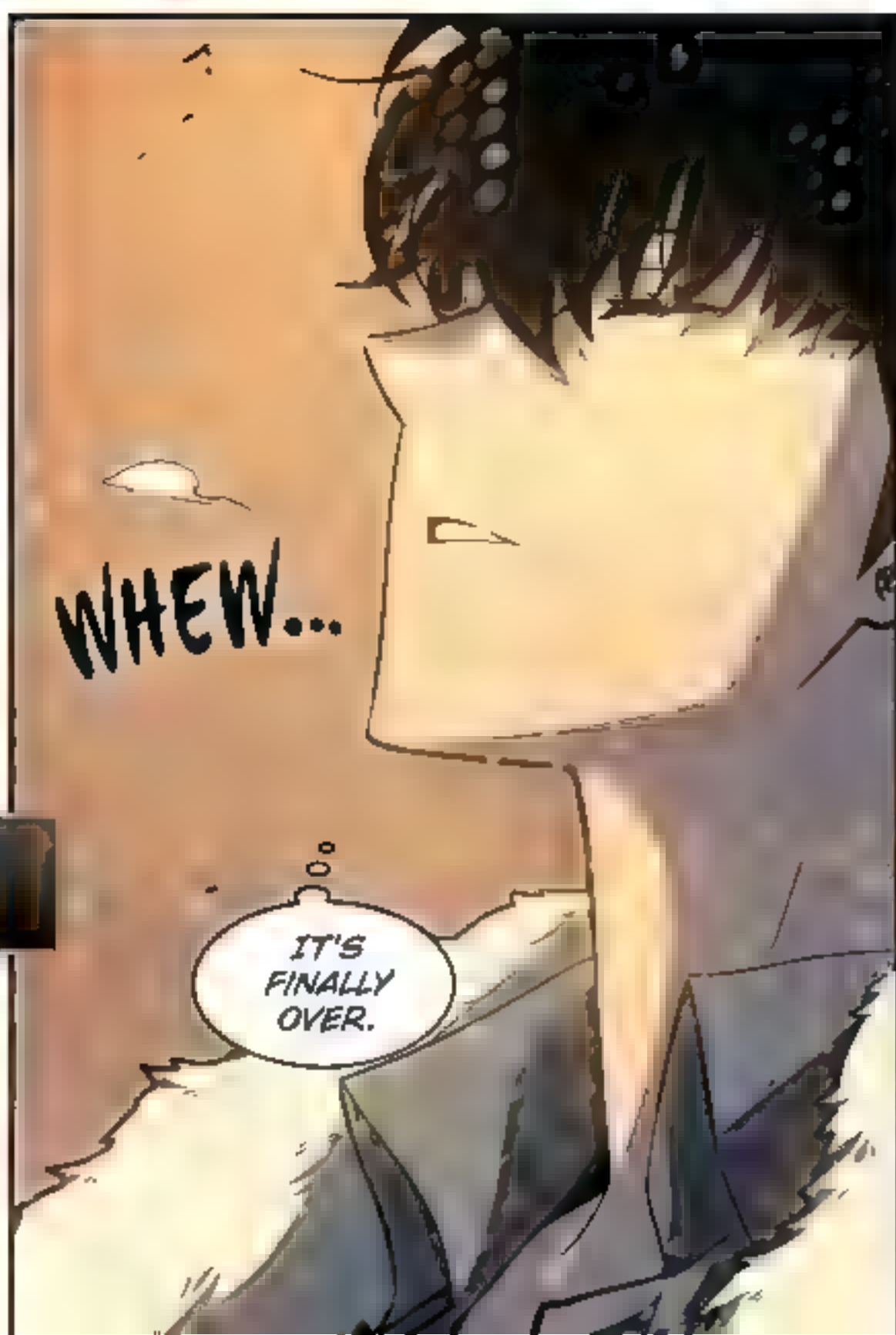




You have defeated the master of the dungeon.

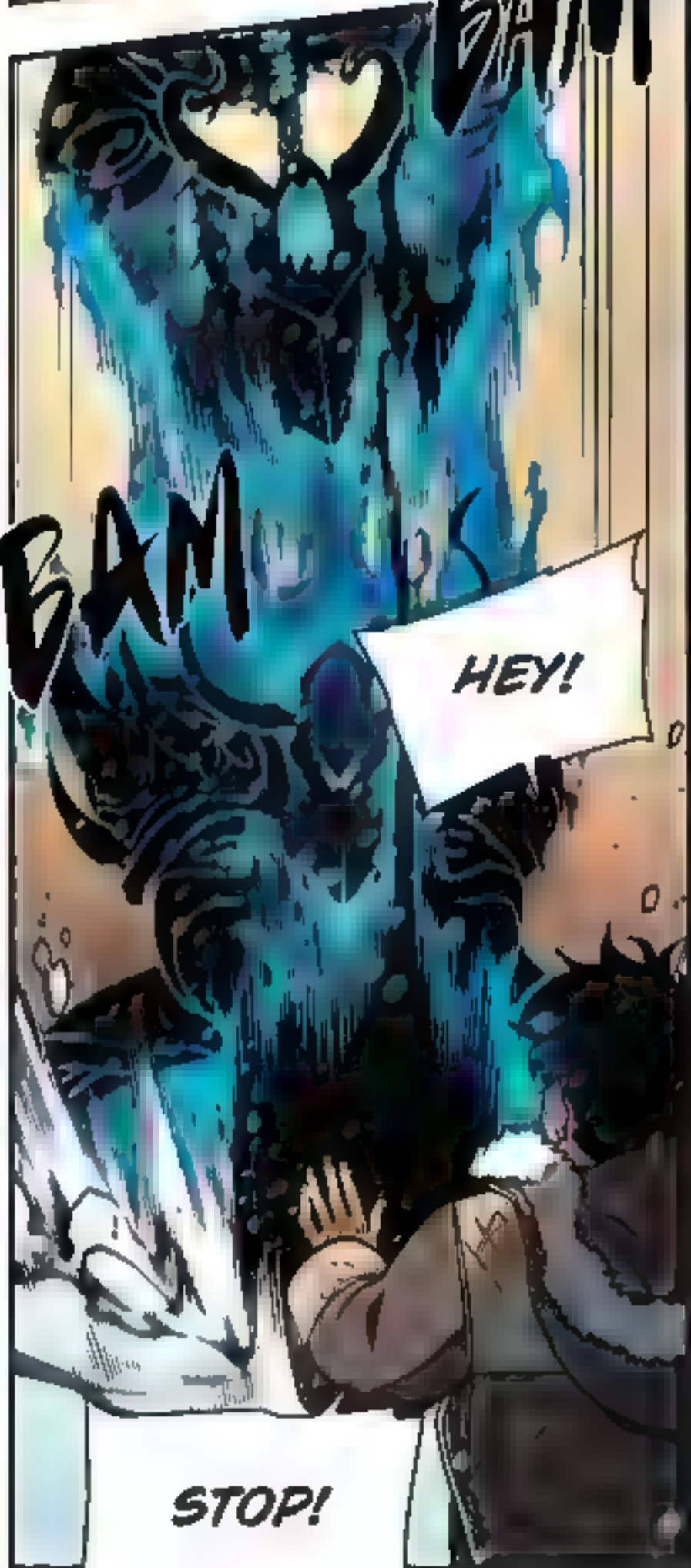
You have leveled up!

You have leveled up!





BAM

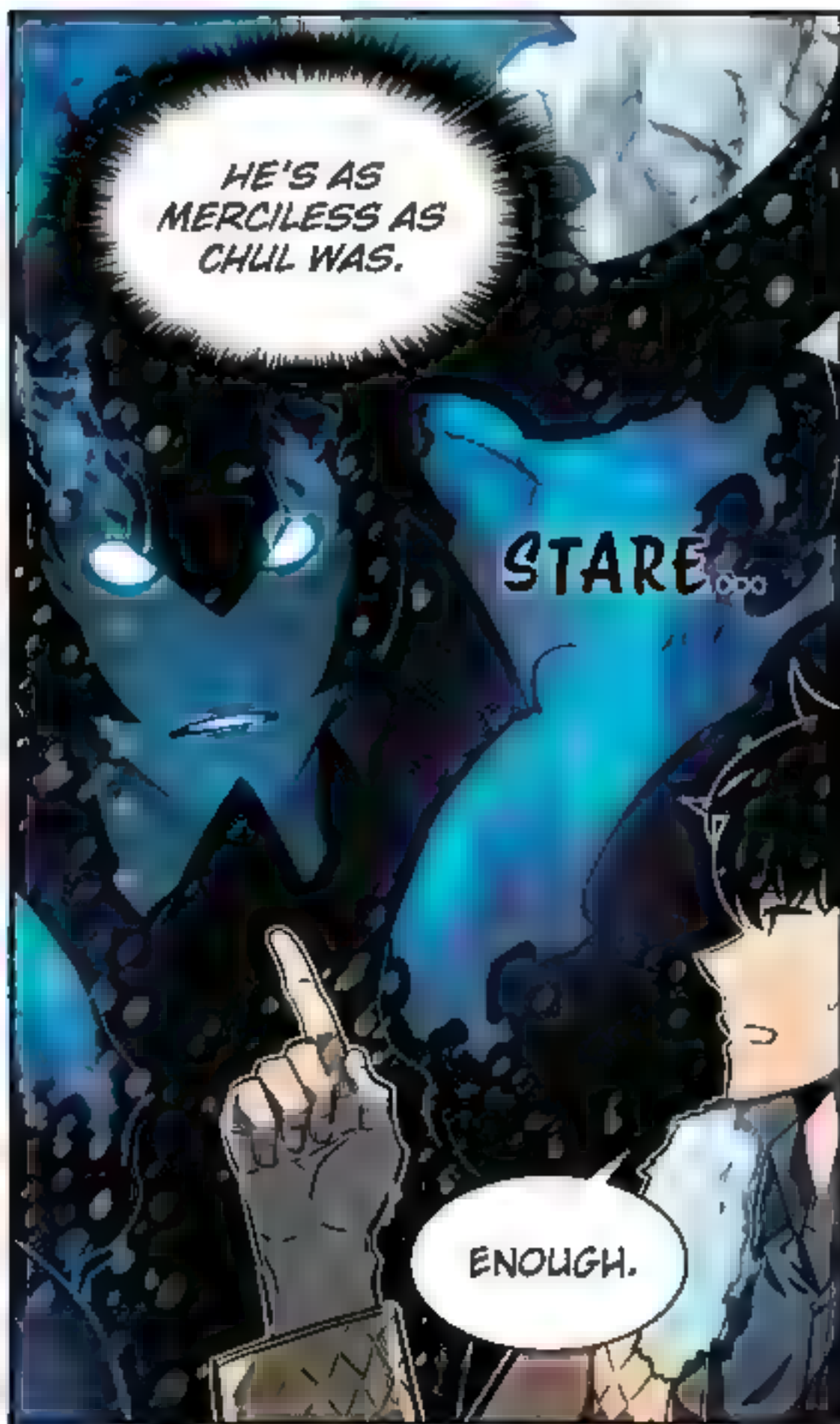


BAM

BAM

HEY!

STOP!



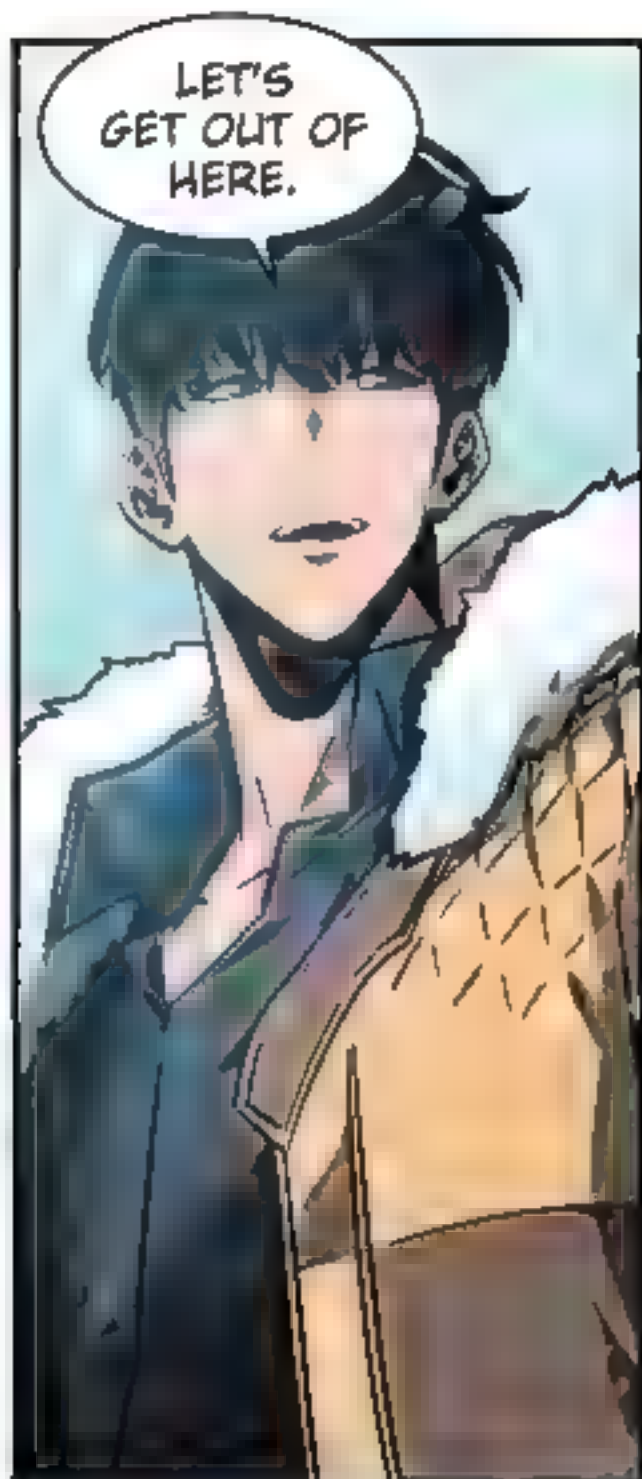
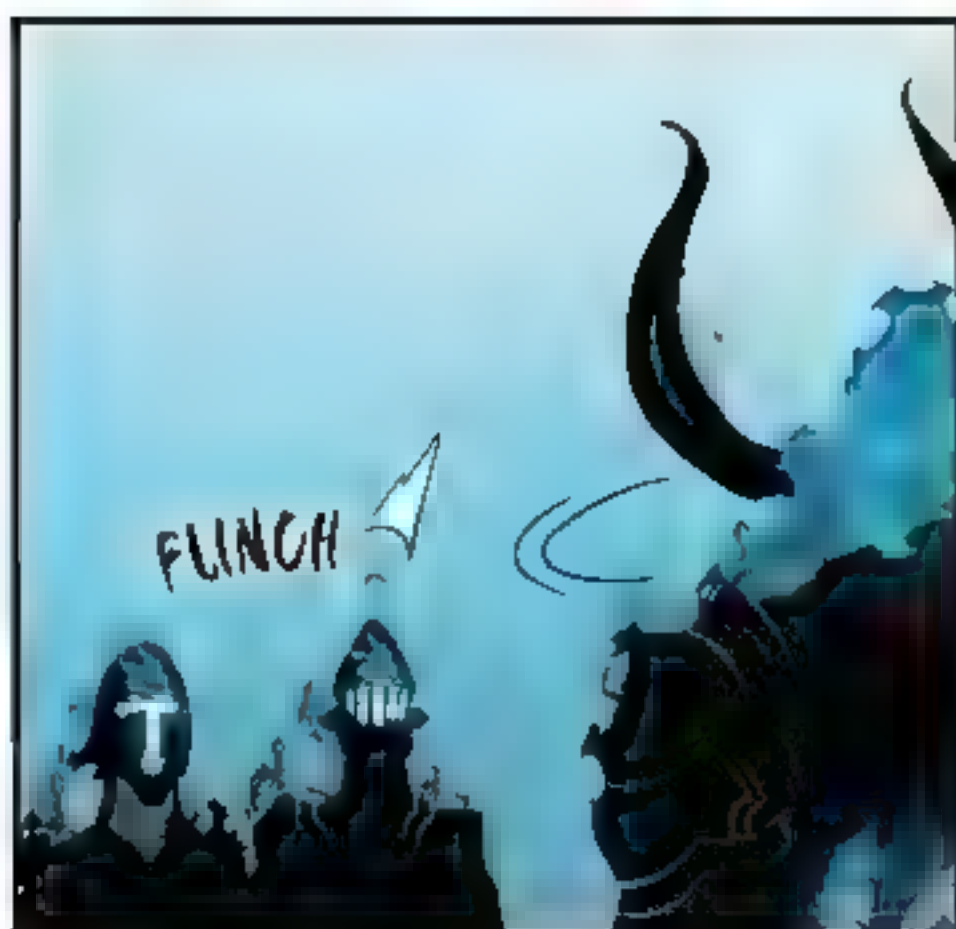
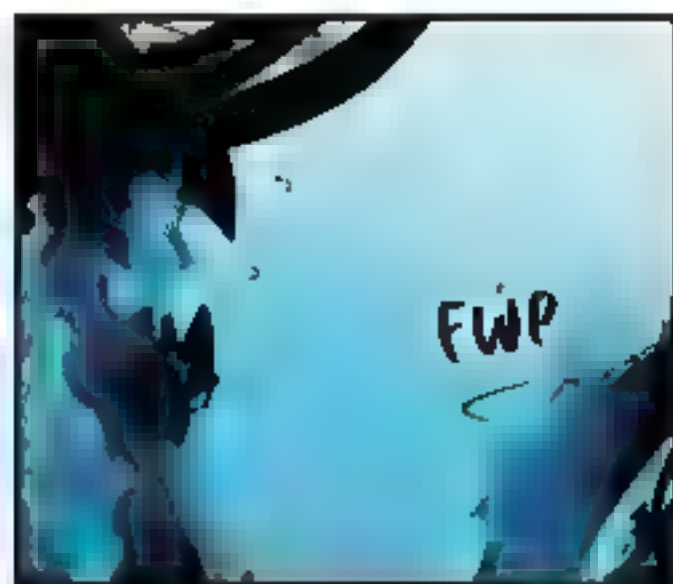
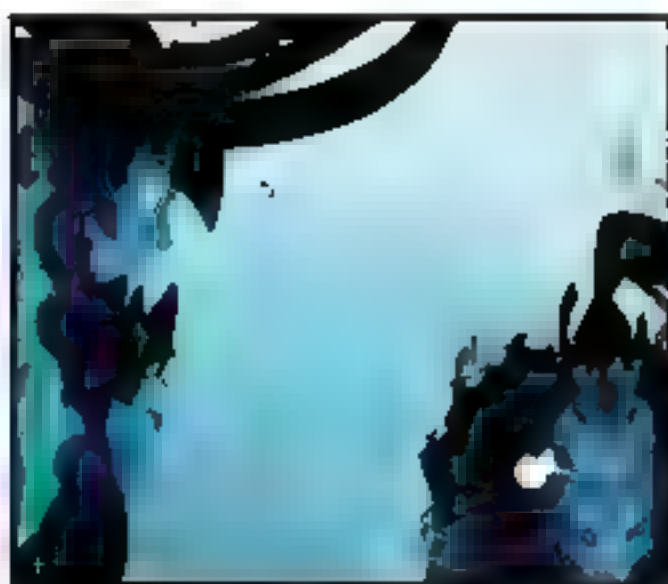
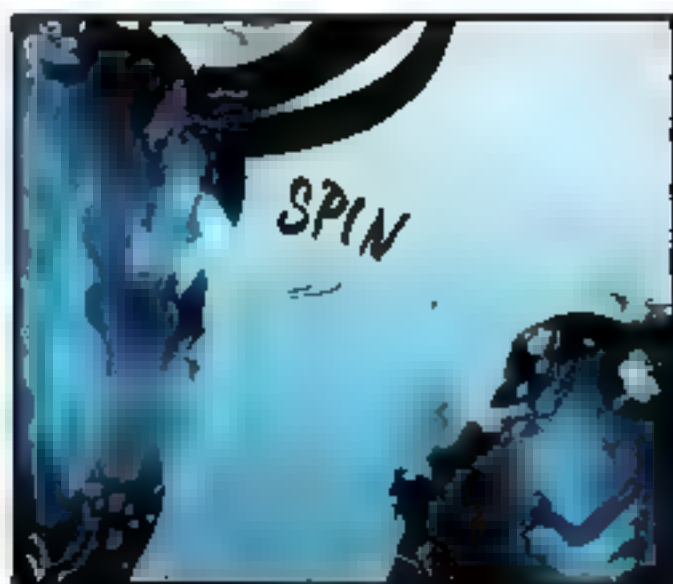
HE'S AS
MERCILESS AS
CHUL WAS.

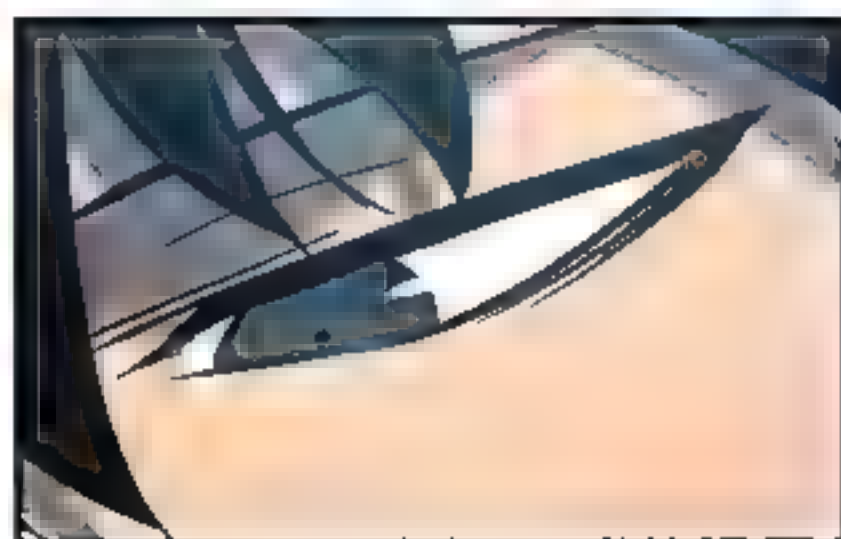
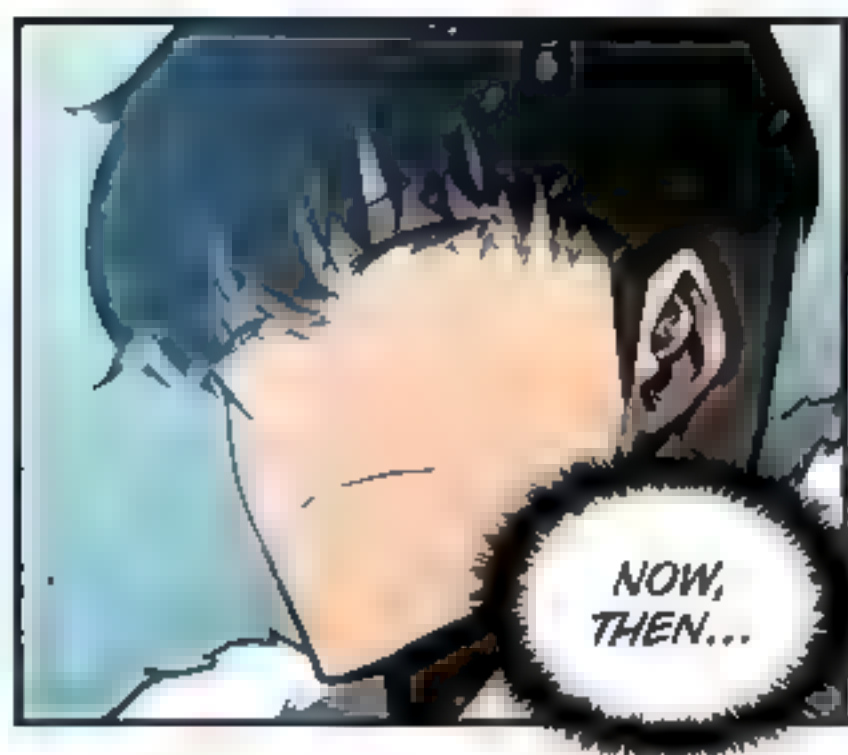
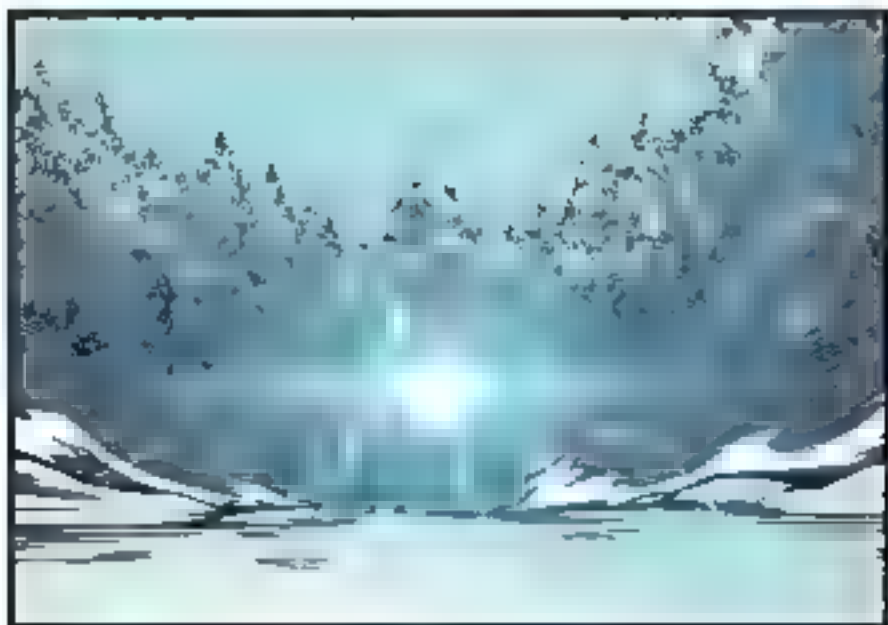
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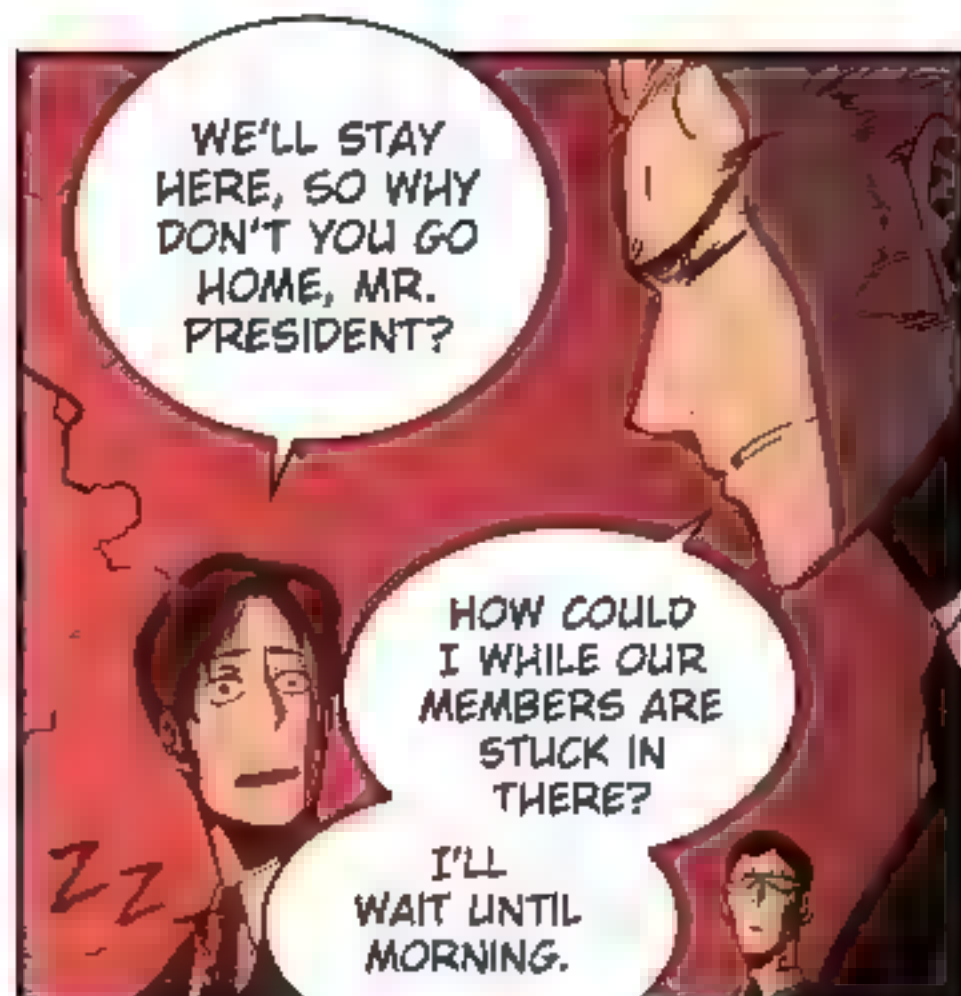
ENOUGH.

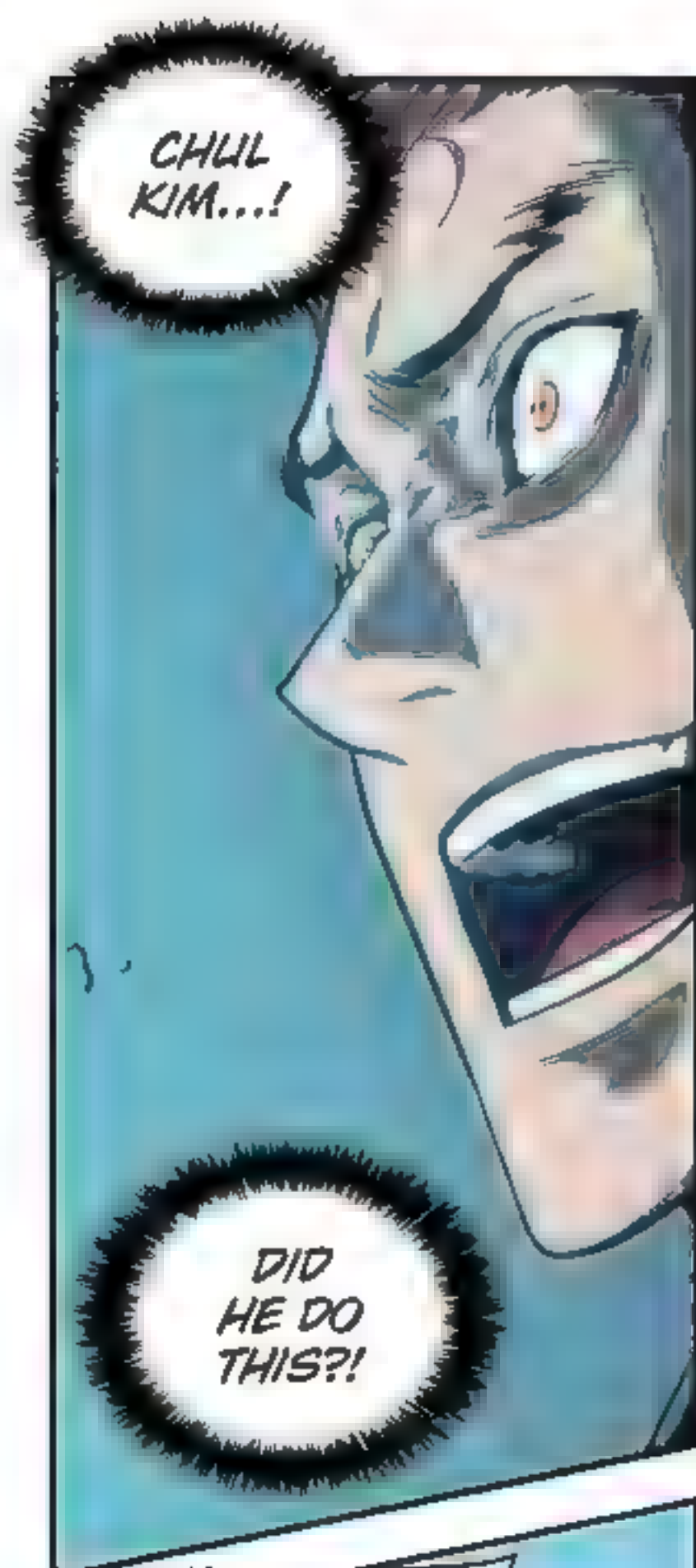


THIS ONE
WORRIES ME.

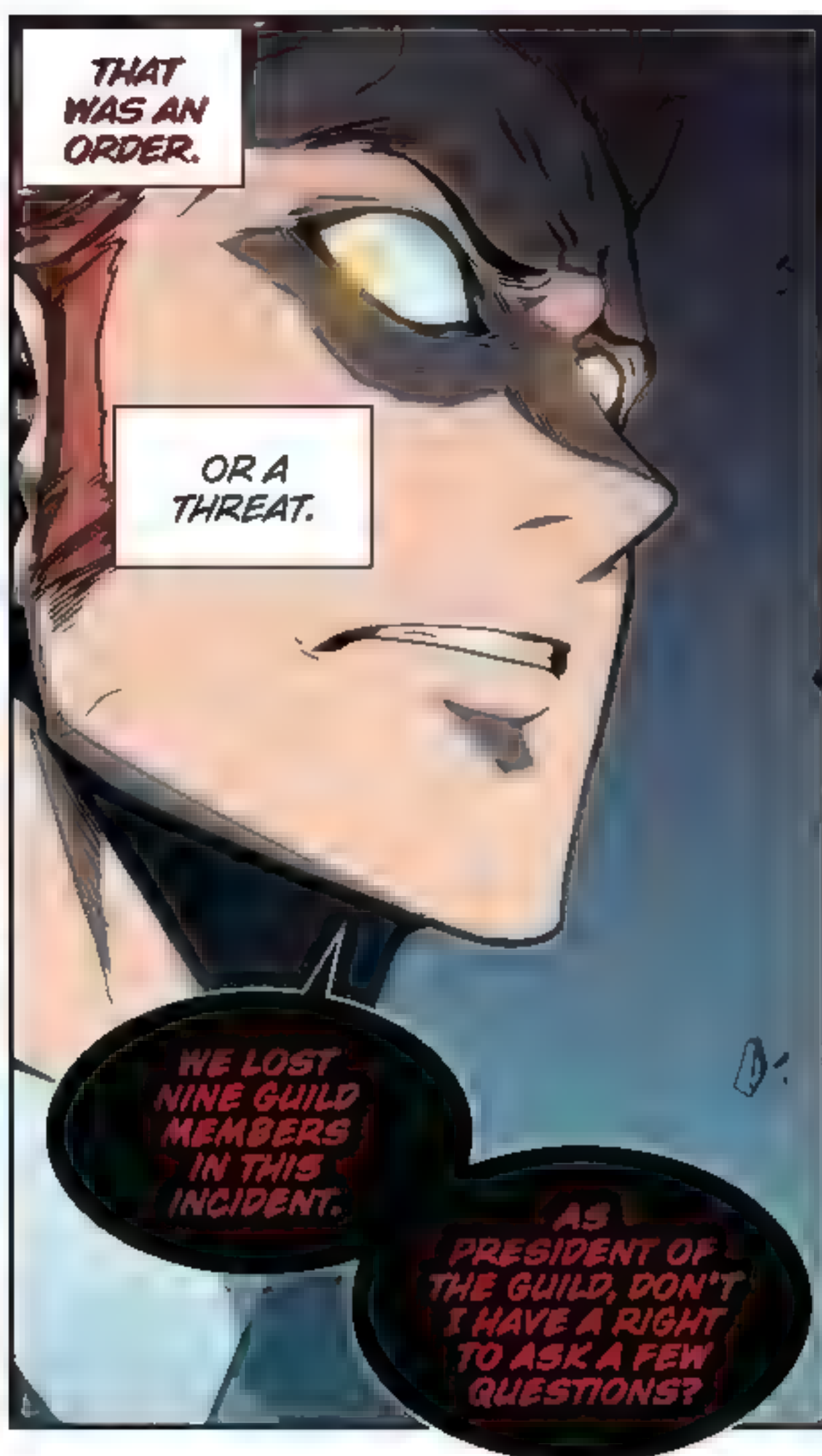
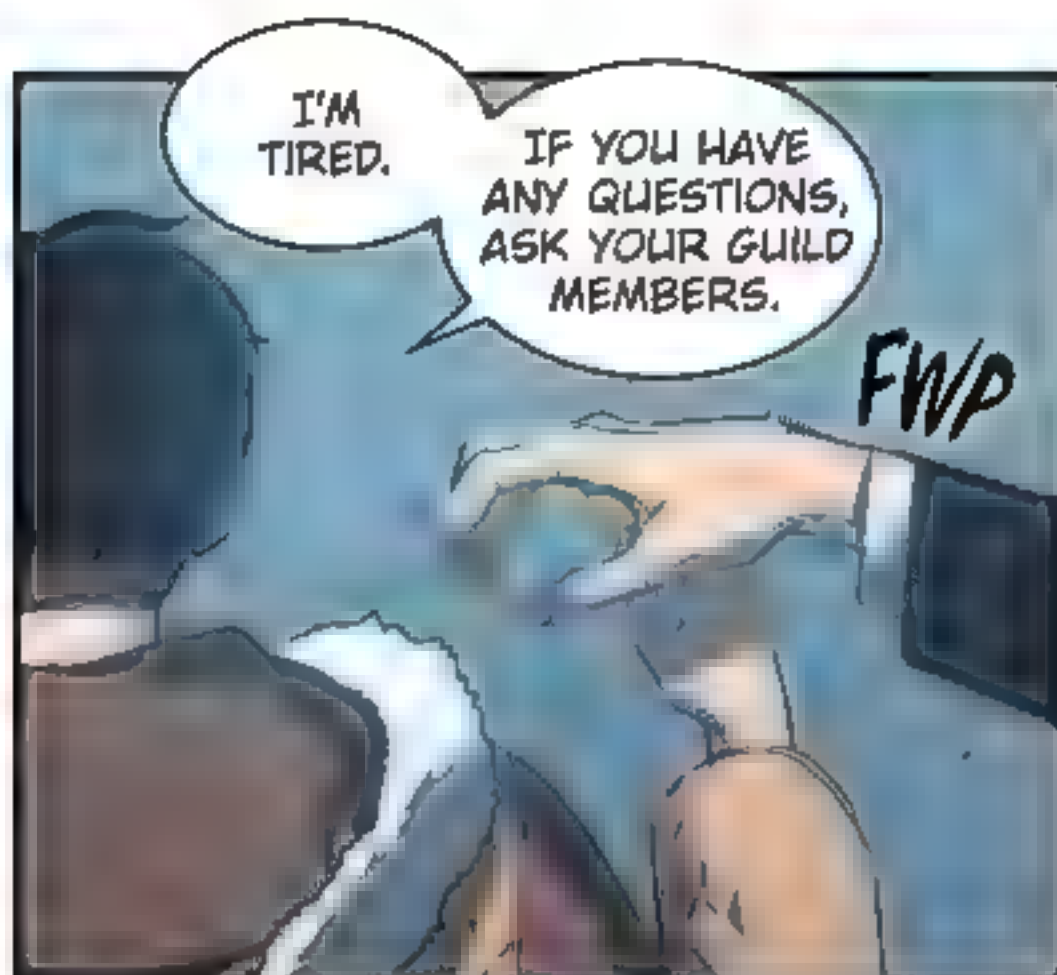


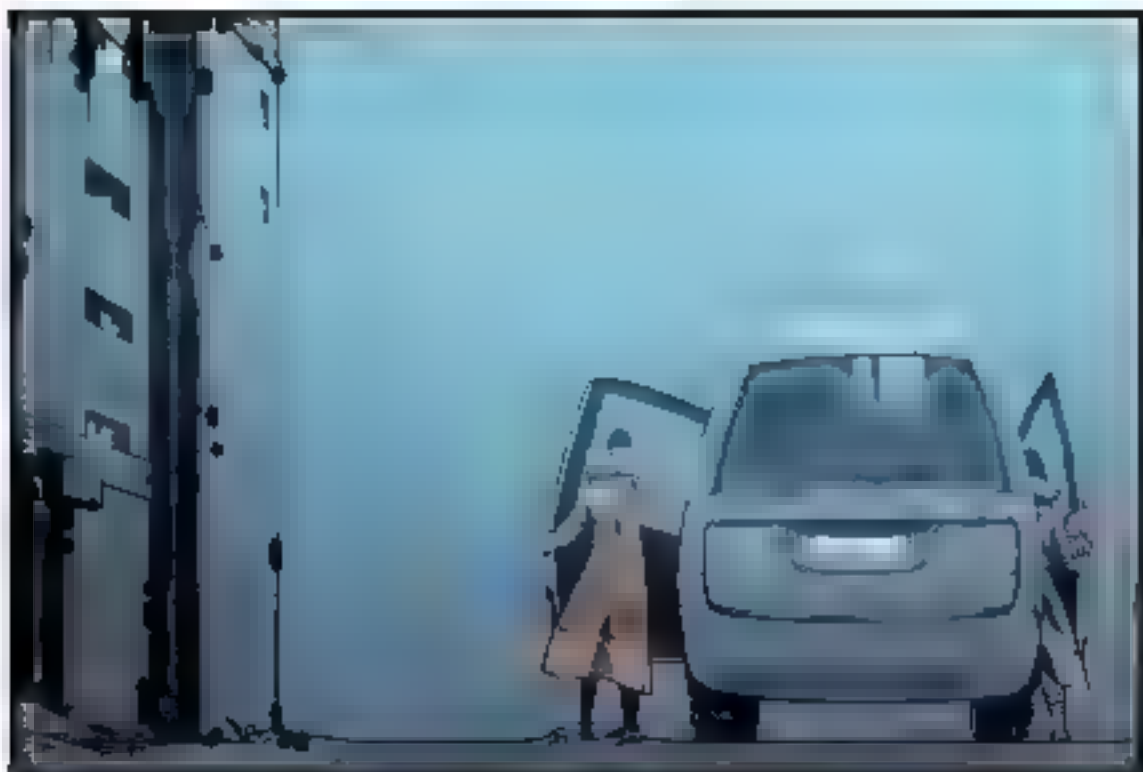
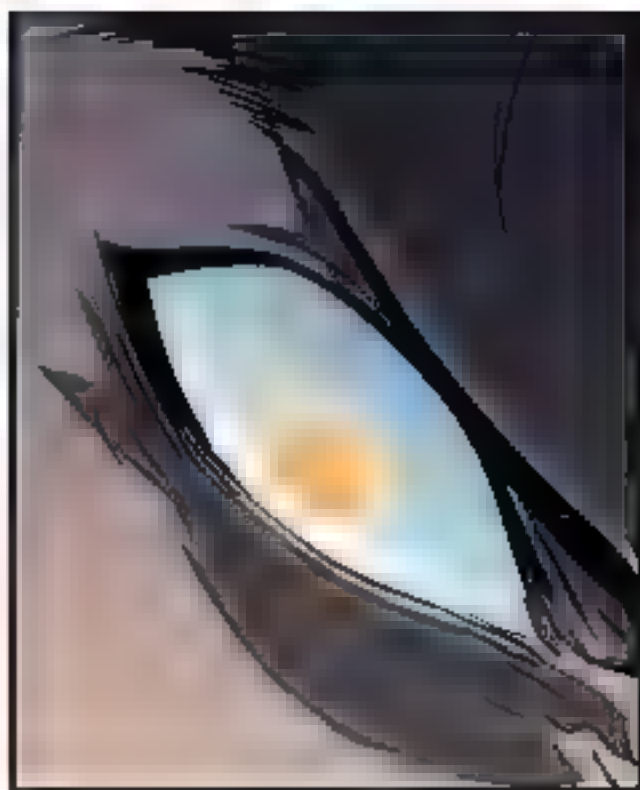
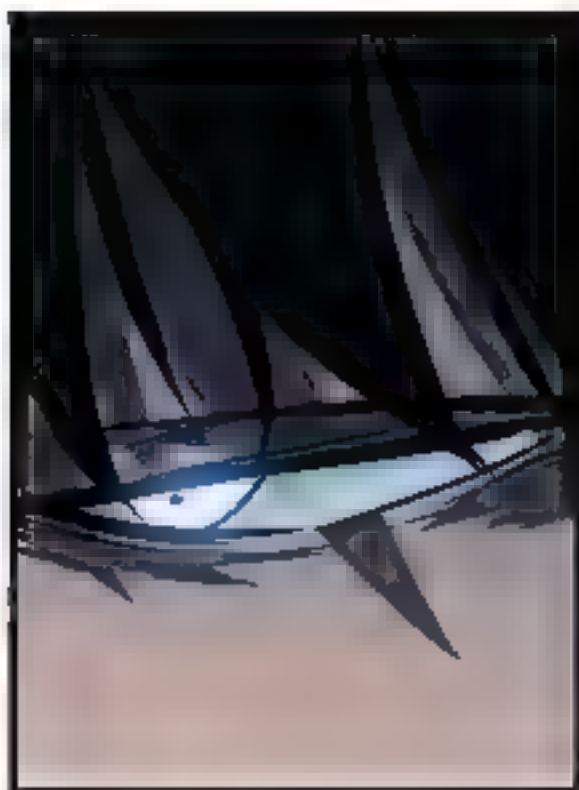


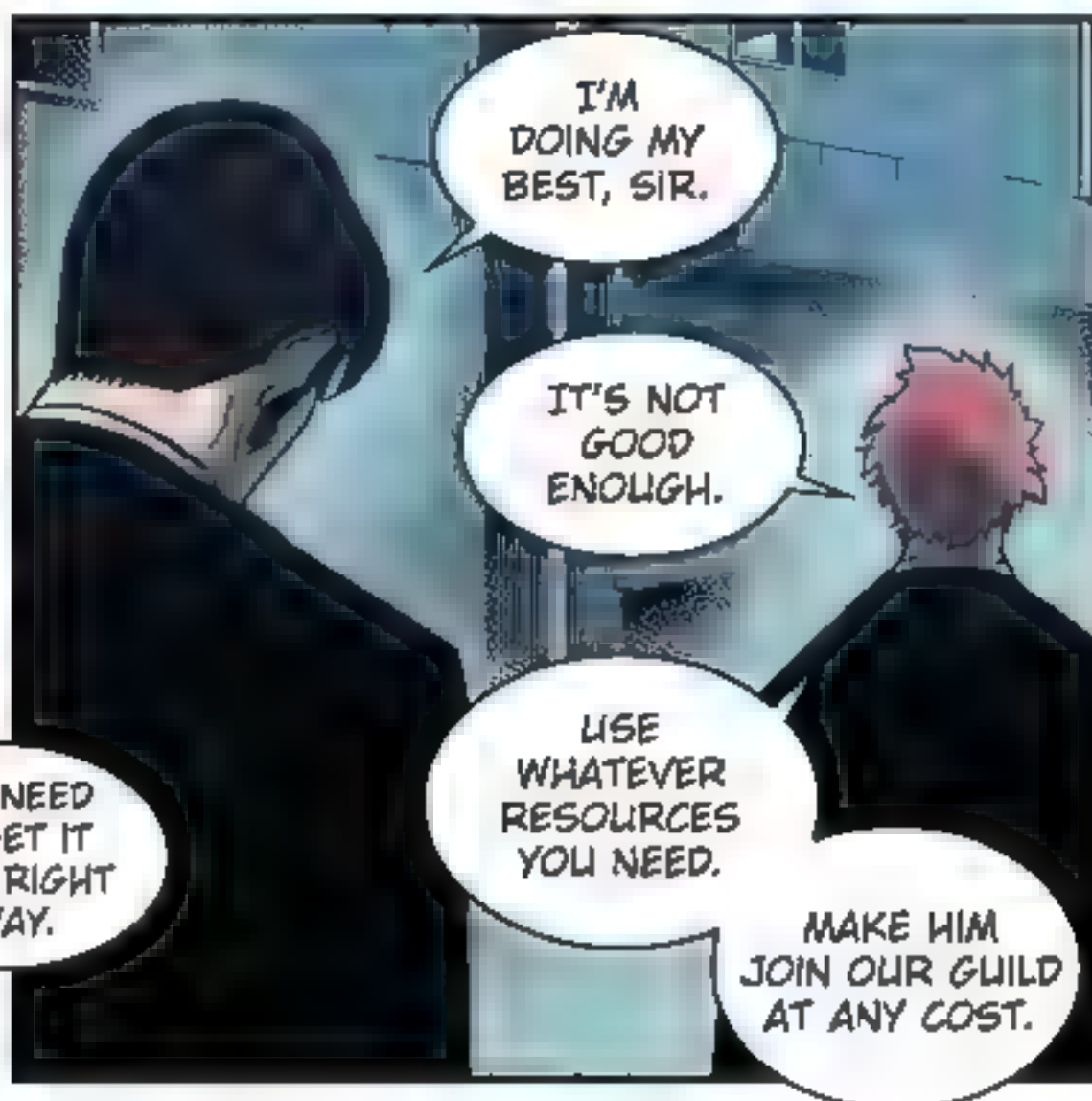
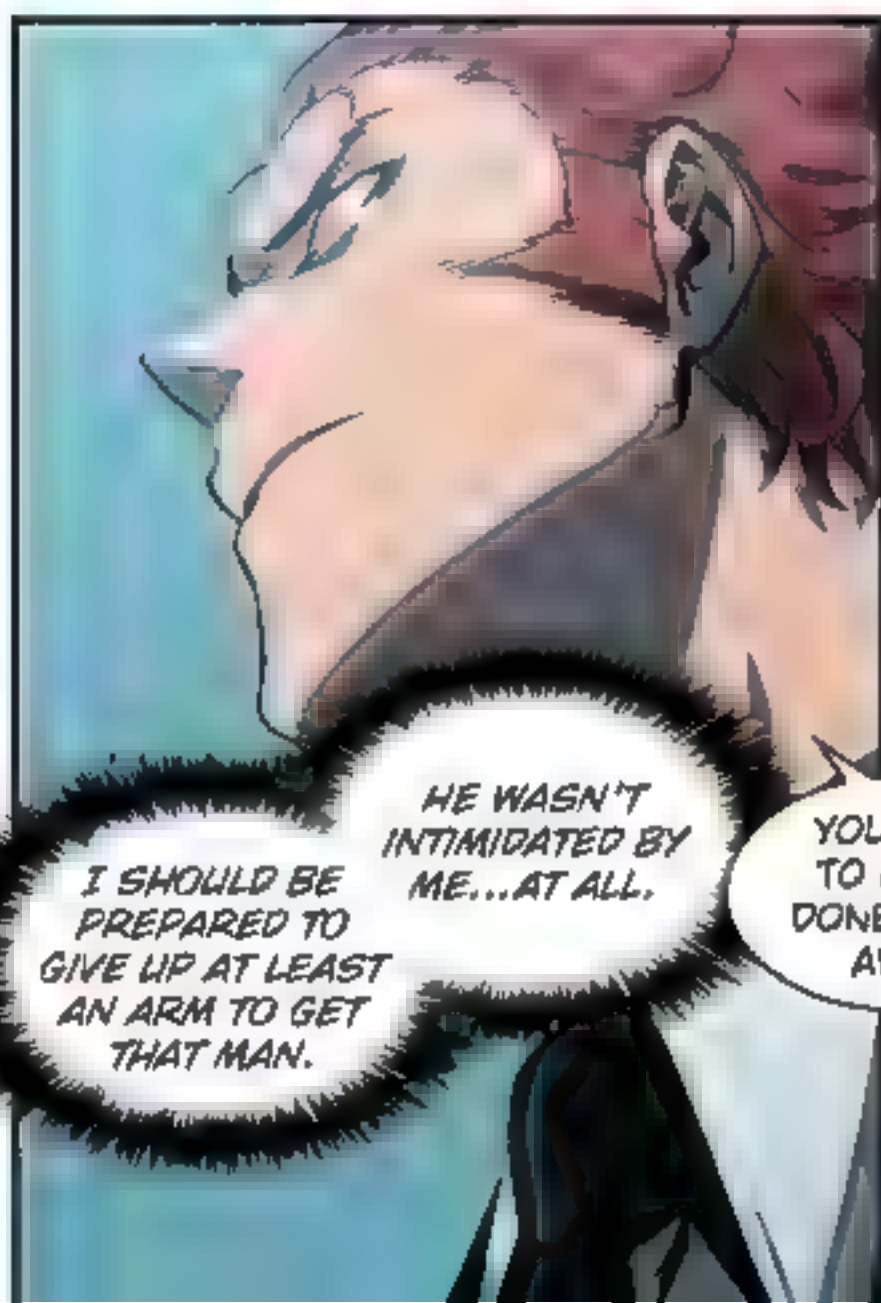
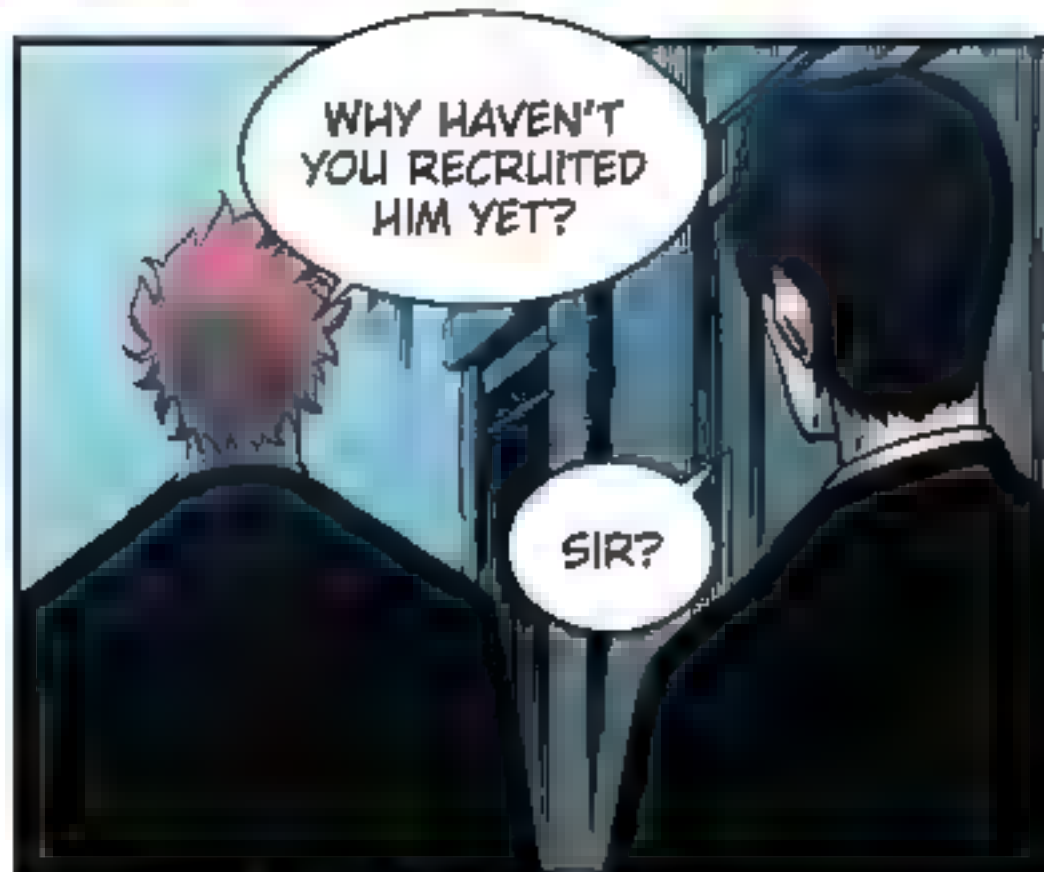
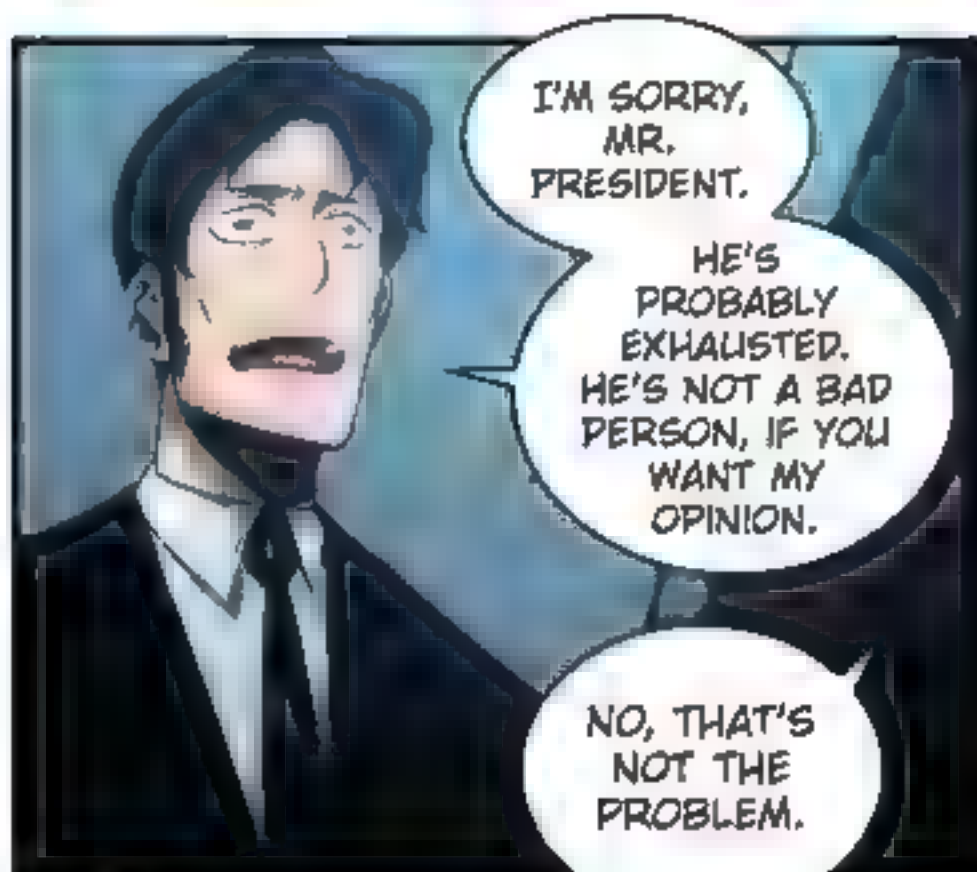
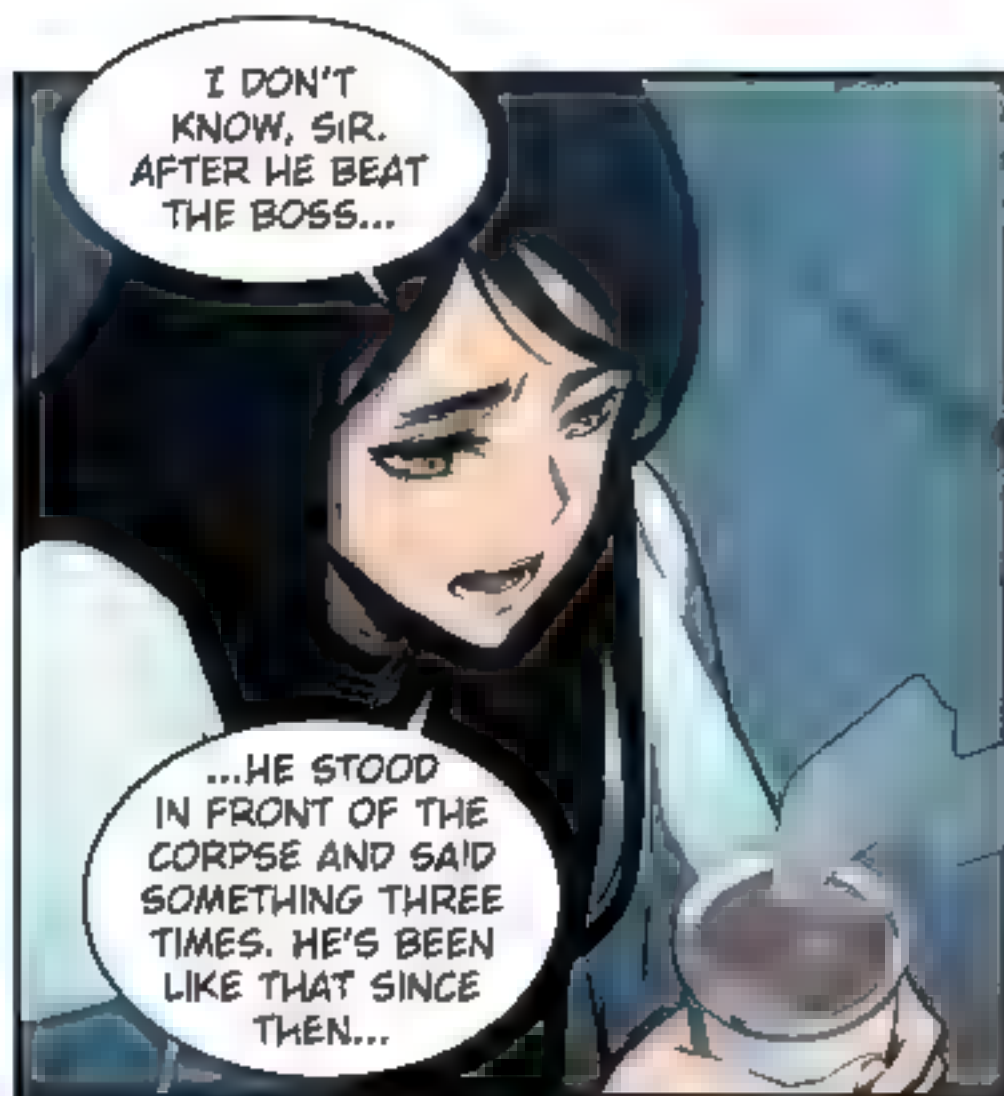










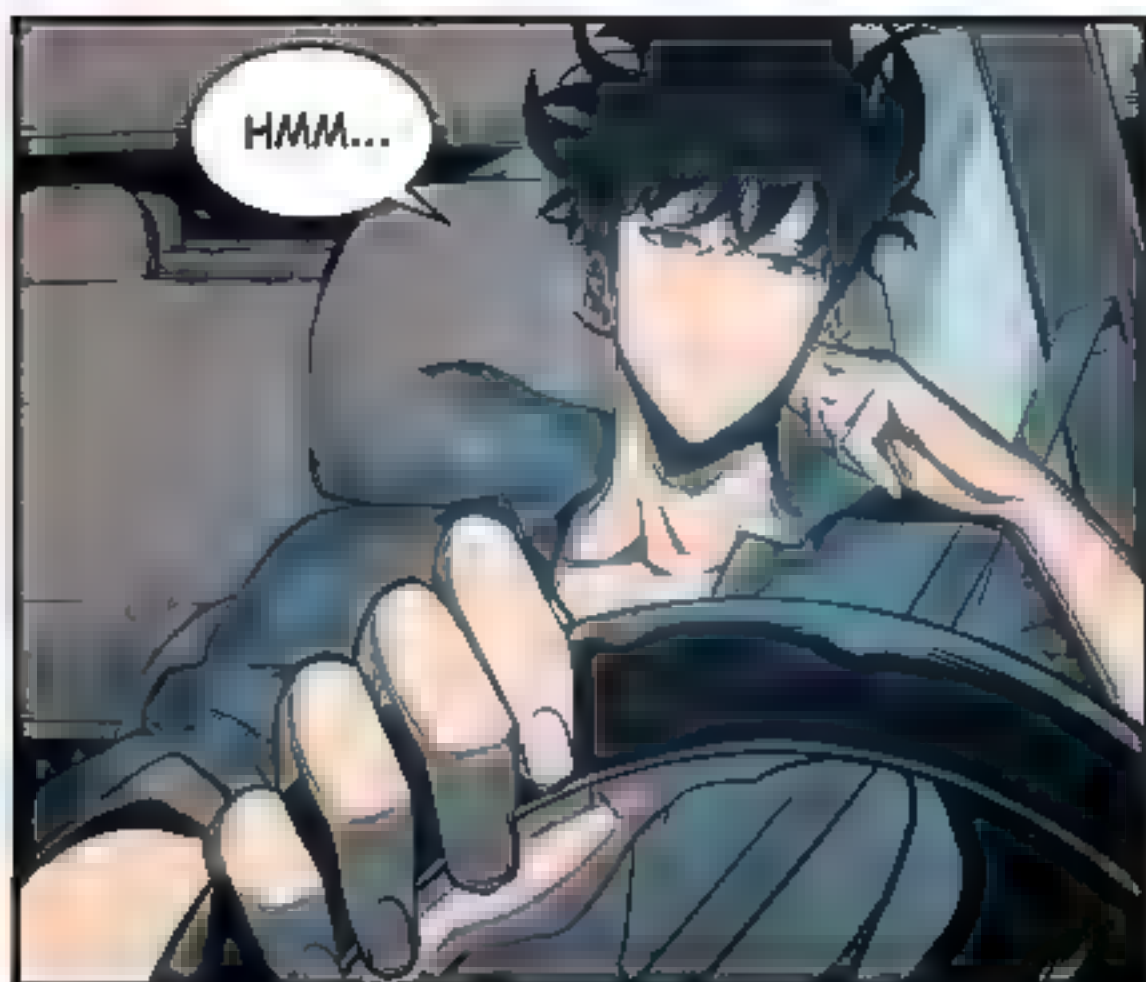




I WAS
RIGHT ABOUT
JINWOO
SLING.

SMILE

UNDERSTOOD,
SIR.



HMM...



You have failed to extract
the shadow and have no
attempts remaining.

NOOO!!

WAS
IT BECAUSE
THE DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN OUR
ABILITIES WAS
TOO GREAT?

IT SUCKS,
BUT THERE'S
NOTHING I
CAN DO.



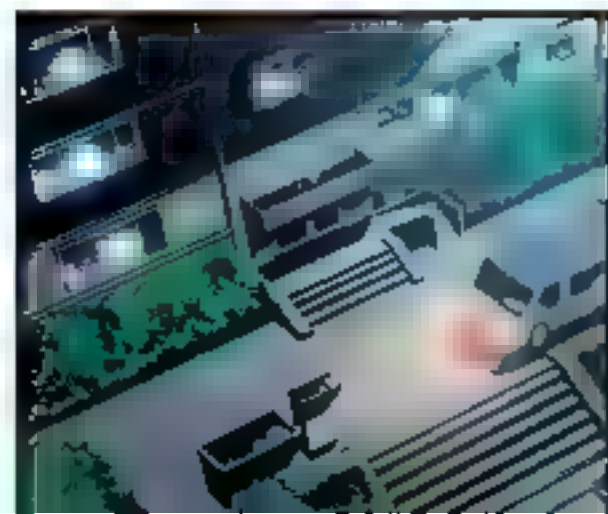
AT LEAST
I DIDN'T WALK
AWAY COMPLETELY
EMPTY-HANDED.

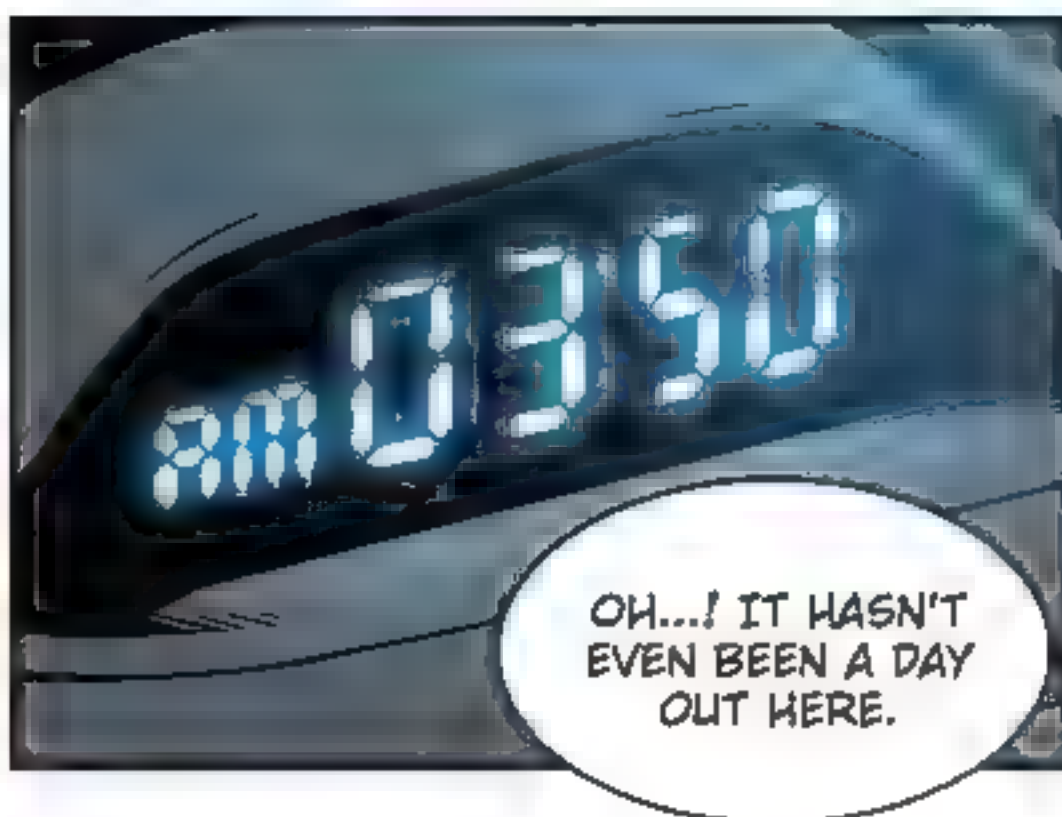
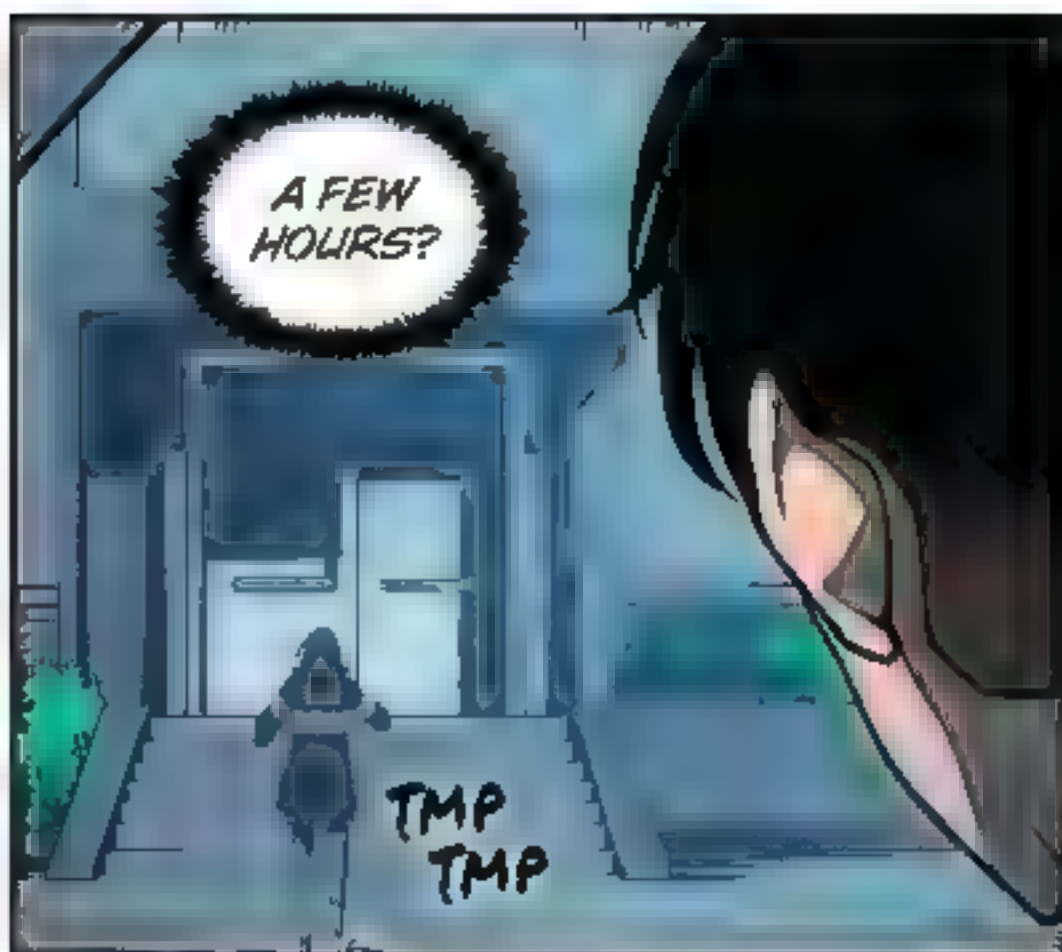
[ITEM: Barco's Dagger]
ACQUISITION DIFFICULTY: A

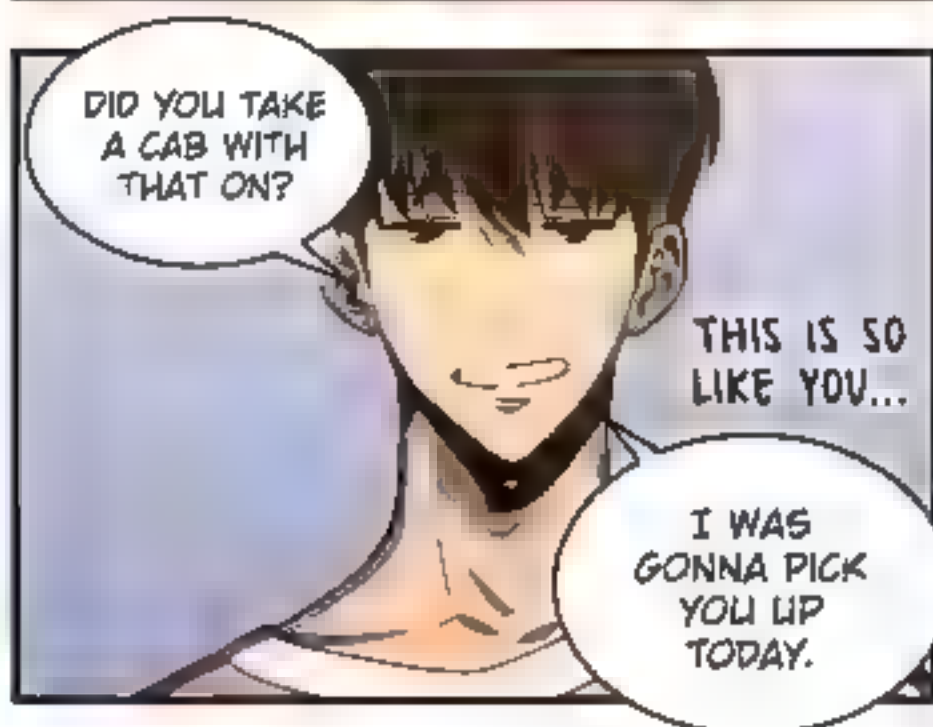
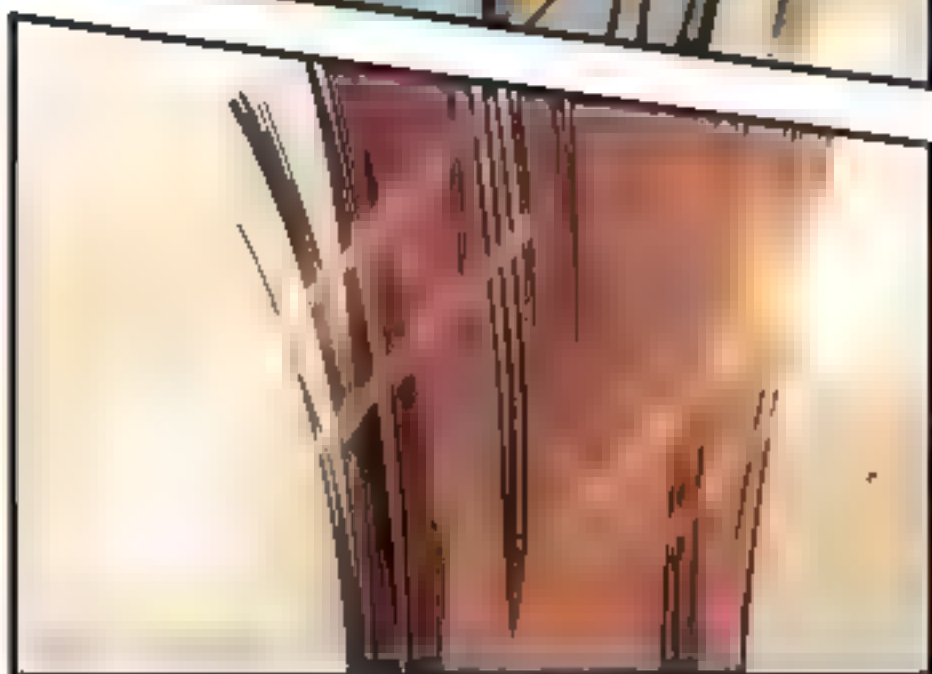
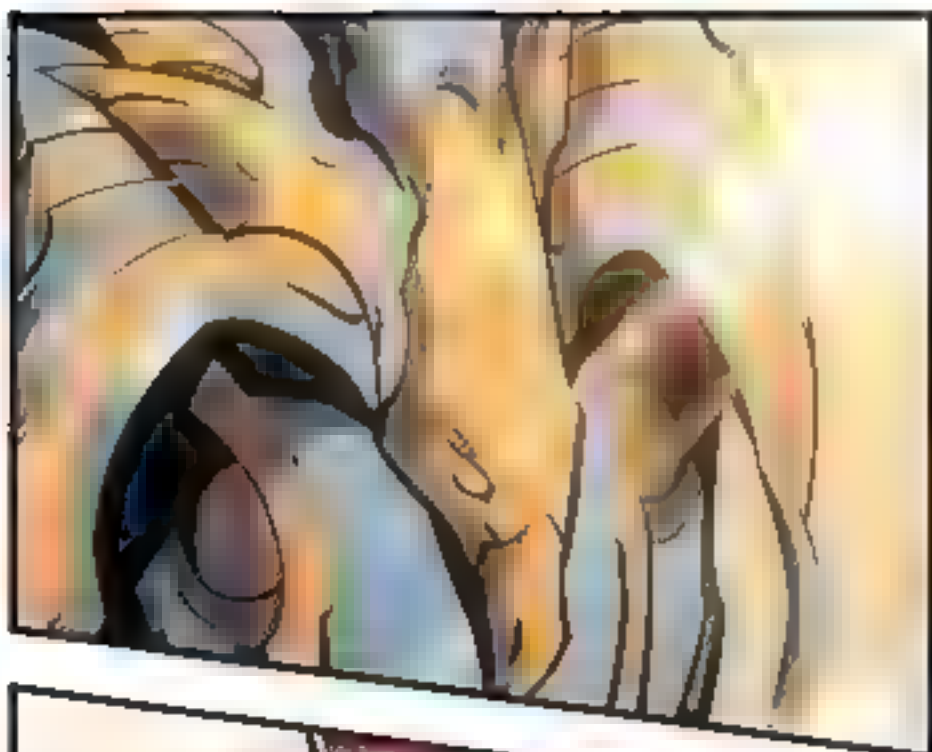
A dagger used by the great
warrior Barco. A powerful spell
of weightlessness imbued in
the dagger allows the user to be
more agile while wielding it.

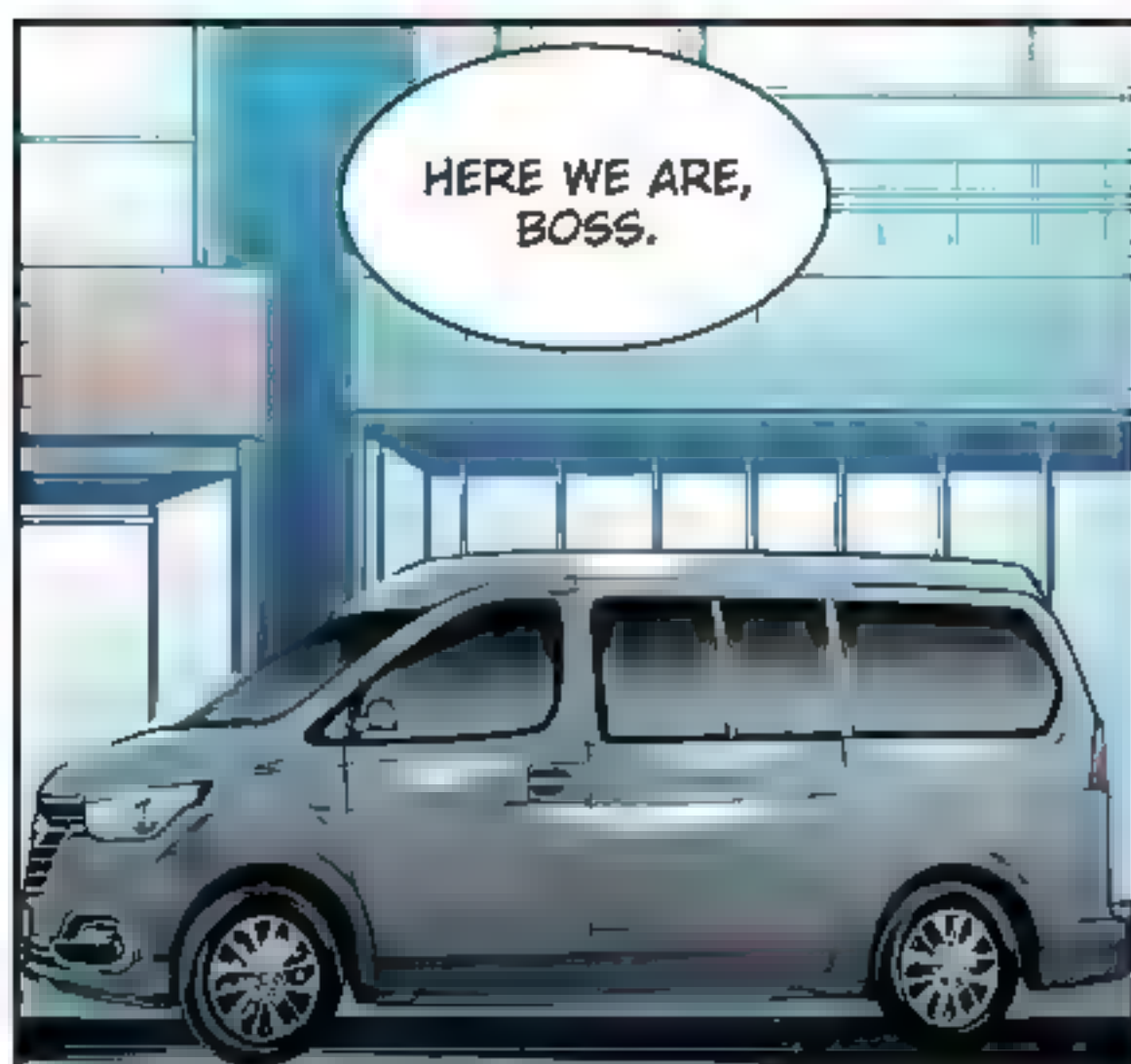
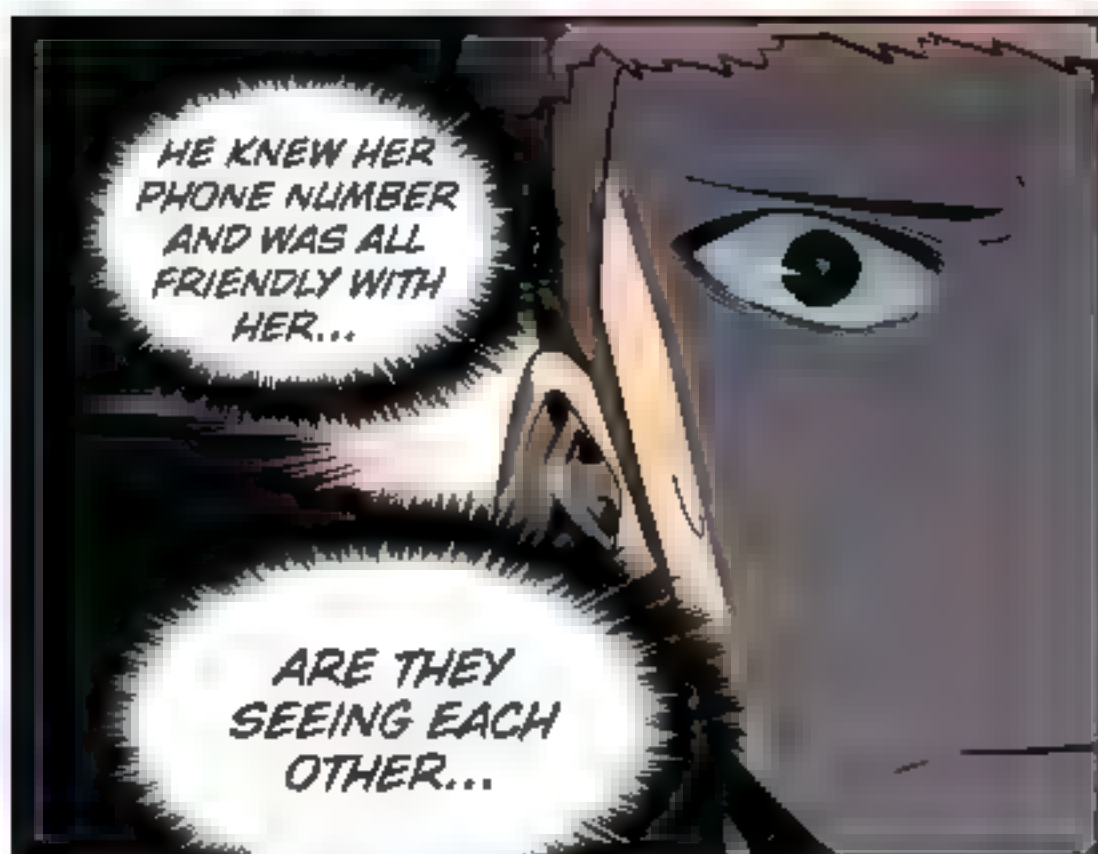
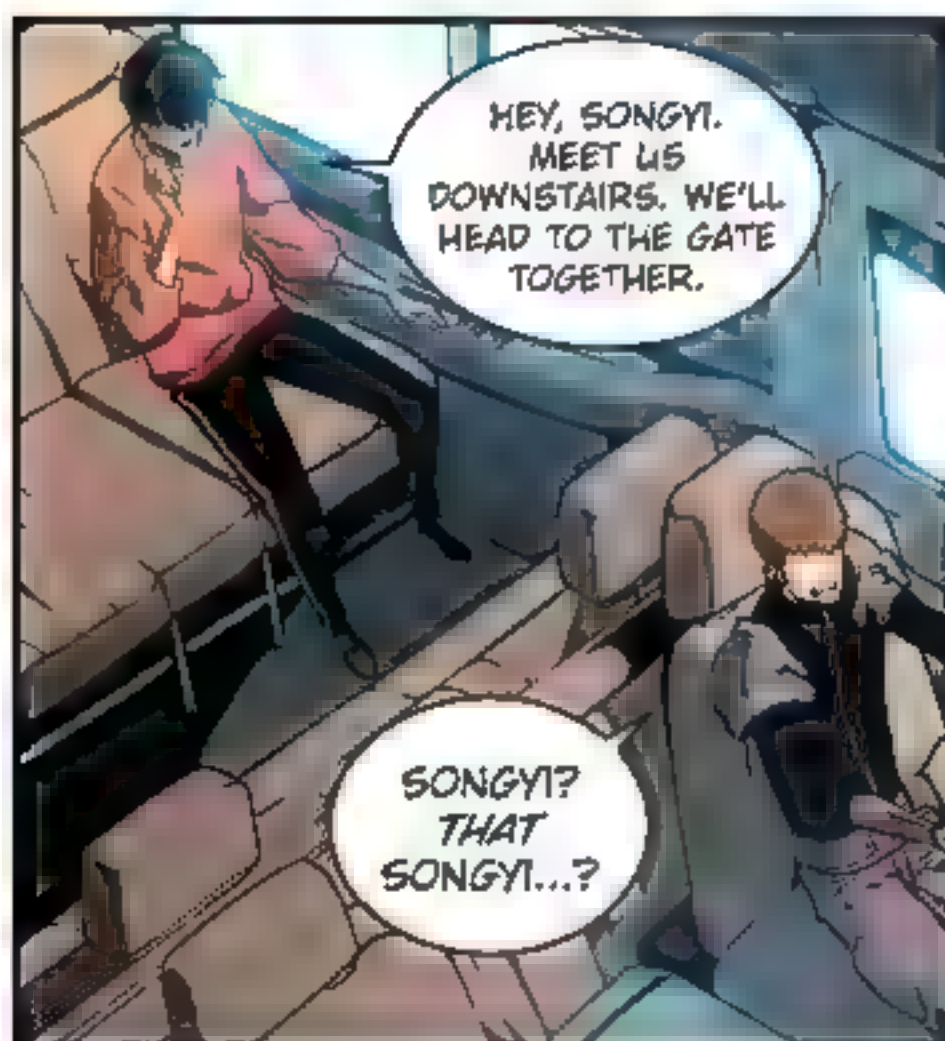
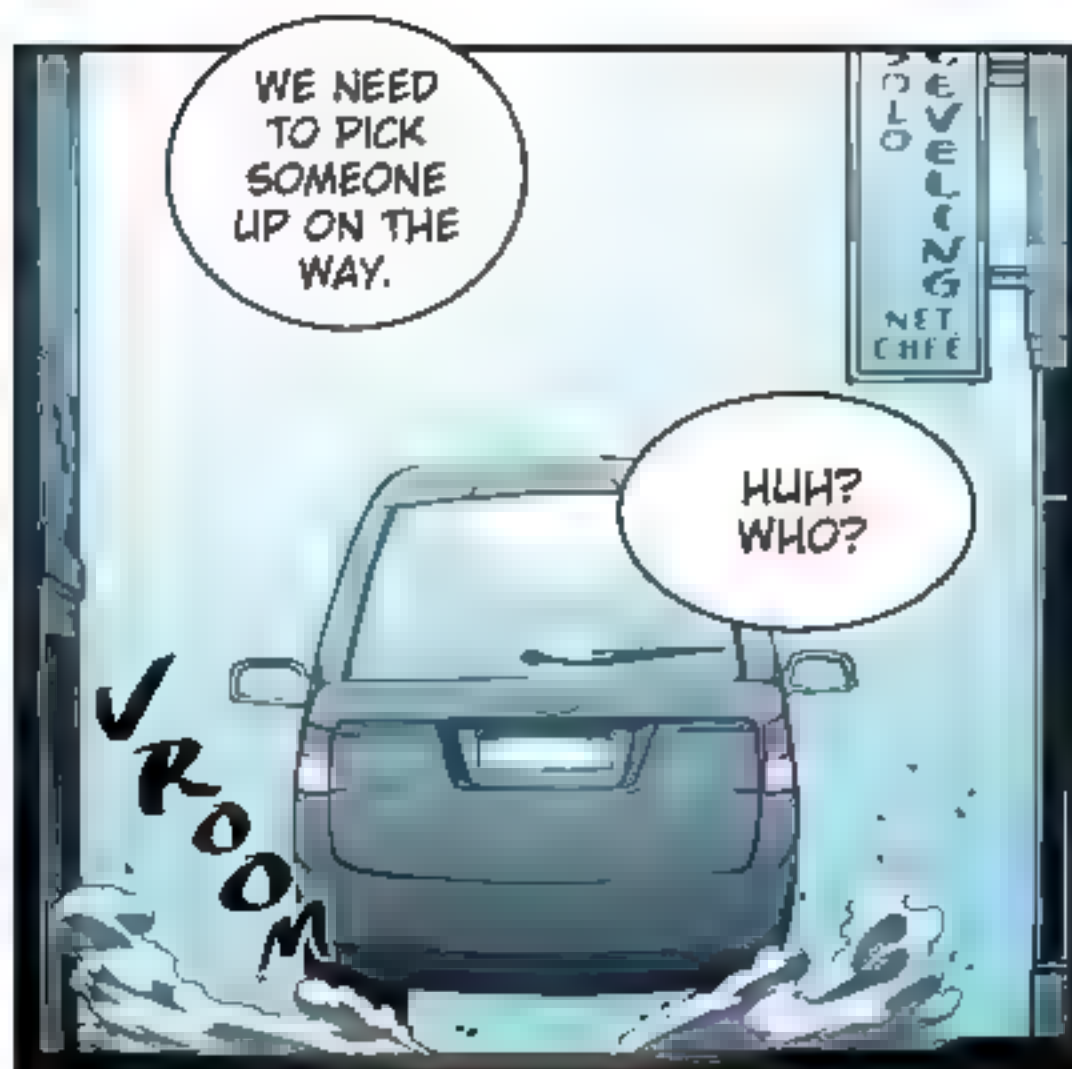
ATTACK POWER +110

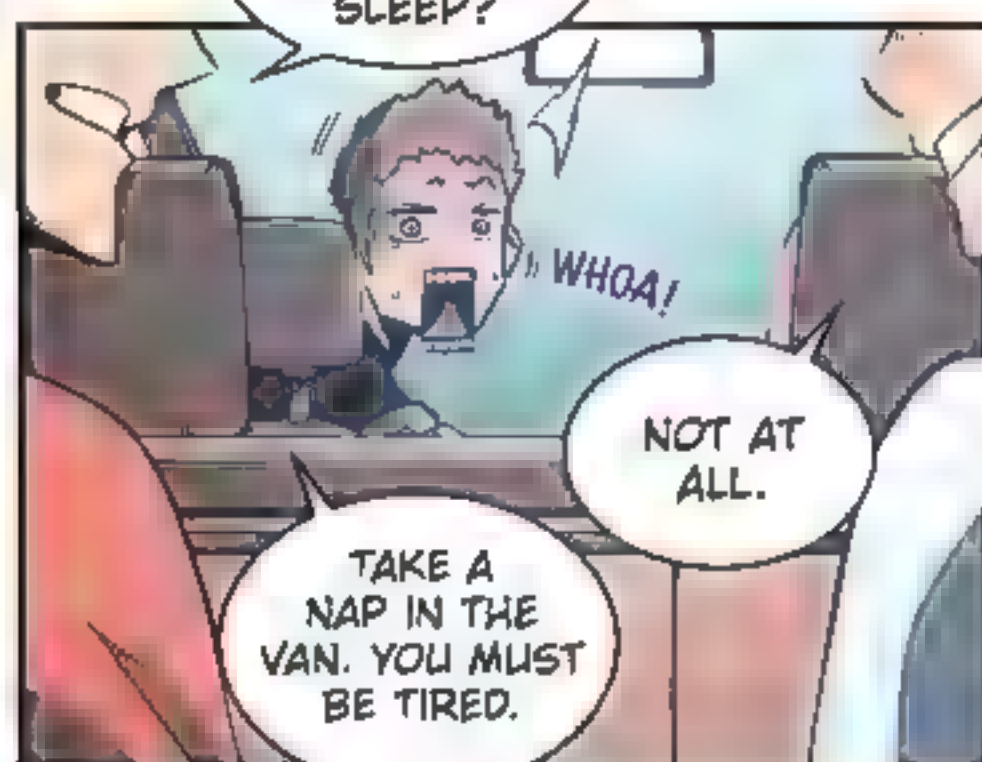
AGILITY +10











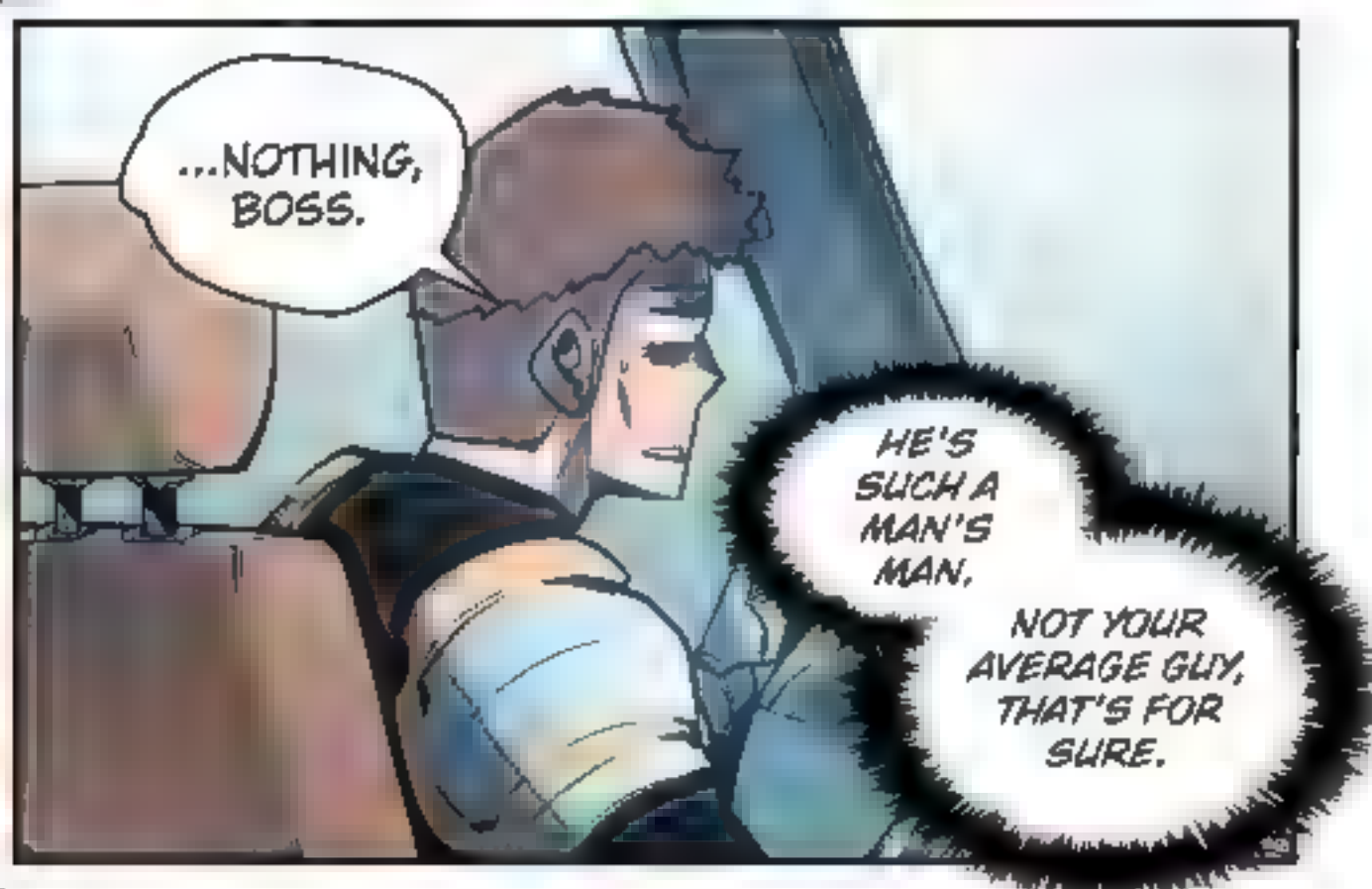
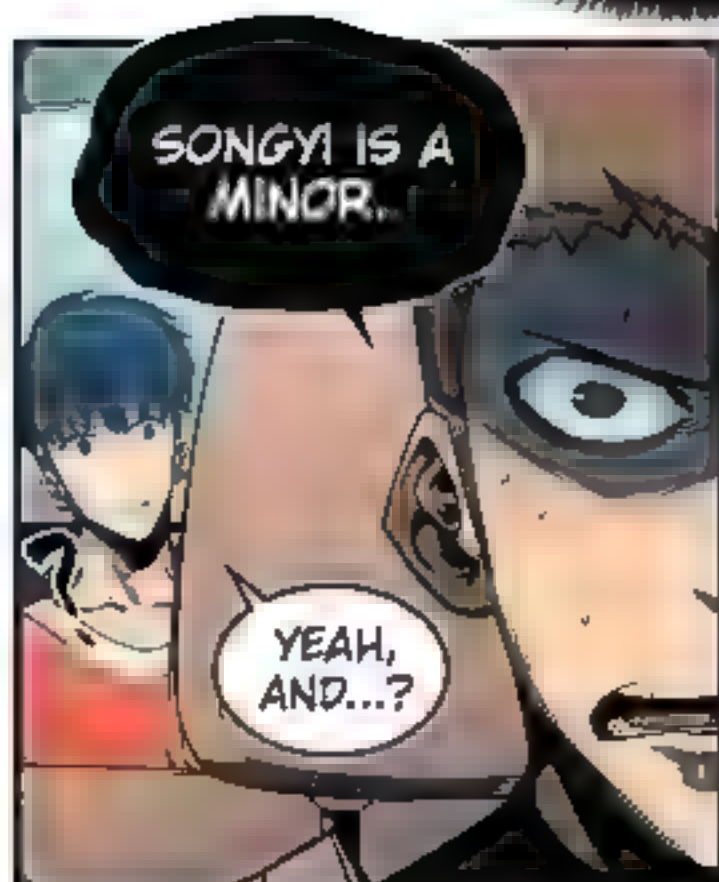
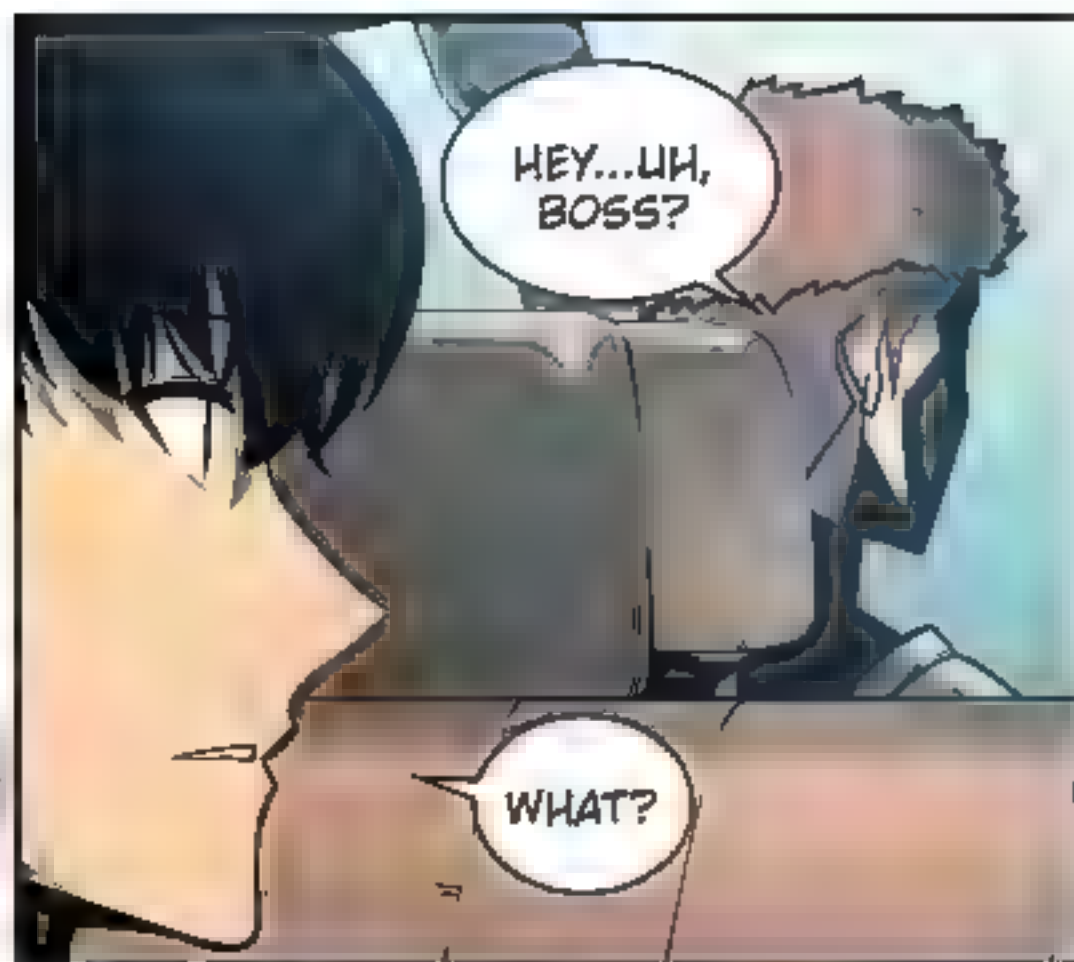
"SLEEP"?

"NOT AT ALL"?

"TIRED"?

PAST FOUR BY THE TIME HE GOT HOME?

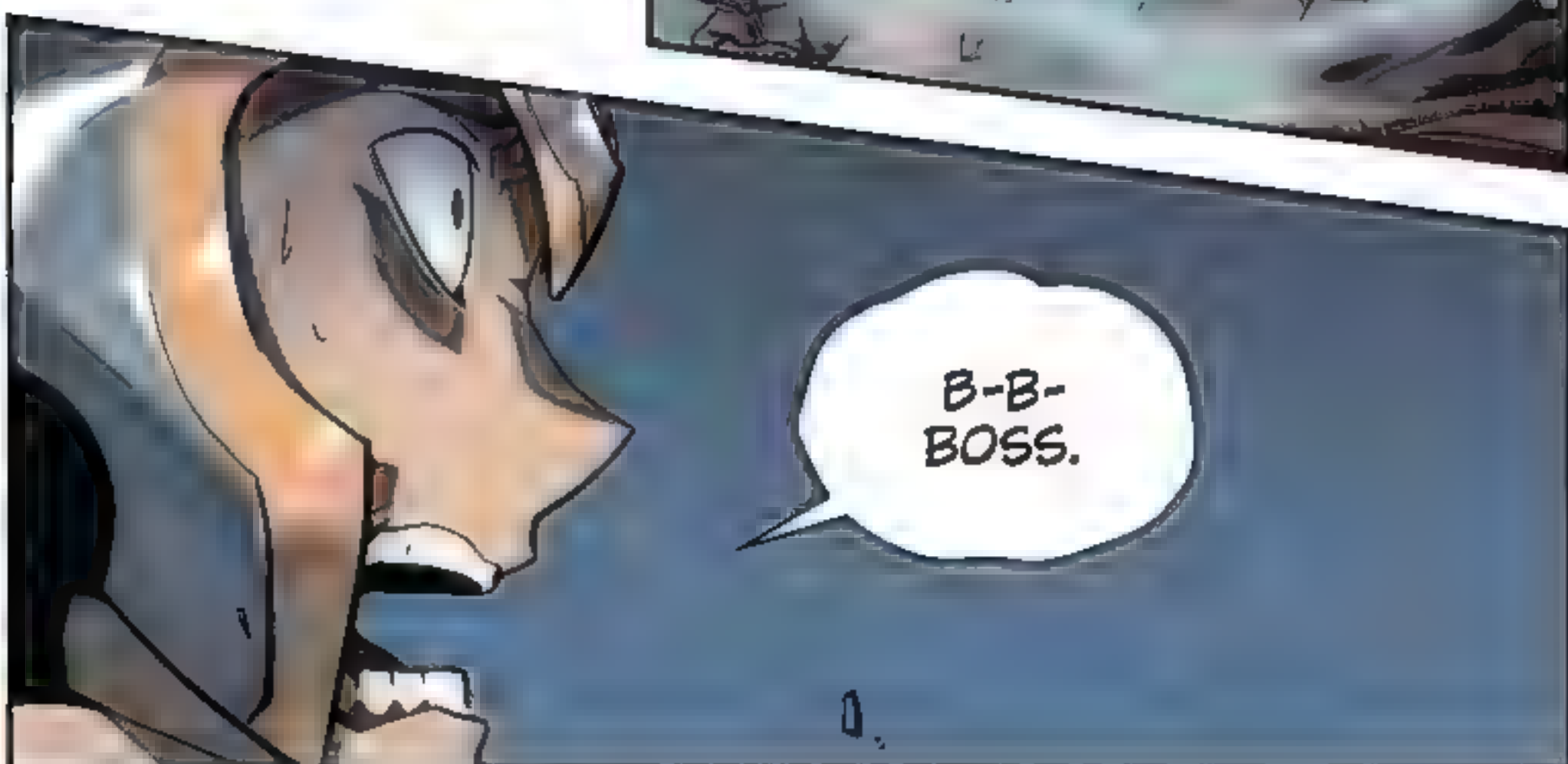
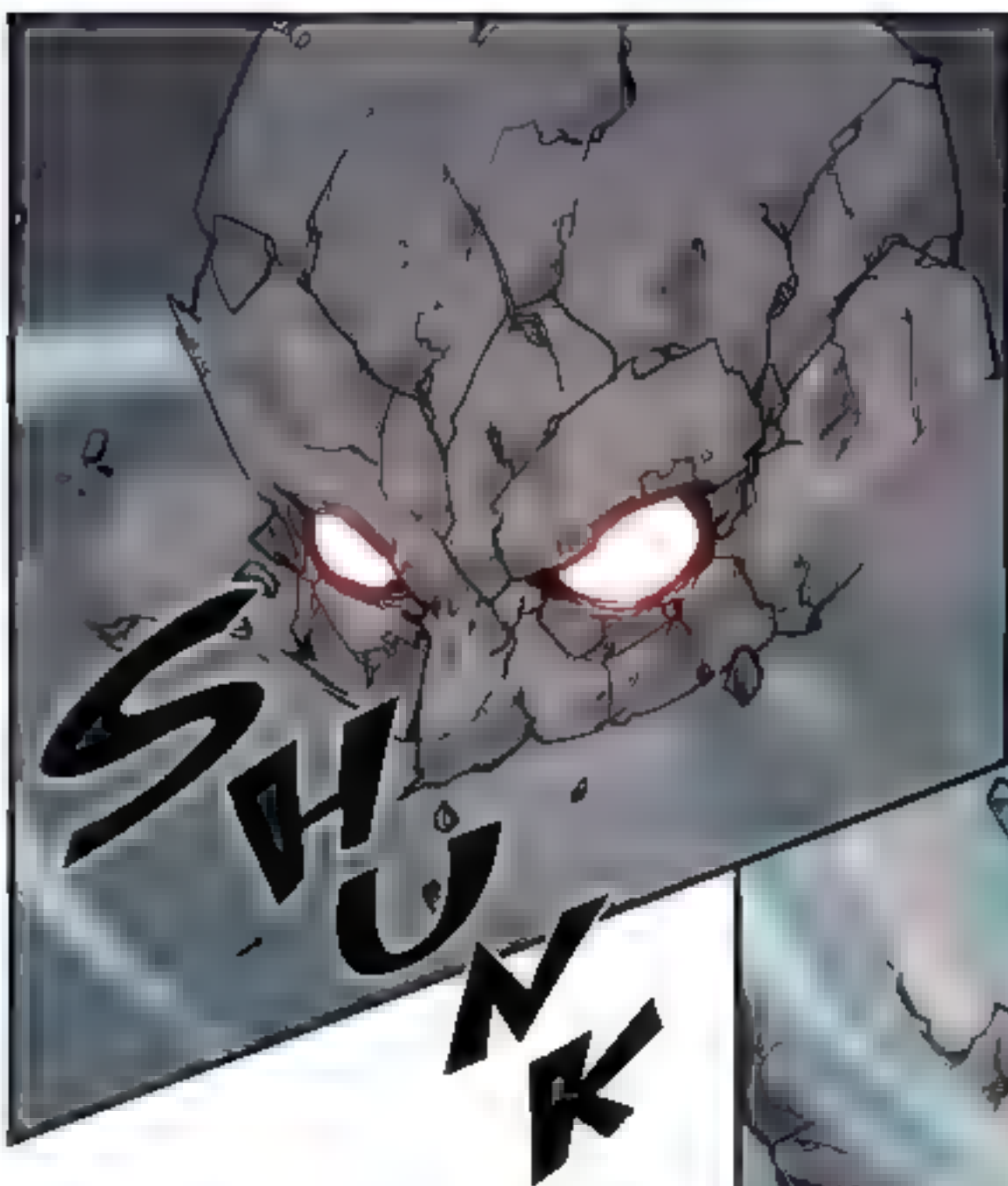
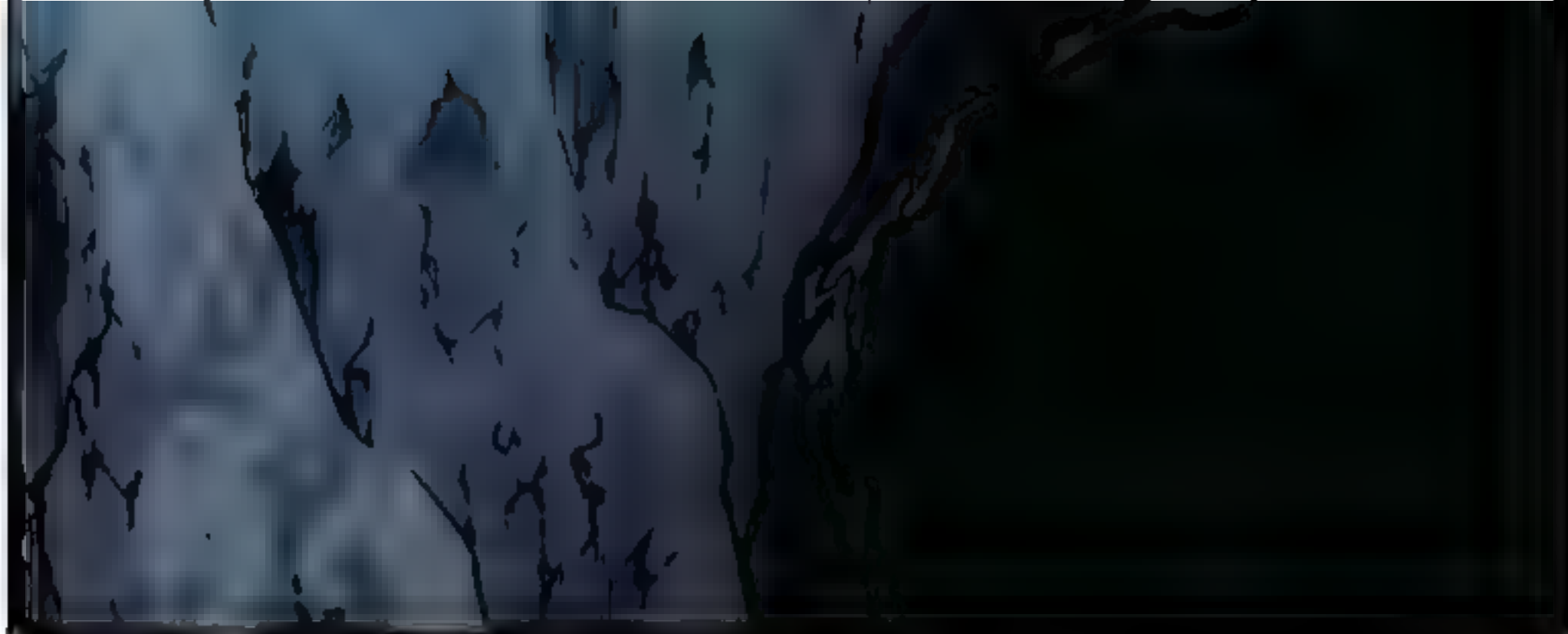
HE SAID SONGYI IS JUST HIS SISTER'S FRIEND, BUT...!

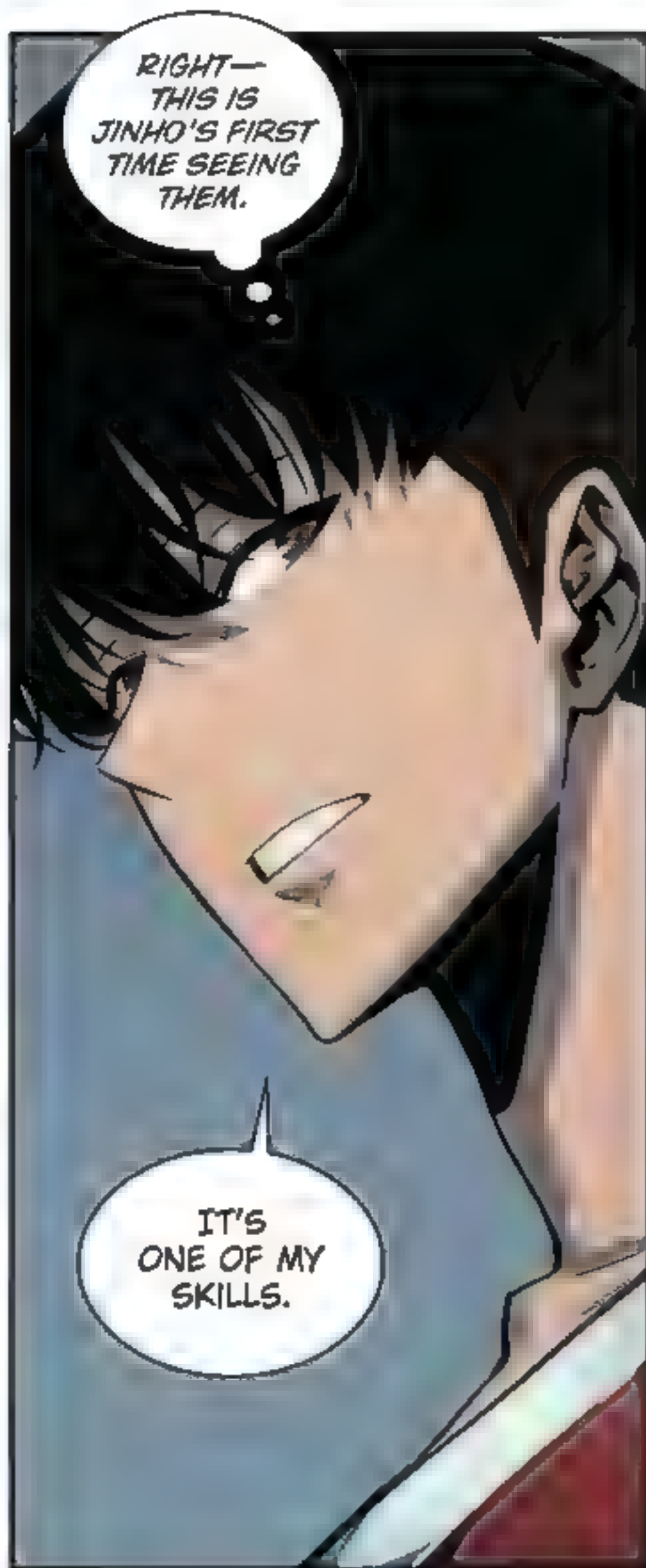


CHAPTER 10

Conquering the
Demon's Castle

Solo
Leveling







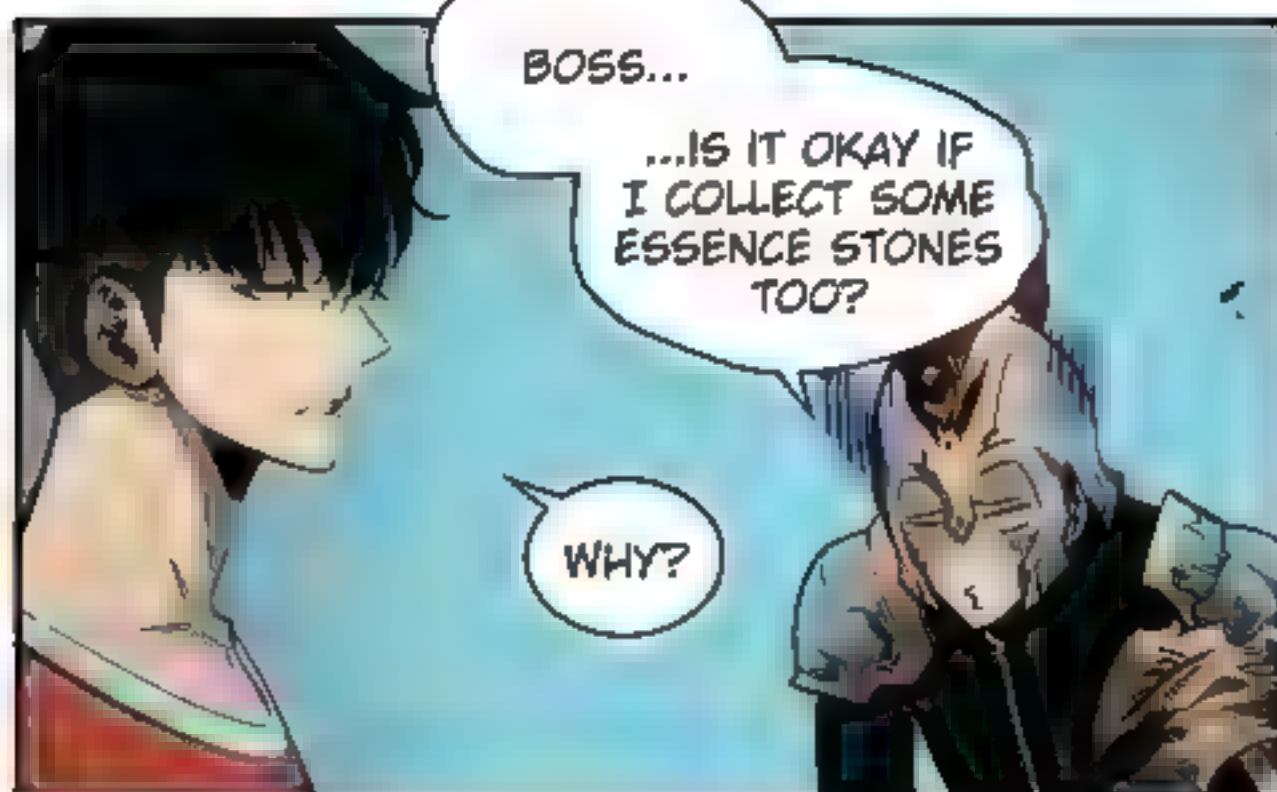
...THEY HUNT
MAGIC BEASTS
ON THEIR OWN, SO
THEY'RE PRETTY
USEFUL.

THEY'RE
GOOD AT
SMALL JOBS
TOO.

CLANG

CLANG

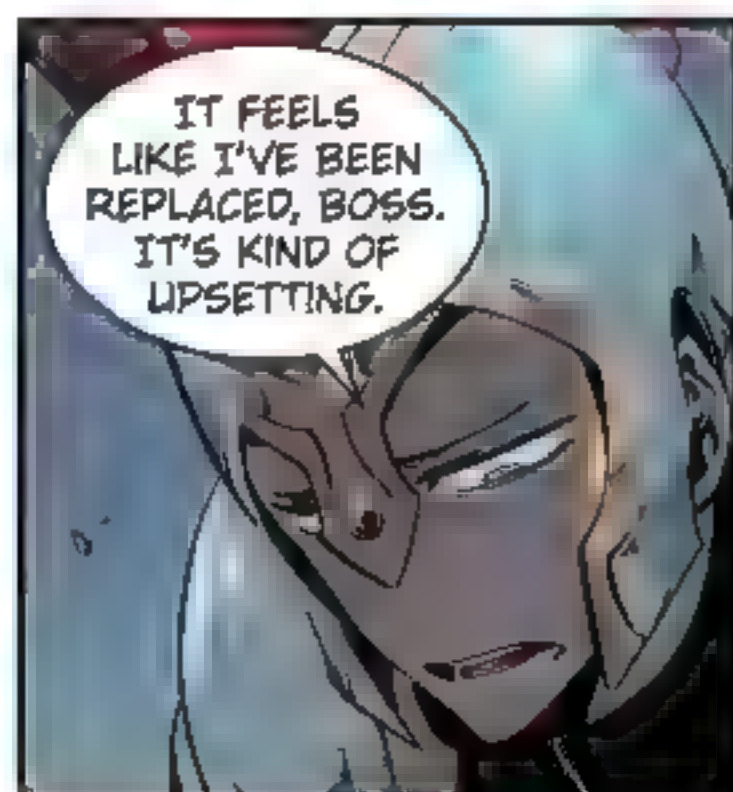
RUSTLE...



BOSS...

...IS IT OKAY IF
I COLLECT SOME
ESSENCE STONES
TOO?

WHY?



IT FEELS
LIKE I'VE BEEN
REPLACED, BOSS.
IT'S KIND OF
UPSETTING.



HE'S
DEFINITELY
A UNIQUE
GUY.

HEH.



I GUESS
TOMORROW'S
THE LAST DAY...

...I'LL DO
RAIDS WITH
JINHO.

THANK
YOU...

THEY'RE
SCARY...

ONE DAY
LATER—

JINWOO FULFILLED
HIS PROMISE
TO JINHO BY
COMPLETING ALL
NINETEEN RAIDS.

THE EASTERN
UNITED STATES

AN A-RANK
DUNGEON

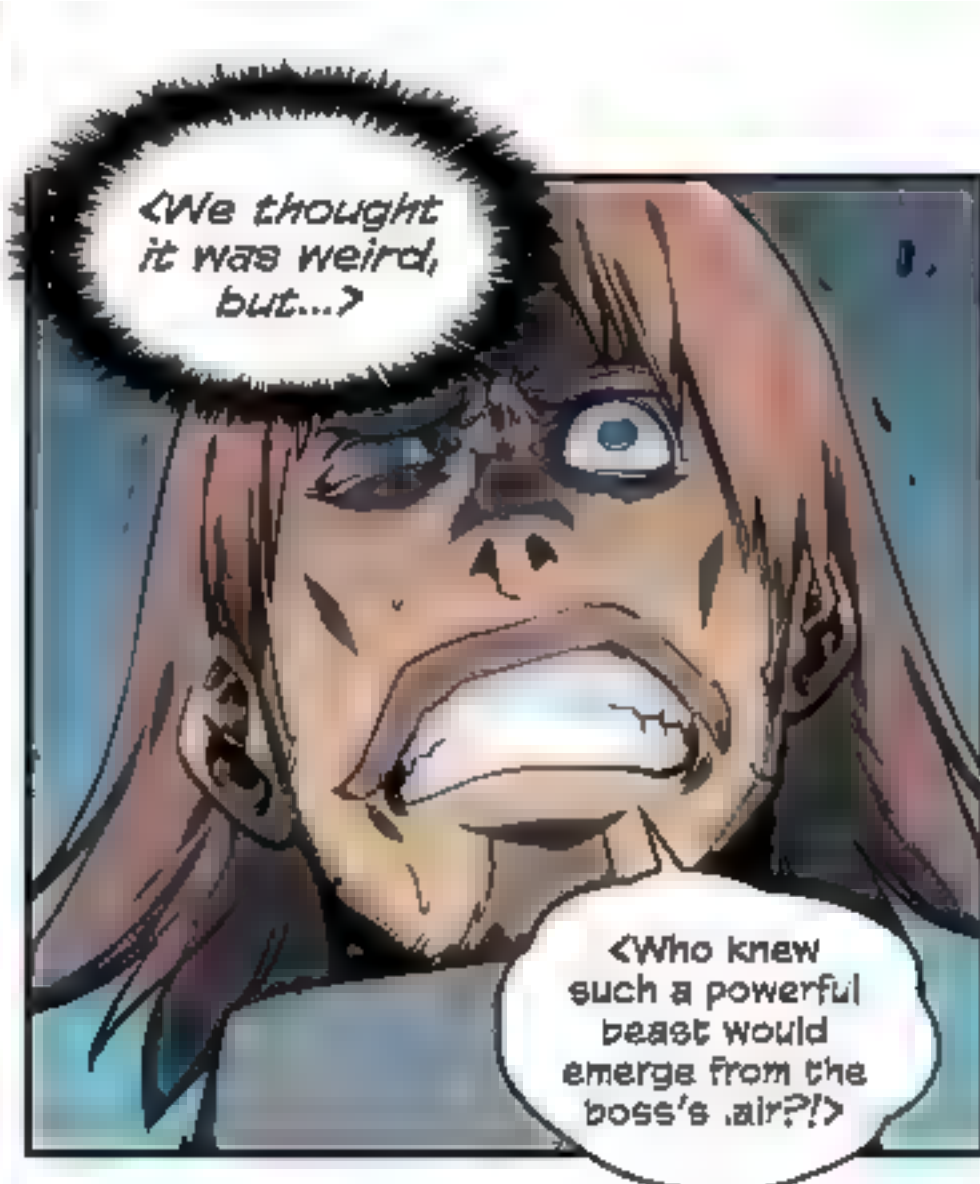
AAAAAH!

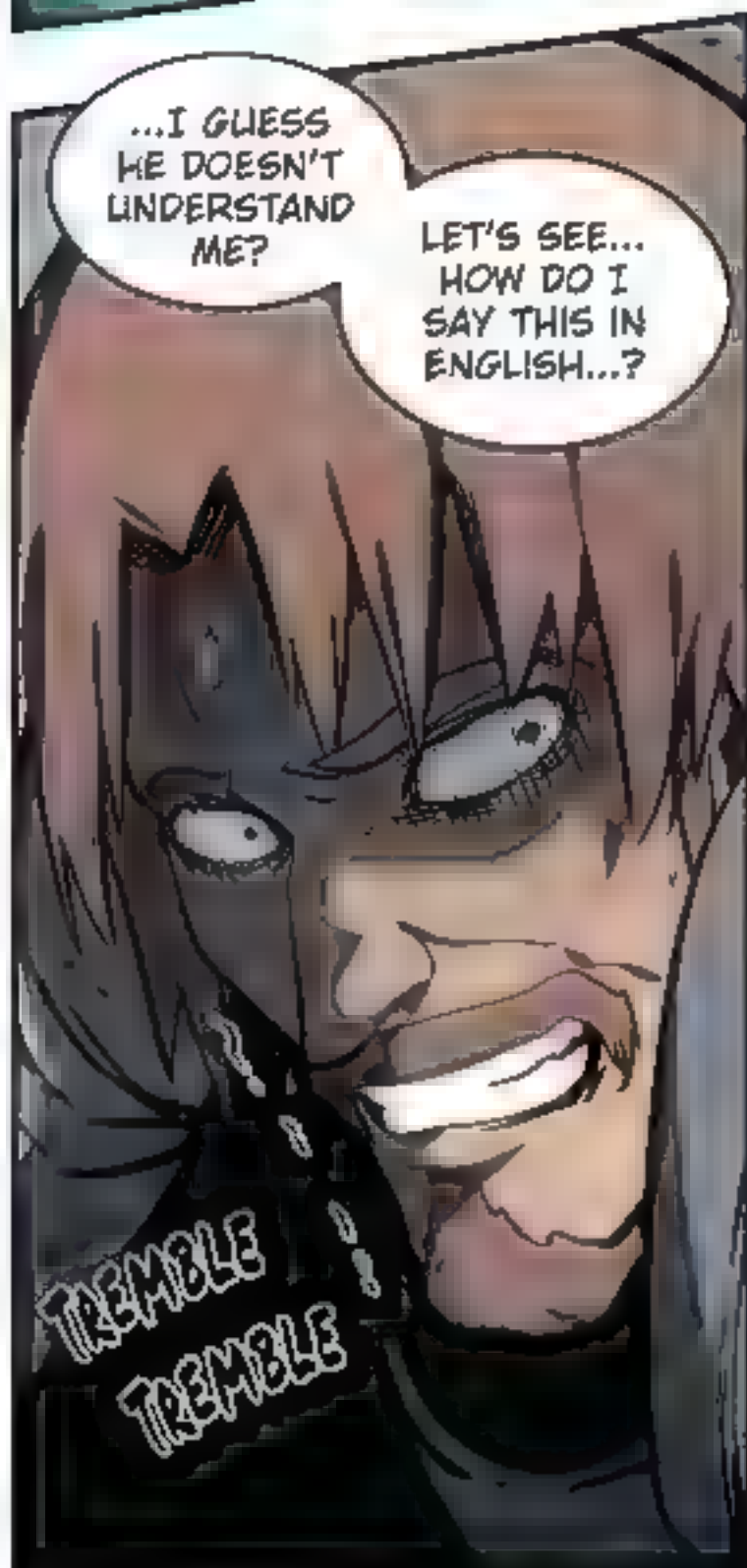
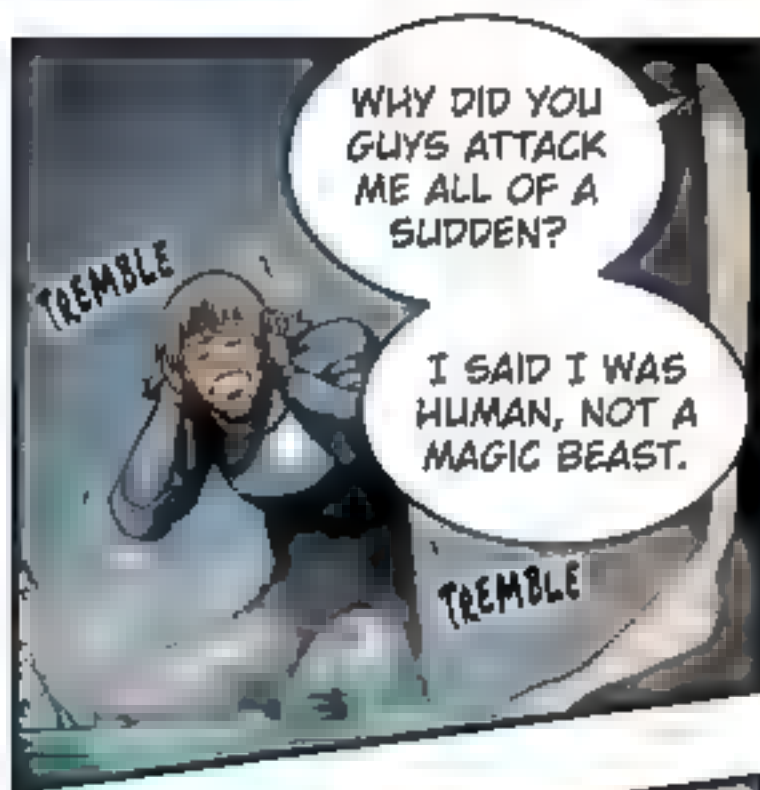
《Jesus!》

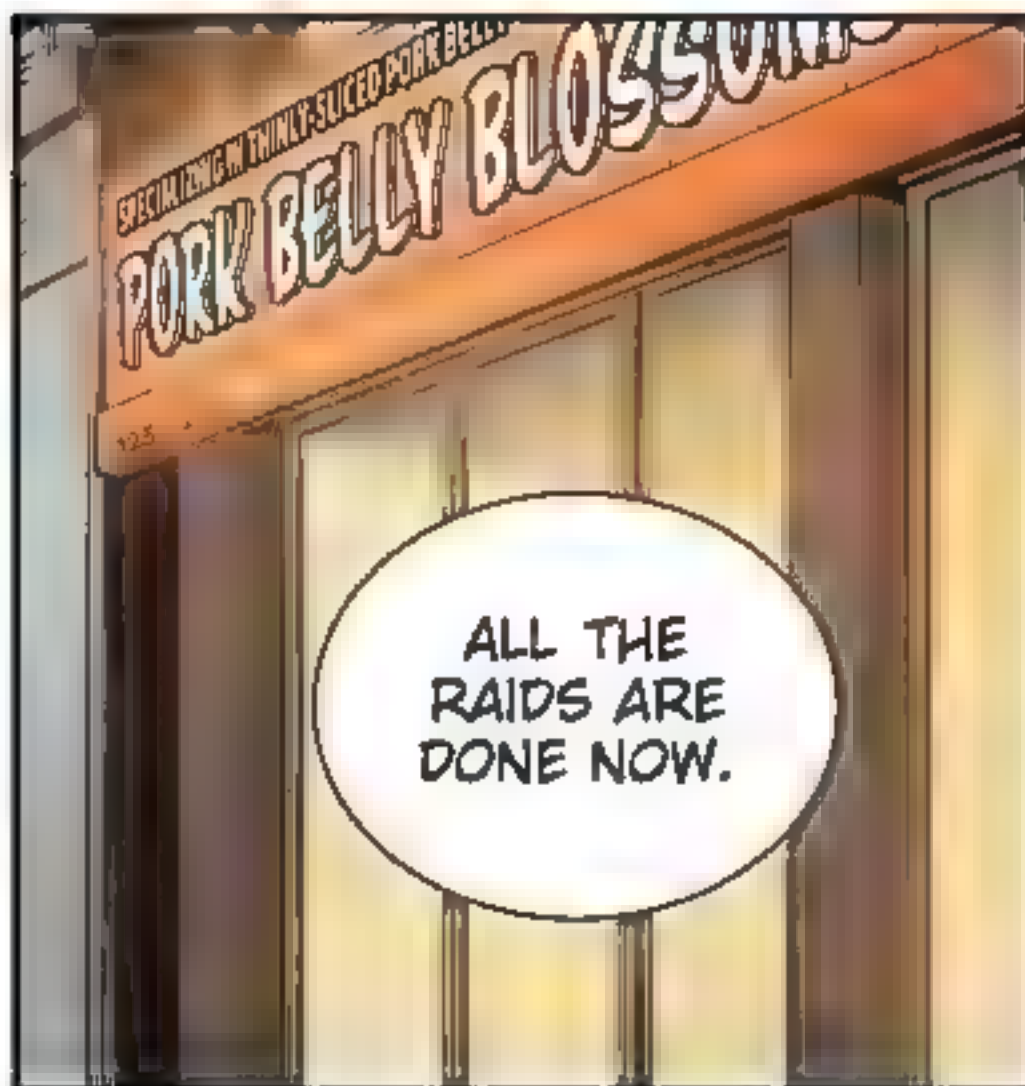
JAMES,
AN A-RANK
HUNTER

《All the
members of
the strike
squad were
defeated!》

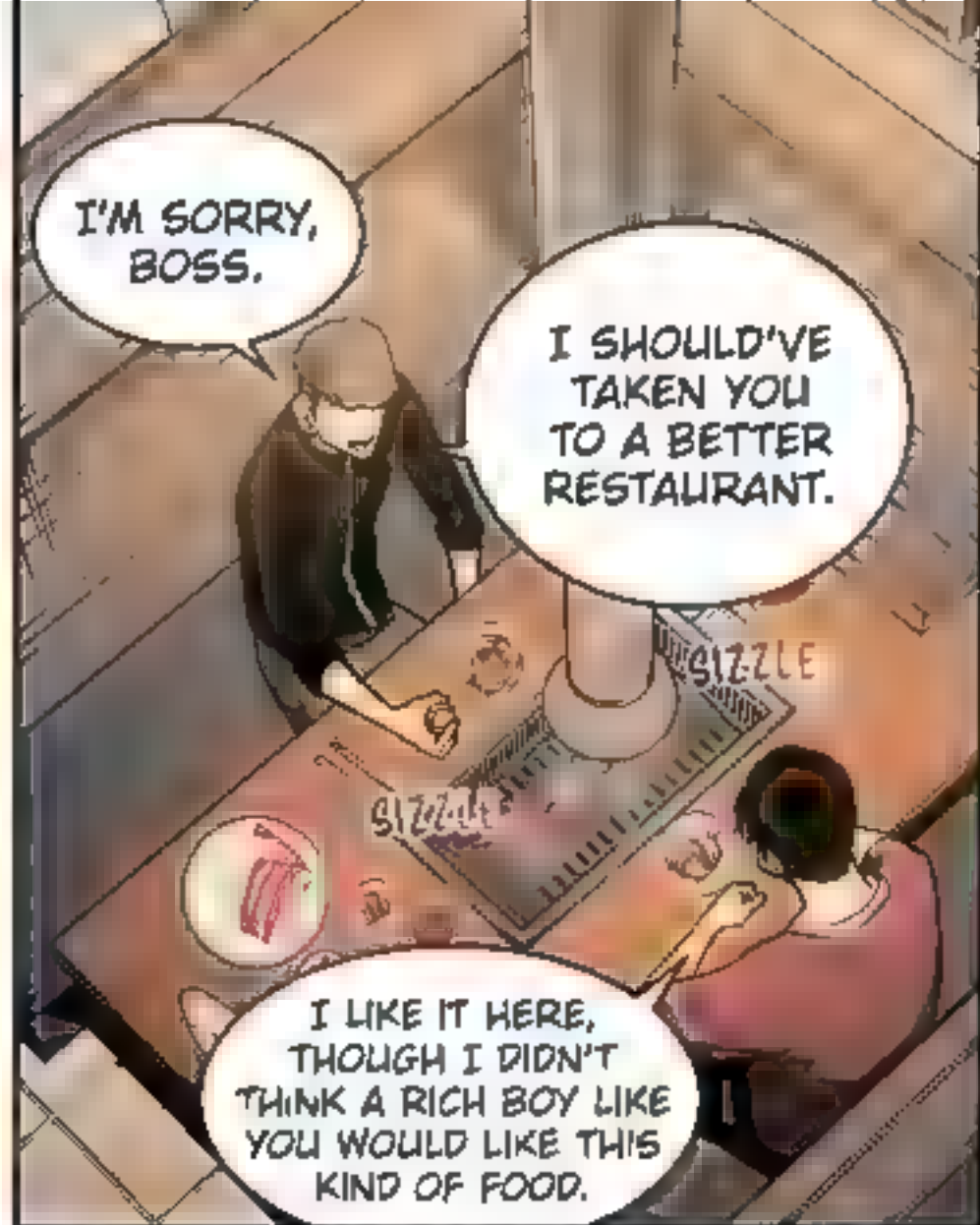
《This
can't be
happening!》







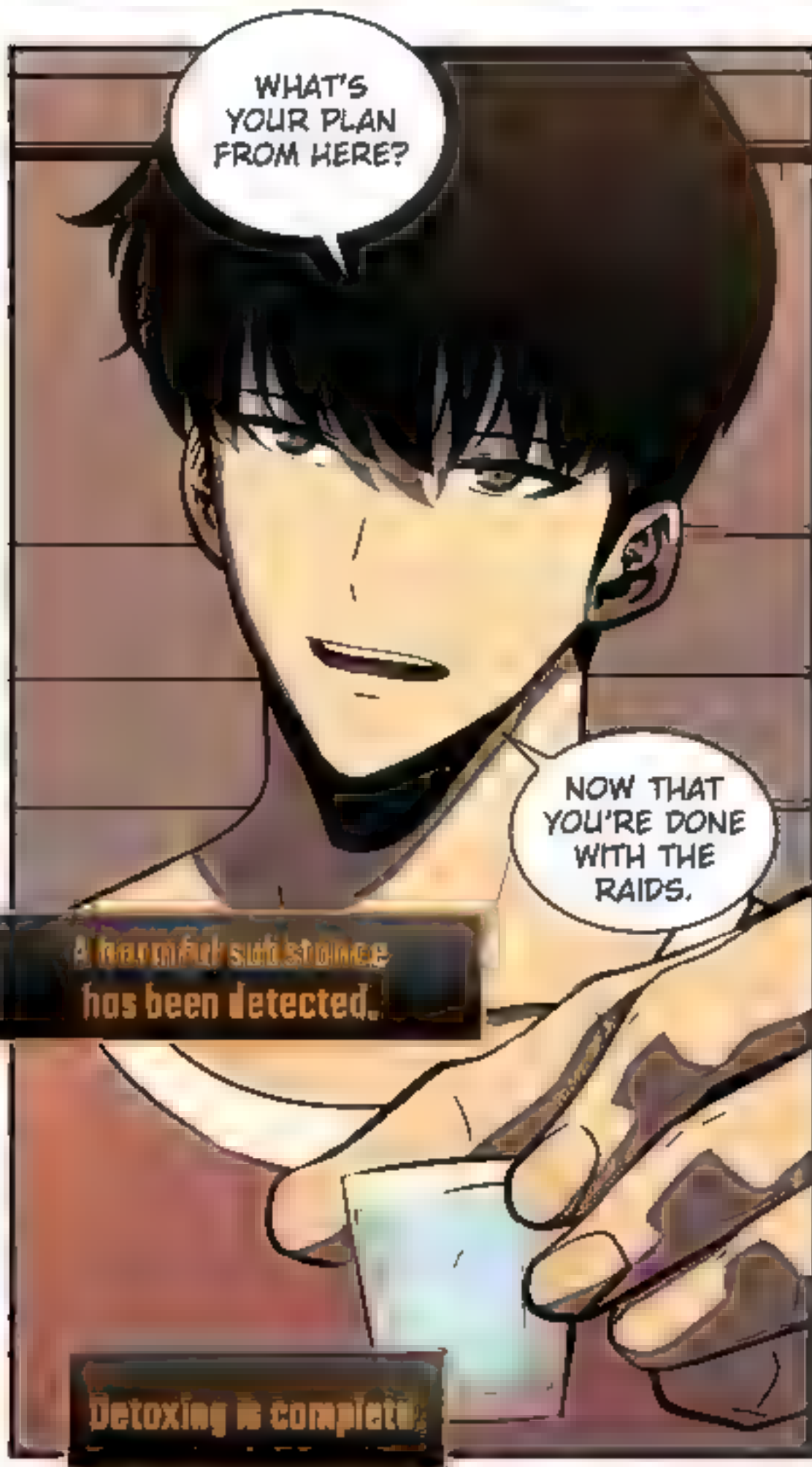
ALL THE
RAIDS ARE
DONE NOW.



I'M SORRY,
BOSS.

I SHOULD'VE
TAKEN YOU
TO A BETTER
RESTAURANT.

I LIKE IT HERE,
THOUGH I DIDN'T
THINK A RICH BOY LIKE
YOU WOULD LIKE THIS
KIND OF FOOD.

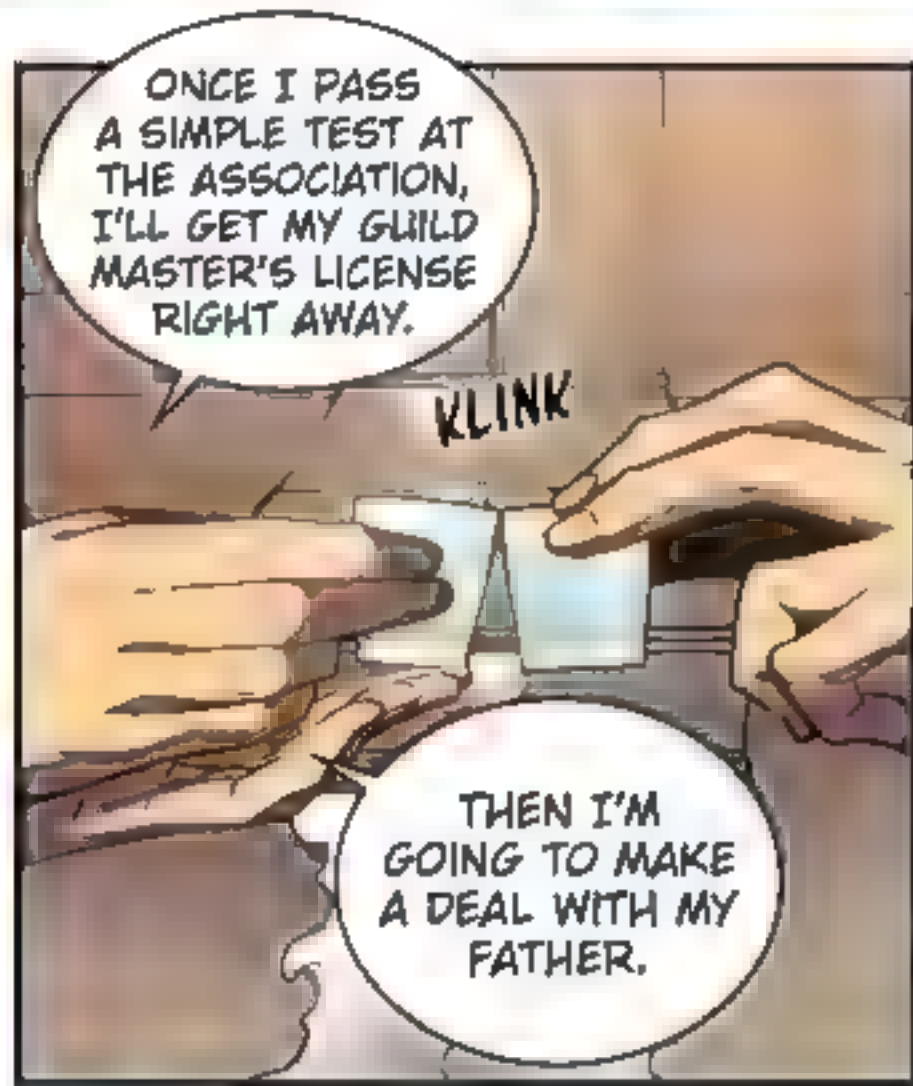


WHAT'S
YOUR PLAN
FROM HERE?

NOW THAT
YOU'RE DONE
WITH THE
RAIDS.

A harmful substance
has been detected.

Detoxing is complete.



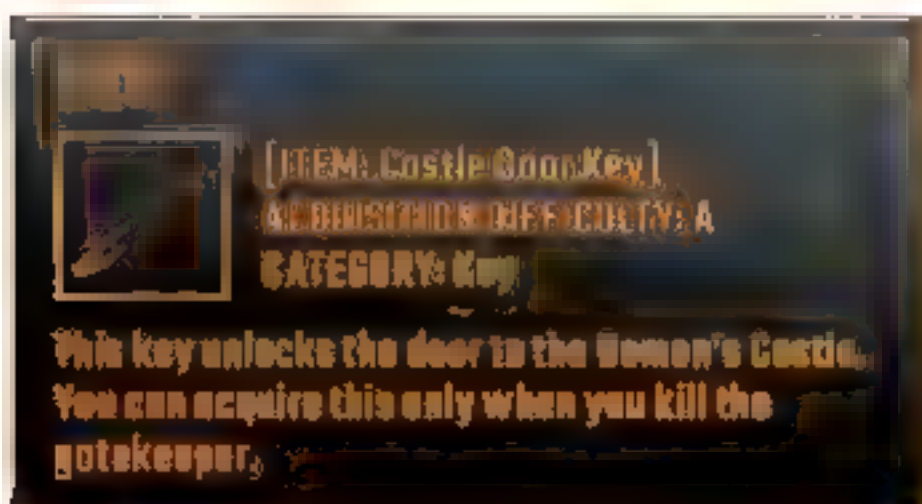
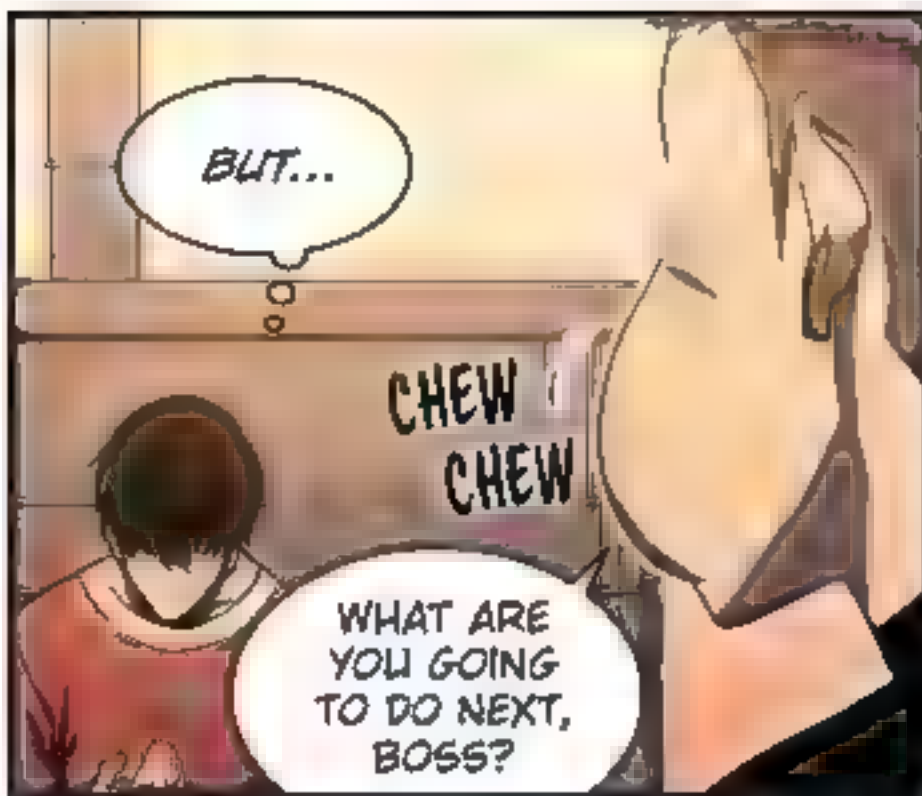
ONCE I PASS
A SIMPLE TEST AT
THE ASSOCIATION,
I'LL GET MY GUILD
MASTER'S LICENSE
RIGHT AWAY.

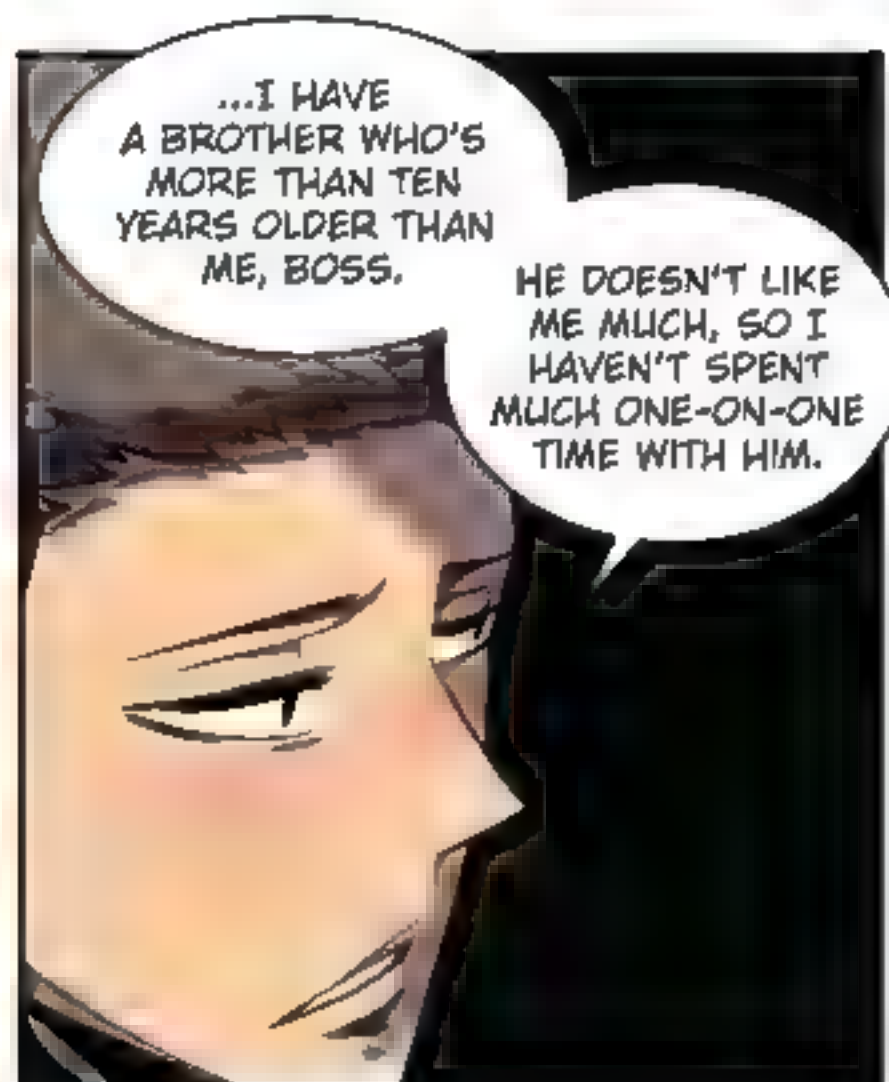
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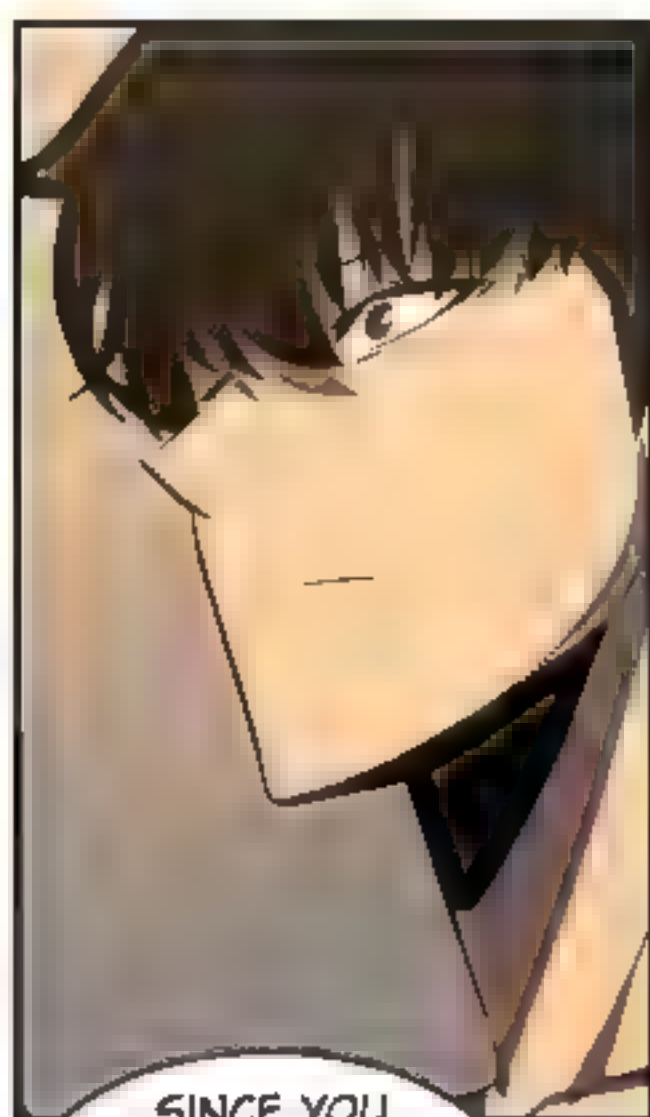
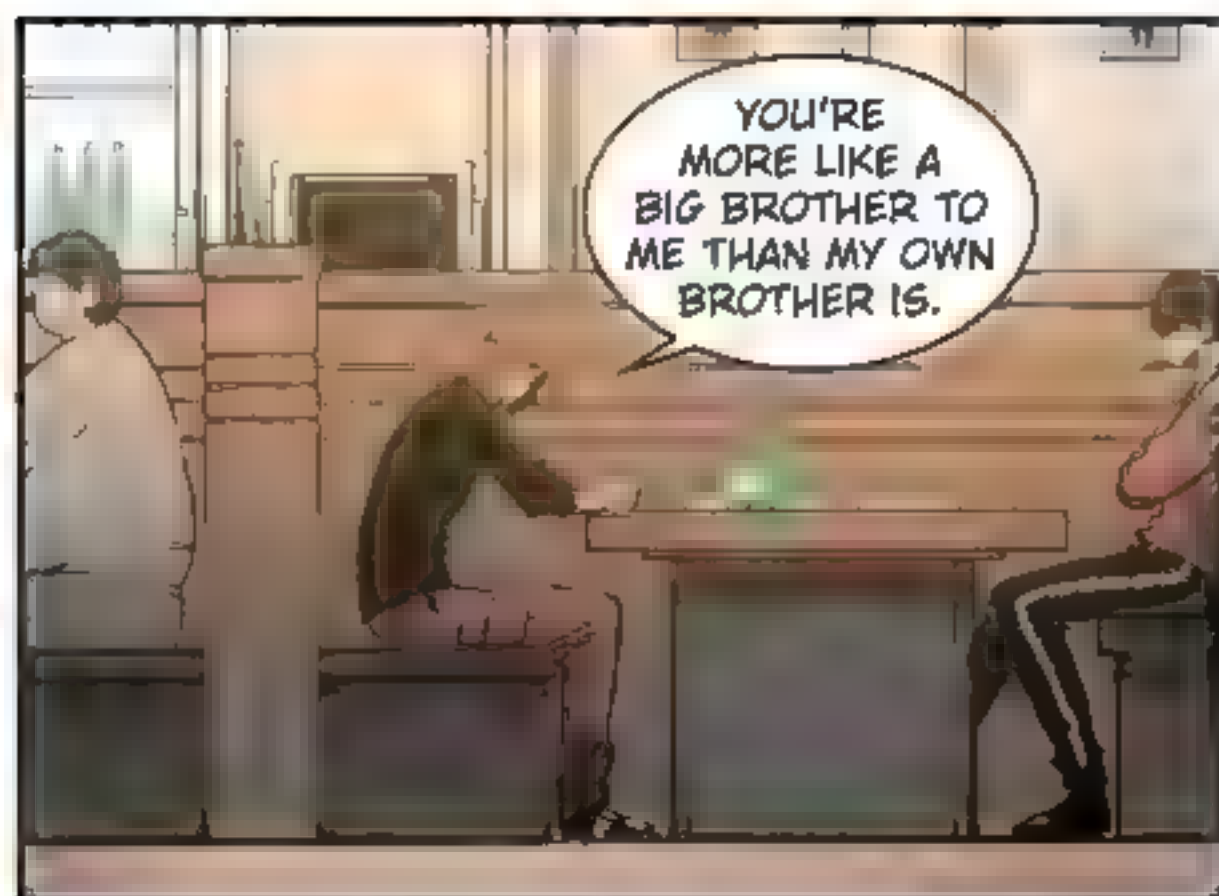
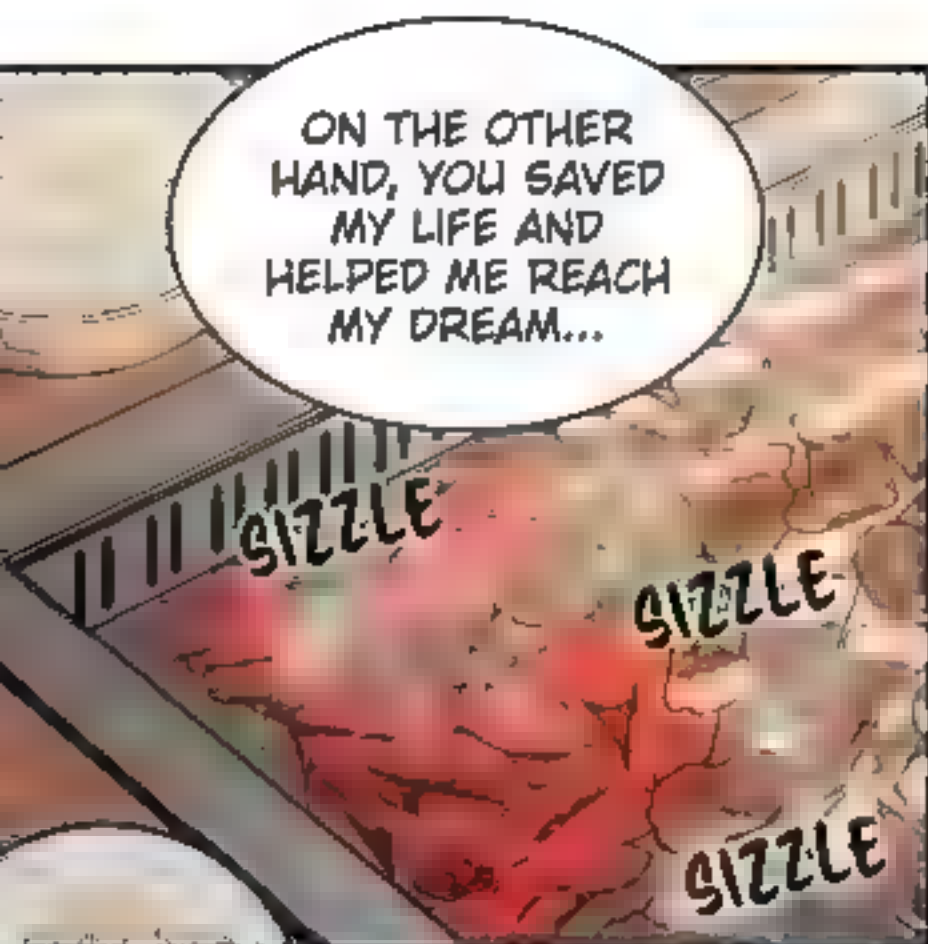
THEN I'M
GOING TO MAKE
A DEAL WITH MY
FATHER.

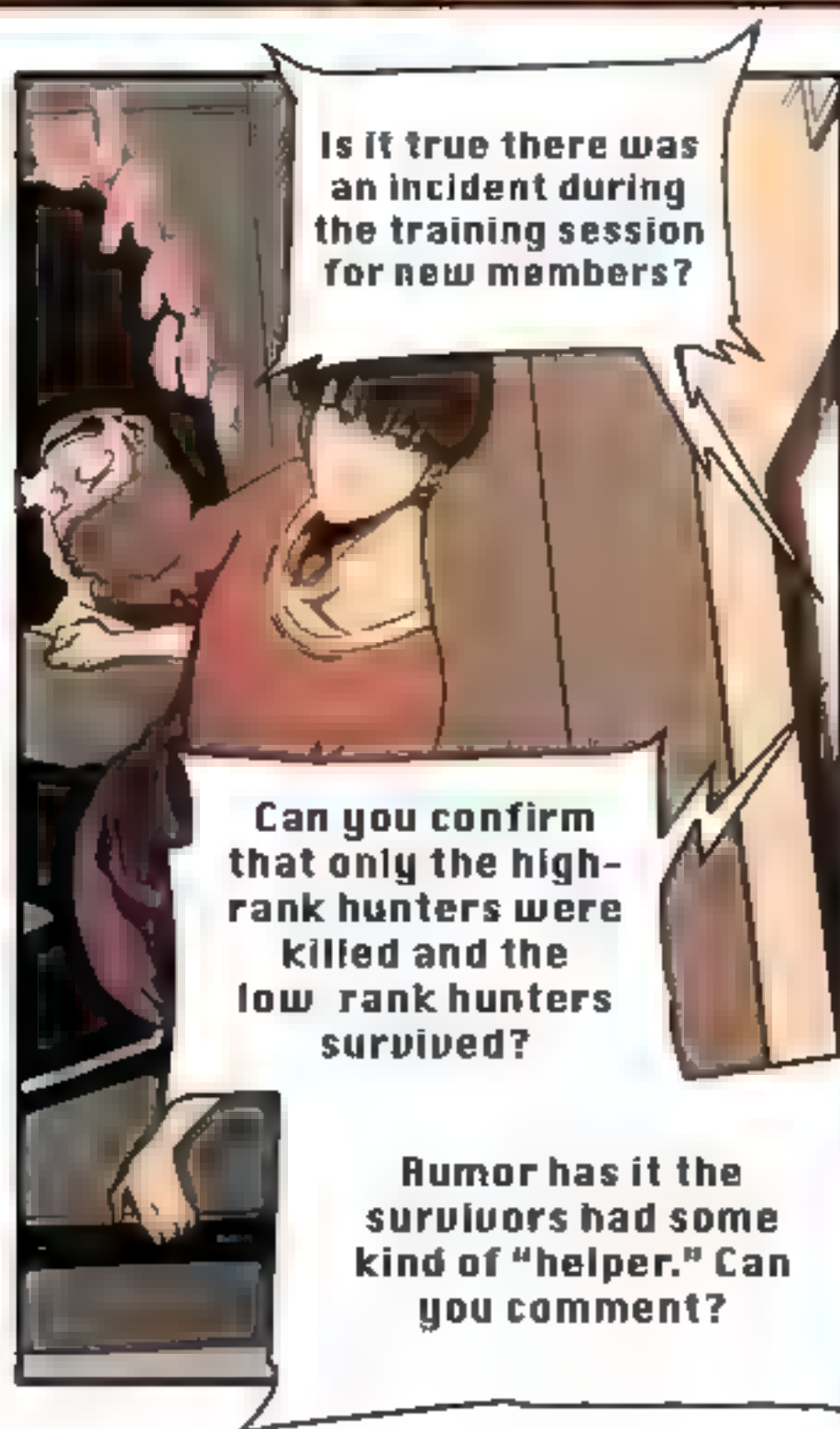
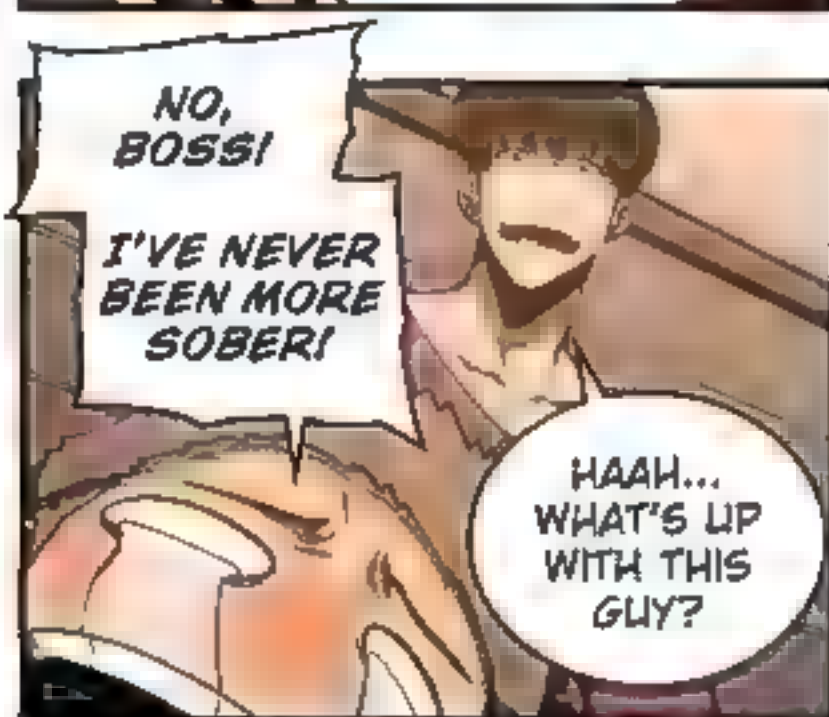


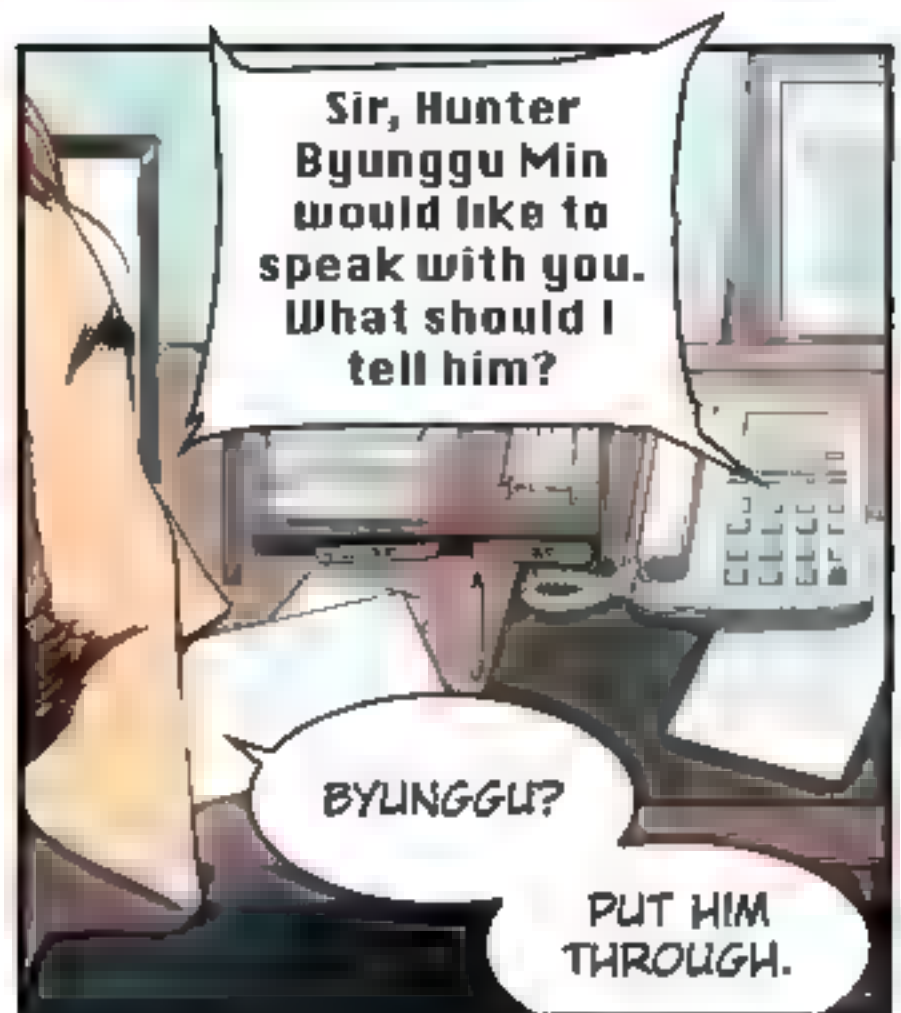
PLUS,
I HAVE A
PROMISE TO
KEEP.

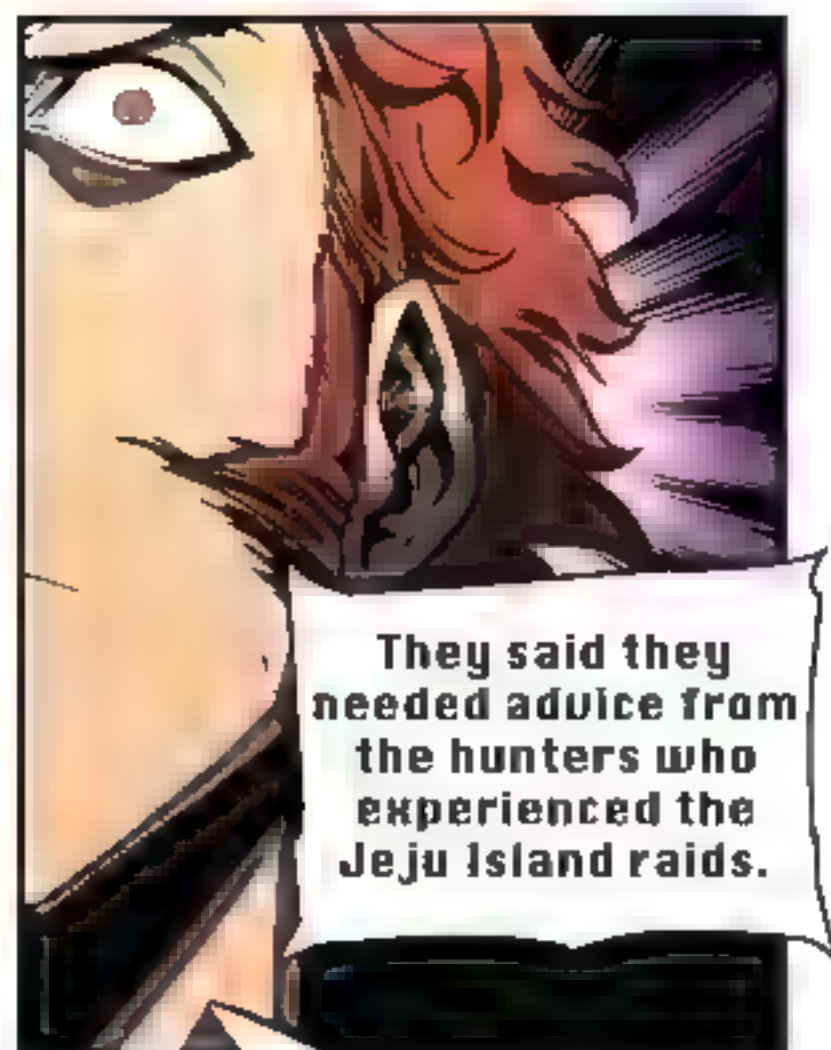
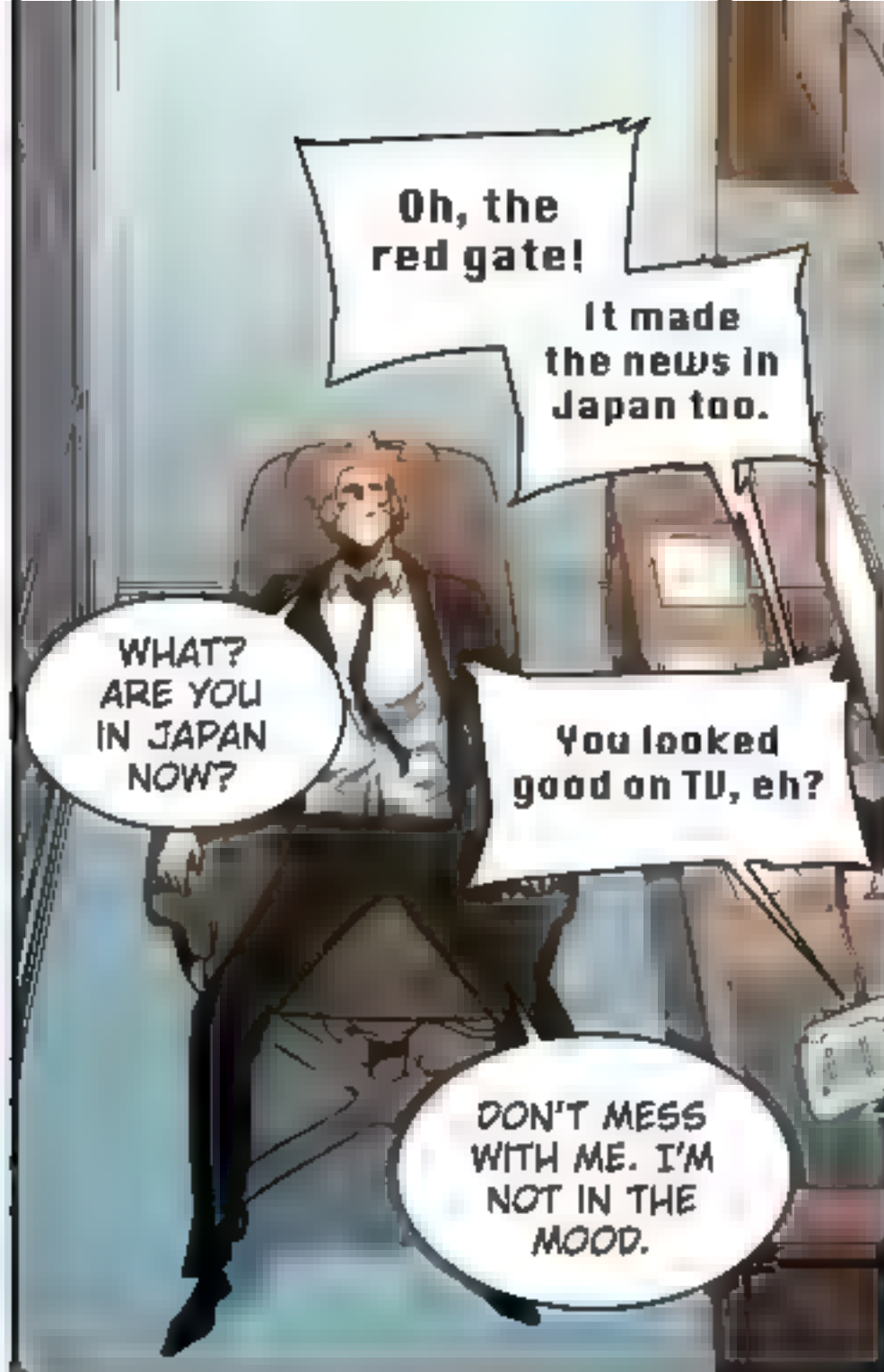














The S-rank gate
spawned on
Jeju Island four
years ago.

As you know,
our government
gave up on the
island after three
extermination
missions failed.

It's full of ants
even now.

Both you and
I were almost
killed because
of them.



THAT'S
RIGHT.

IT WAS A
NIGHTMARE
I NEVER WANT
TO EXPERIENCE
AGAIN.



It looks
like they've
mutated.

MUTANTS?

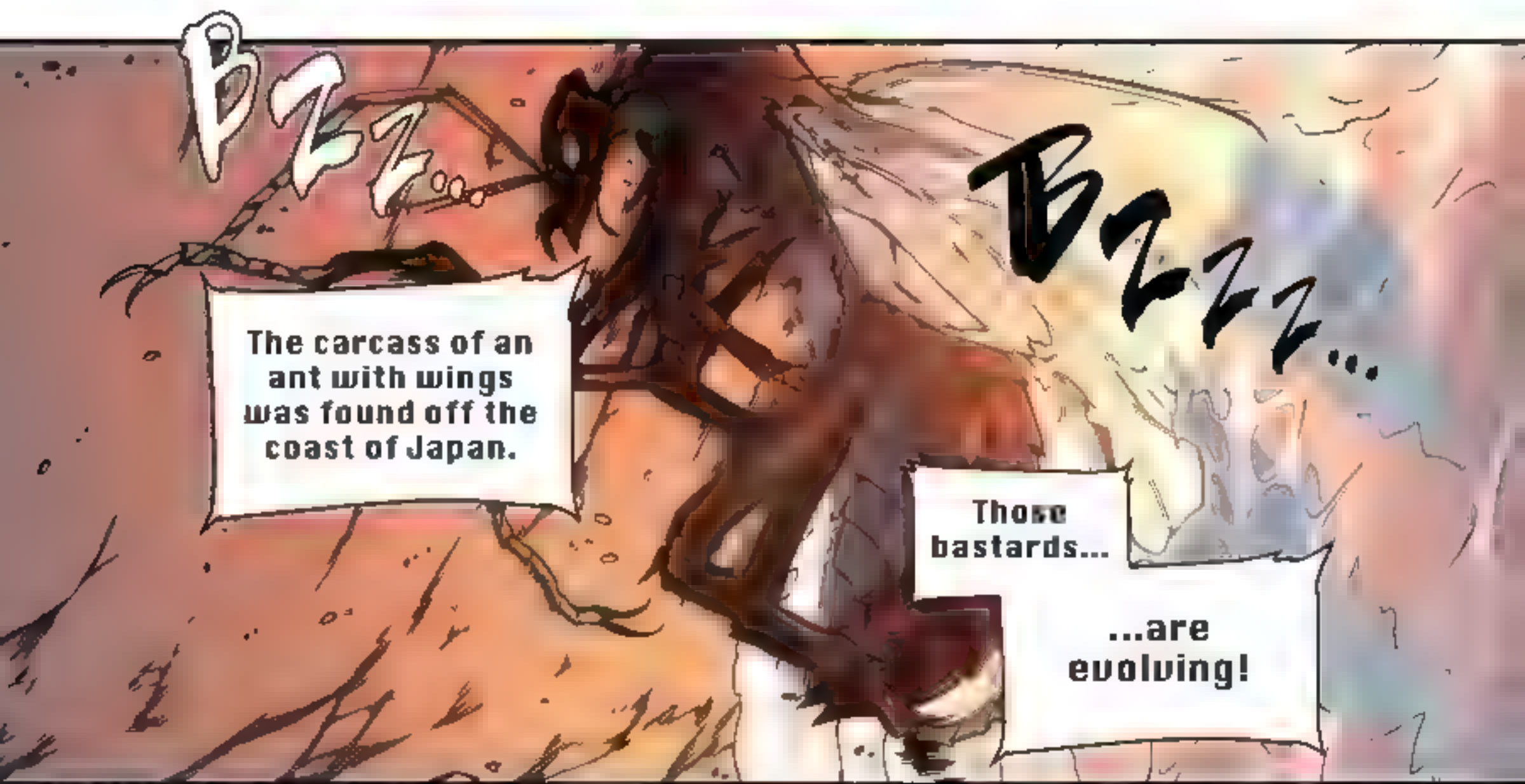
WHO CARES?
LET THOSE
BASTARDS FIGHT
EACH OTHER ON
THE ISLAND.

IT'LL BE FINE
IF WE LEAVE
THEM ALONE.

The thing
is...

...they can
leave Jeju.

They can
fly across
ocean!



Bzzz...

The carcass of an ant with wings was found off the coast of Japan.

Bzzzzz...

Those bastards...

...are evolving!



YOU'VE BEEN GOING OUT A LOT LATELY.

YOU GOING ON A TRIP?

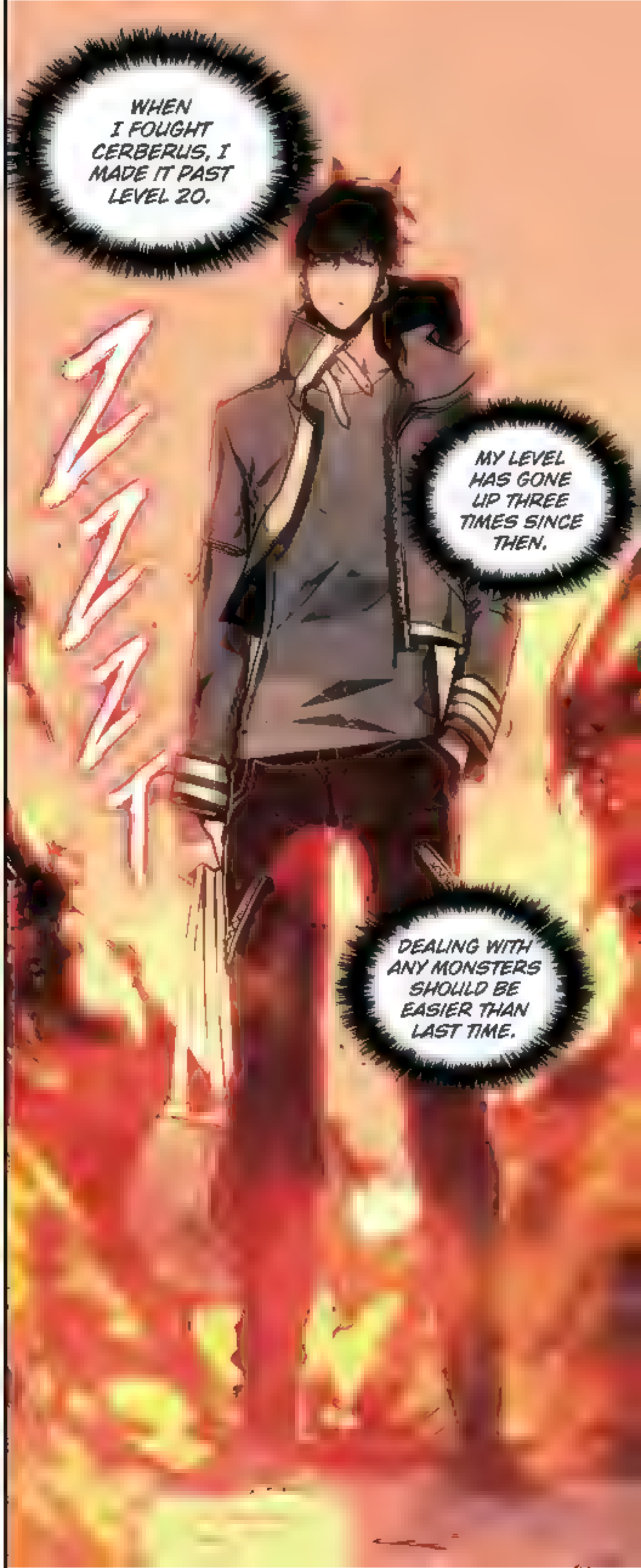
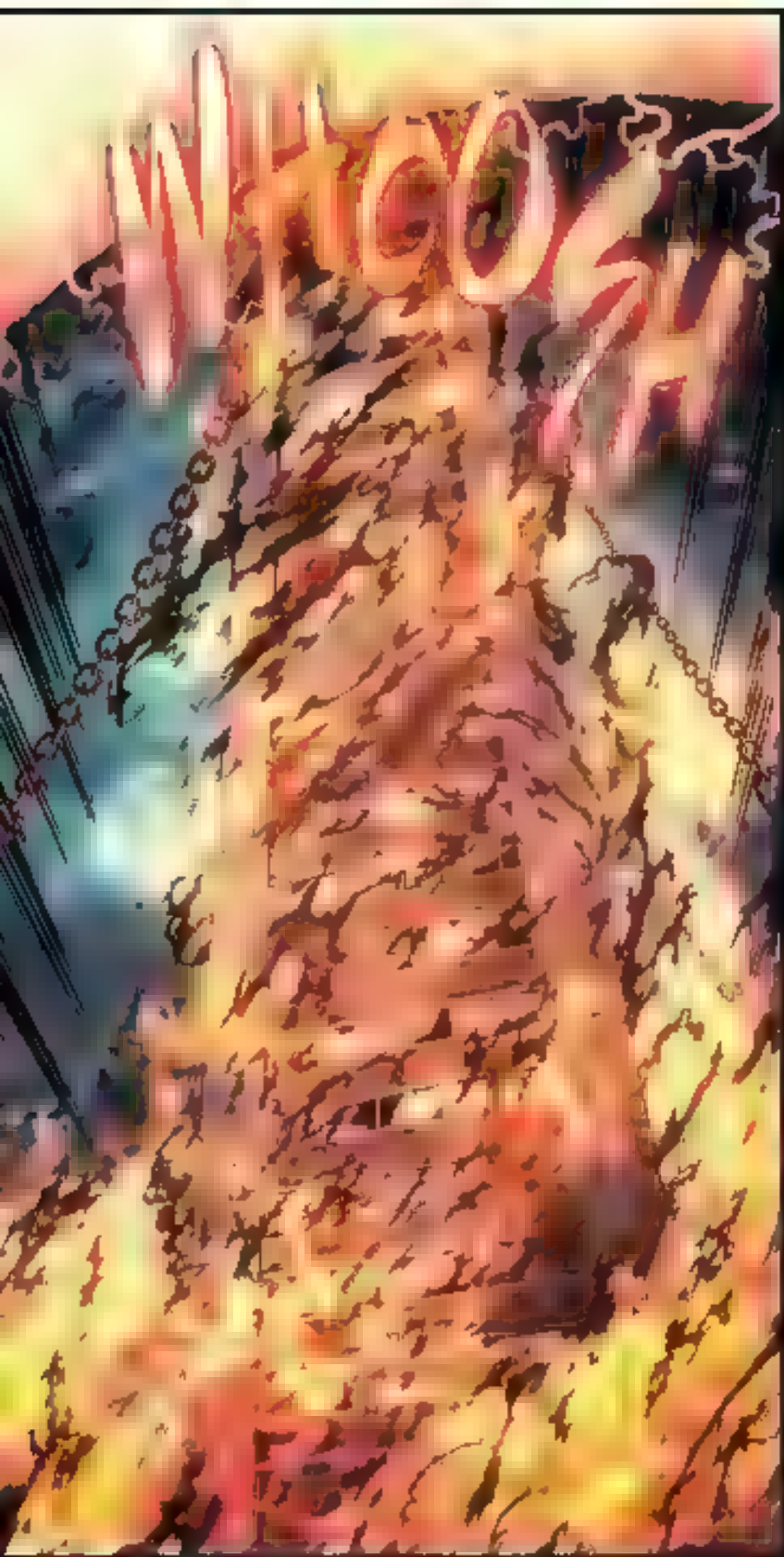
I WON'T BE HOME FOR A WEEK AT LEAST.

WHO'S GOING WITH YOU?

YOUR GIRLFRIEND?

A FRIEND.

YOU'RE ALL THE SAME



WHEN
I FOUGHT
CERBERUS, I
MADE IT PAST
LEVEL 20.

MY LEVEL
HAS GONE
UP THREE
TIMES SINCE
THEN.

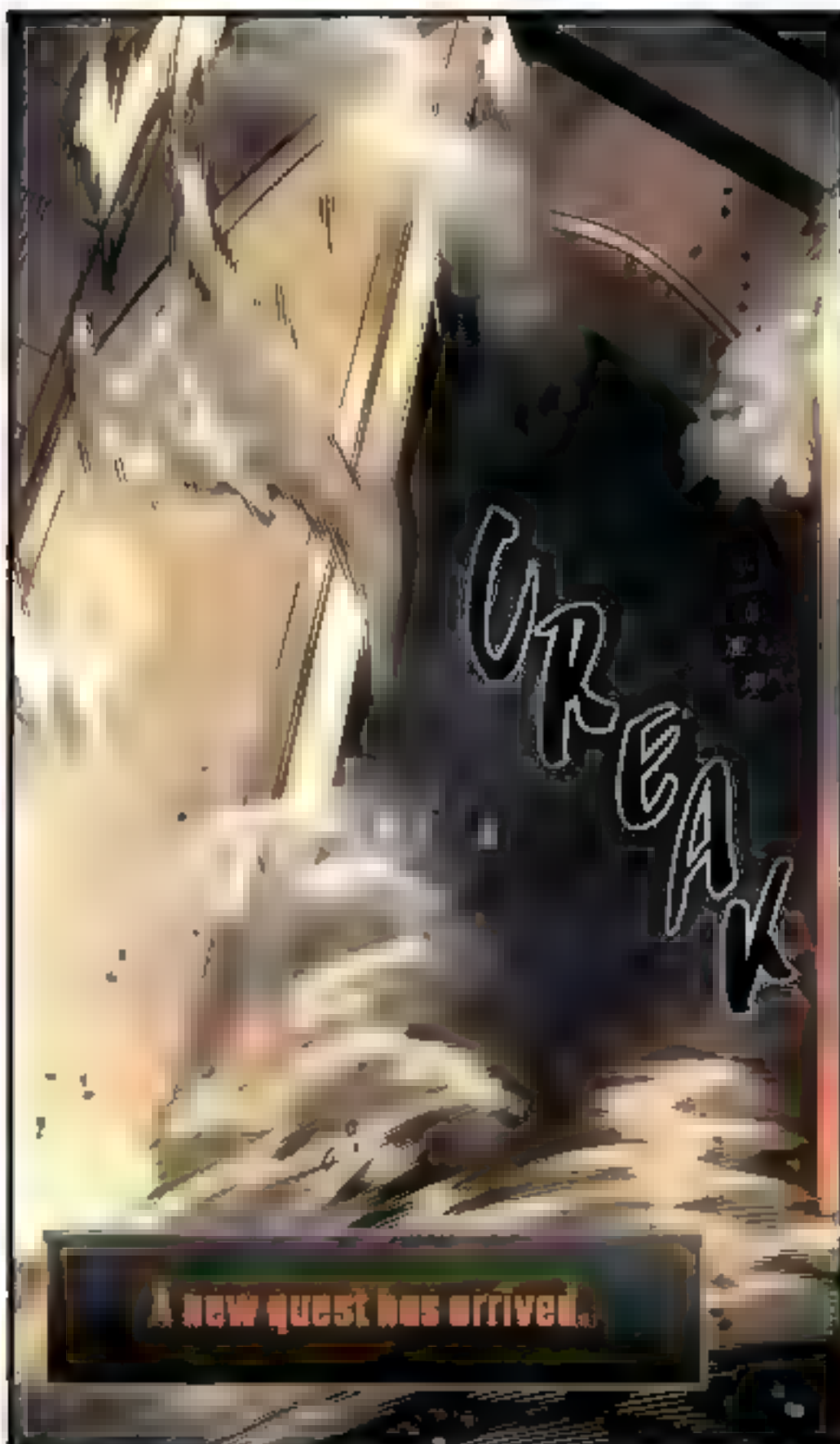
DEALING WITH
ANY MONSTERS
SHOULD BE
EASIER THAN
LAST TIME.

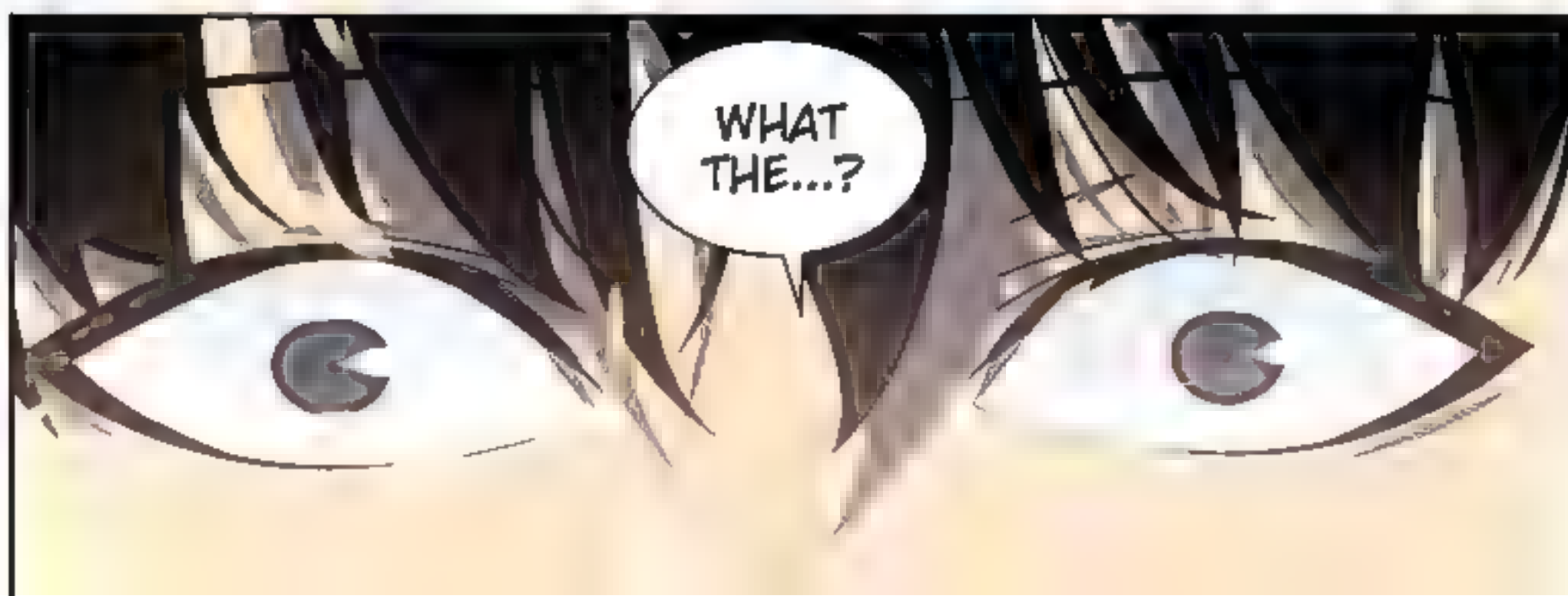
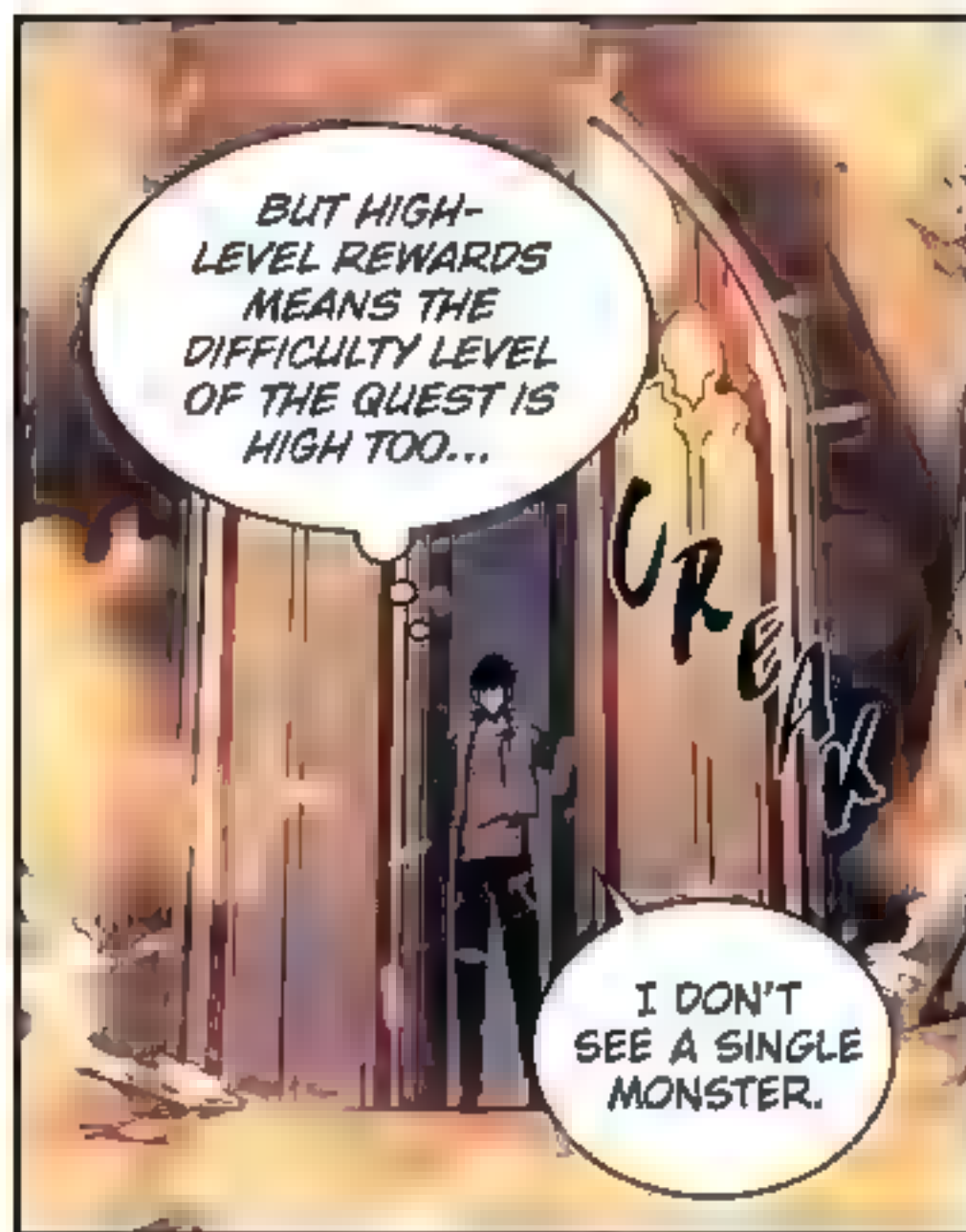
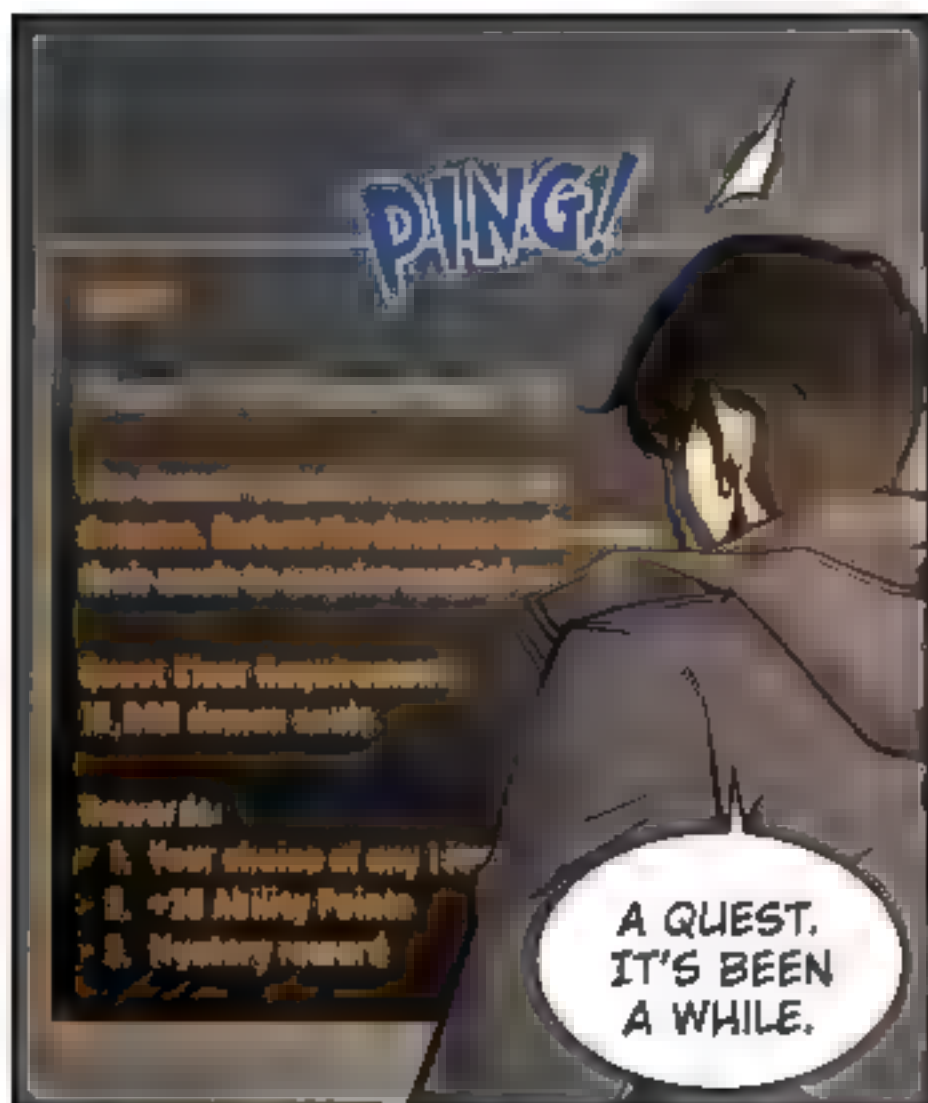


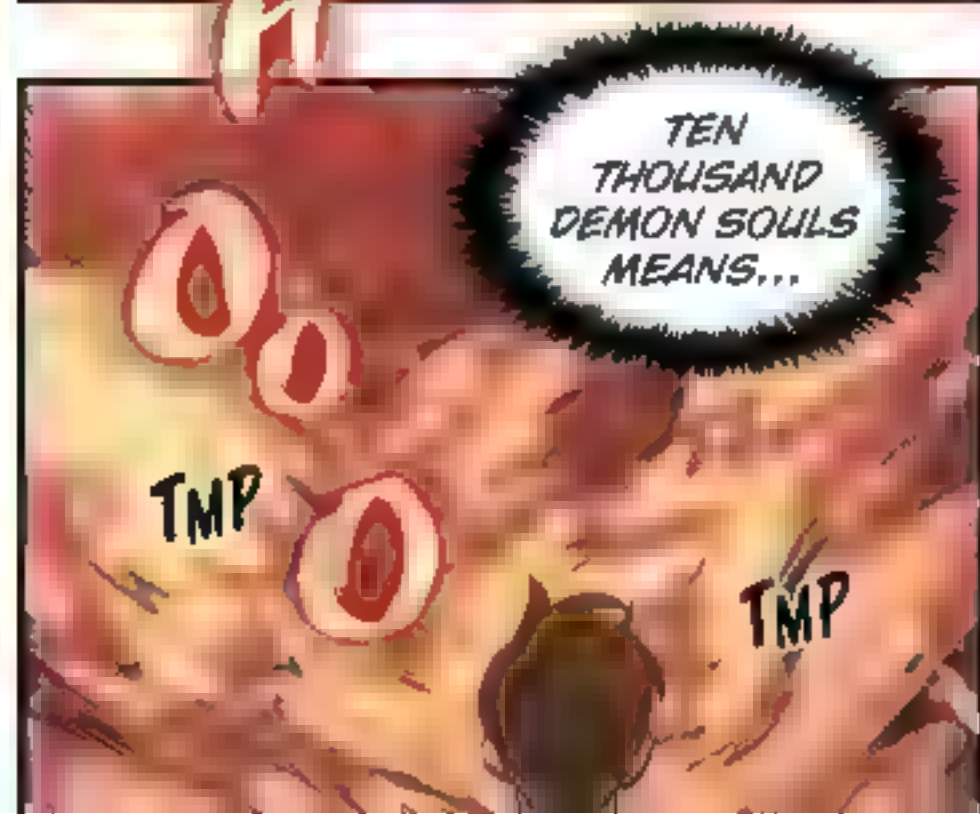
This key unlocks the door to the Demon's Castle. You can acquire this only when you kill the gatekeeper.

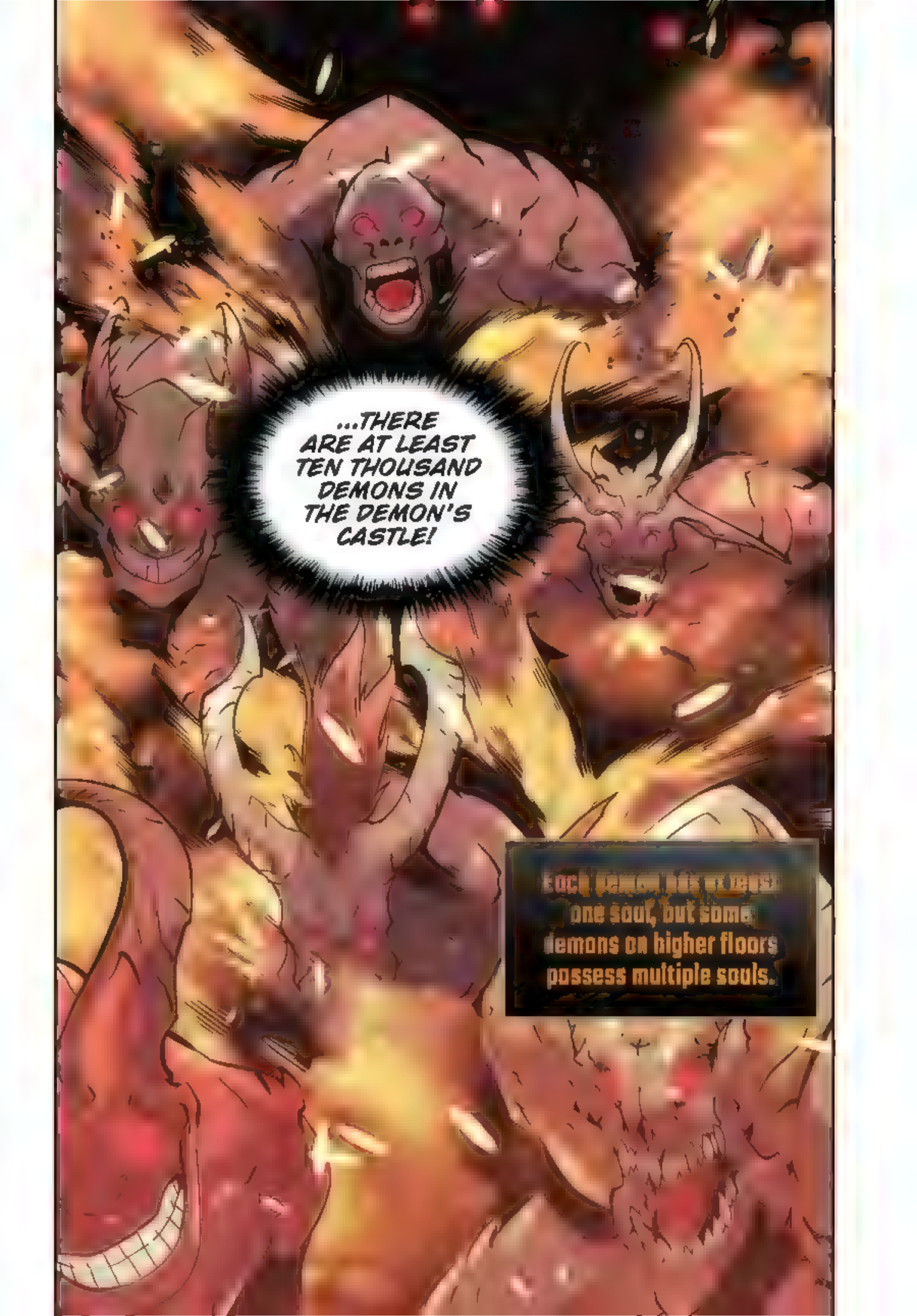


Would you like to open using the castle door key?
Y/N



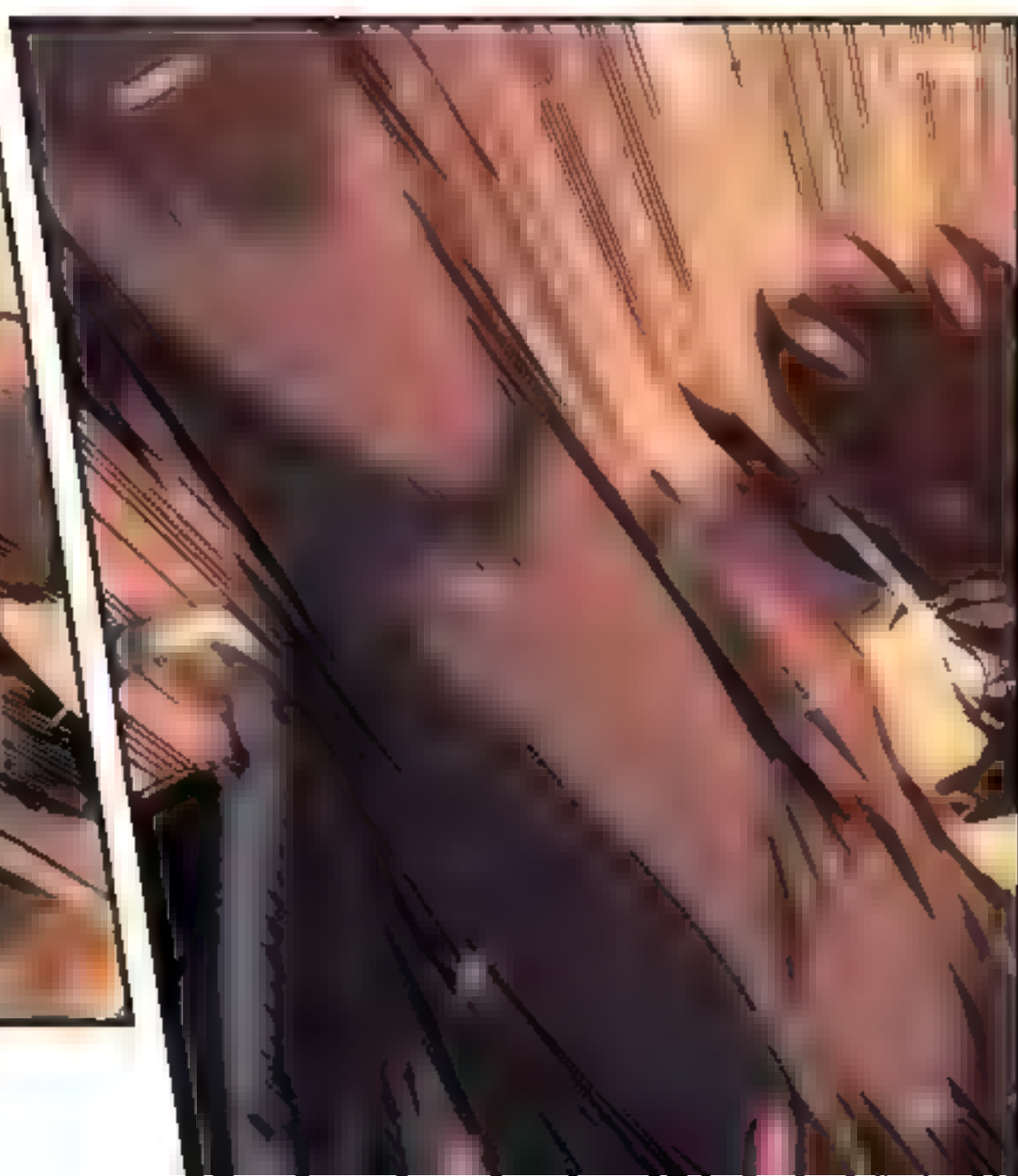
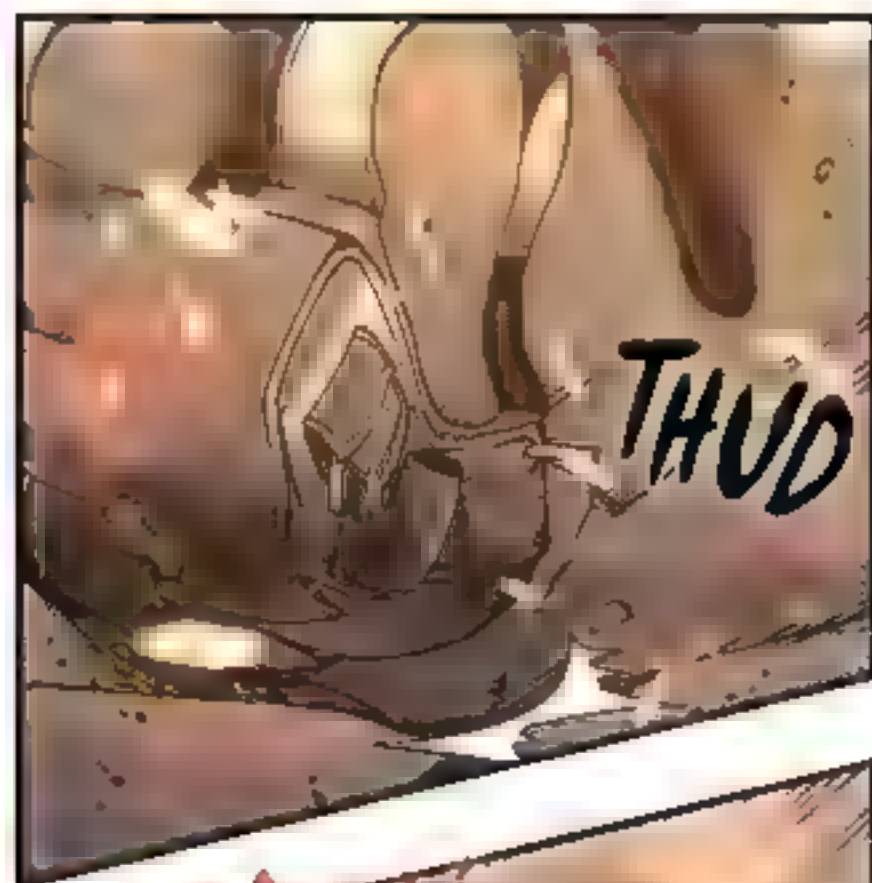


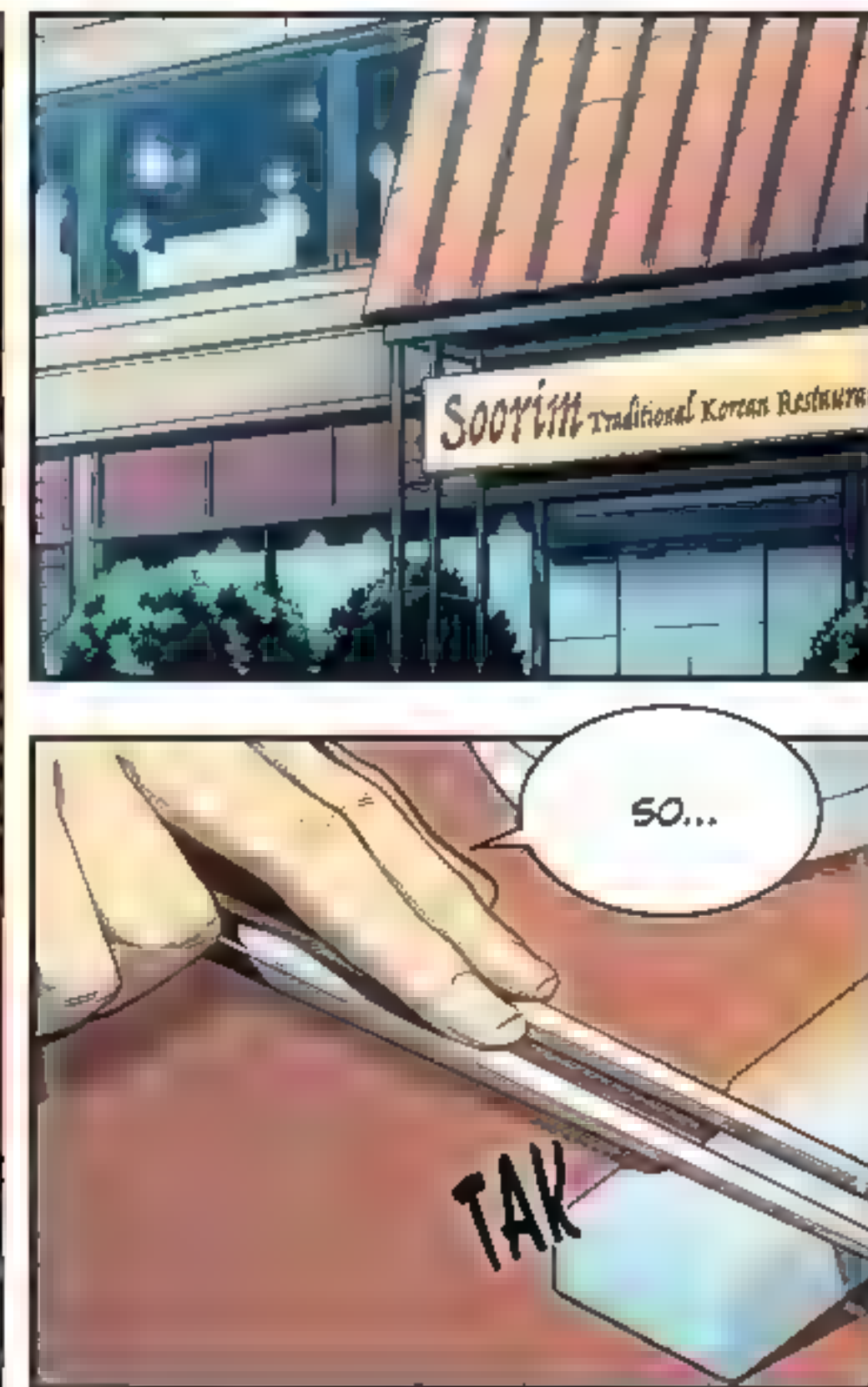
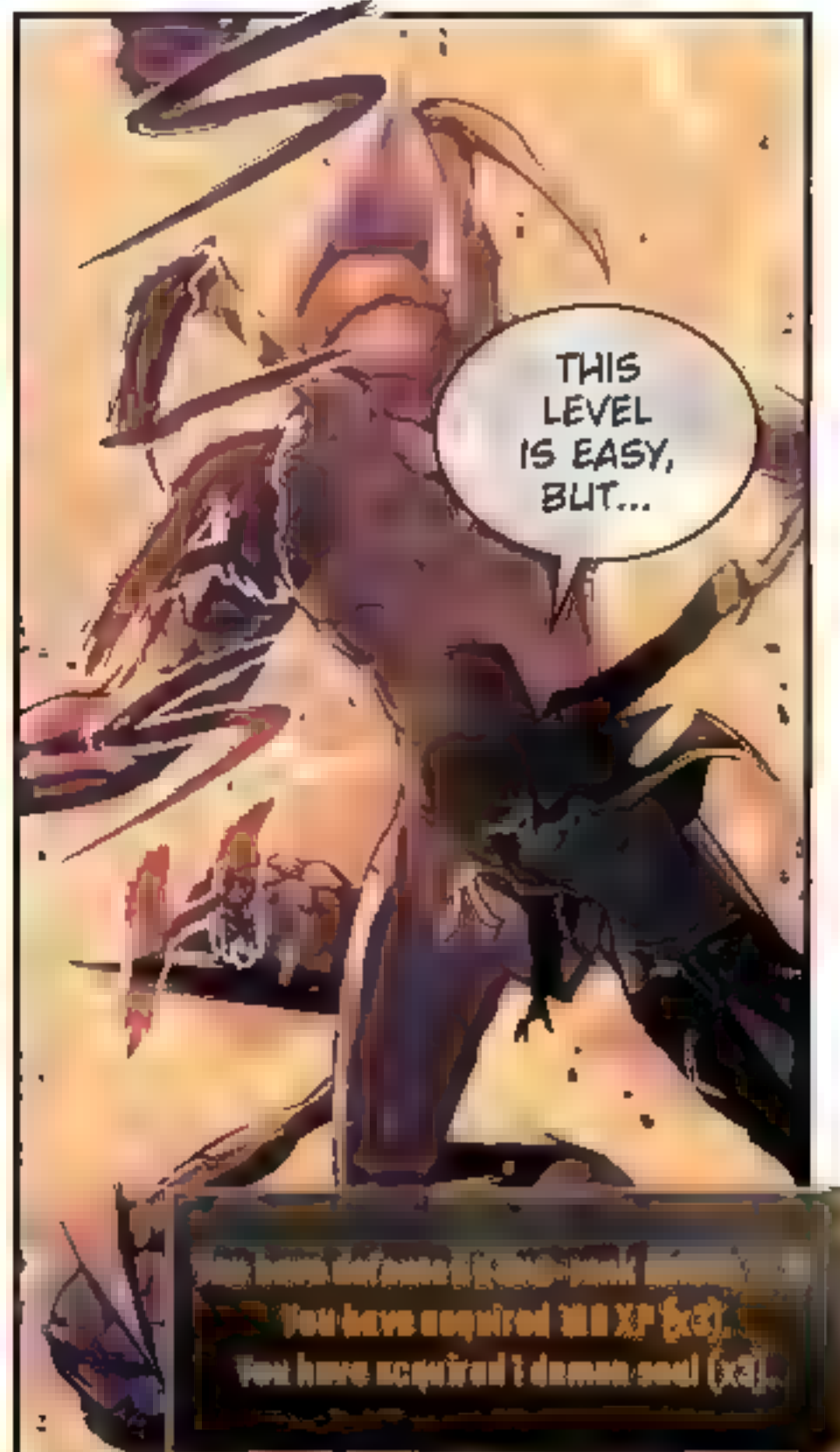


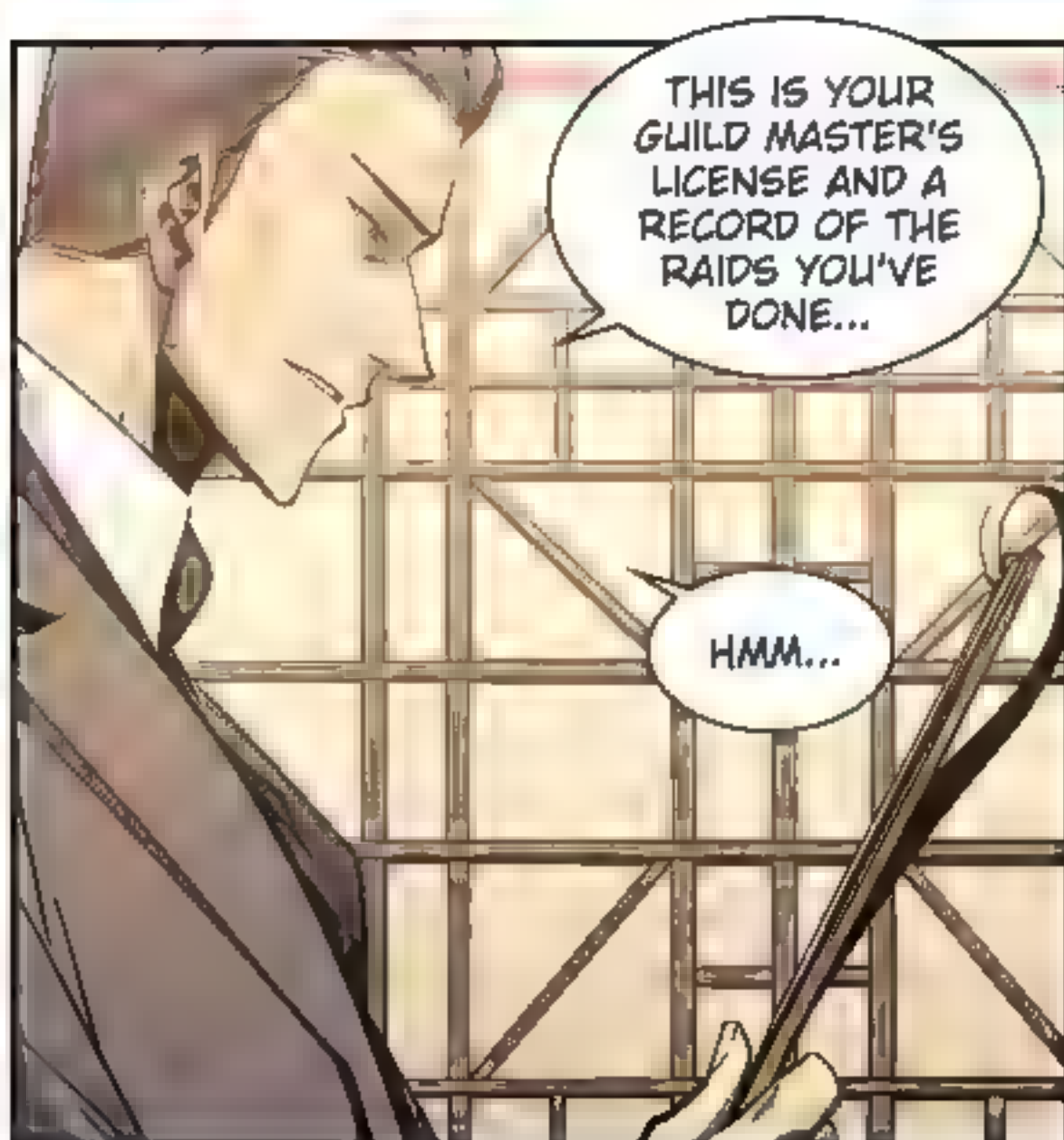


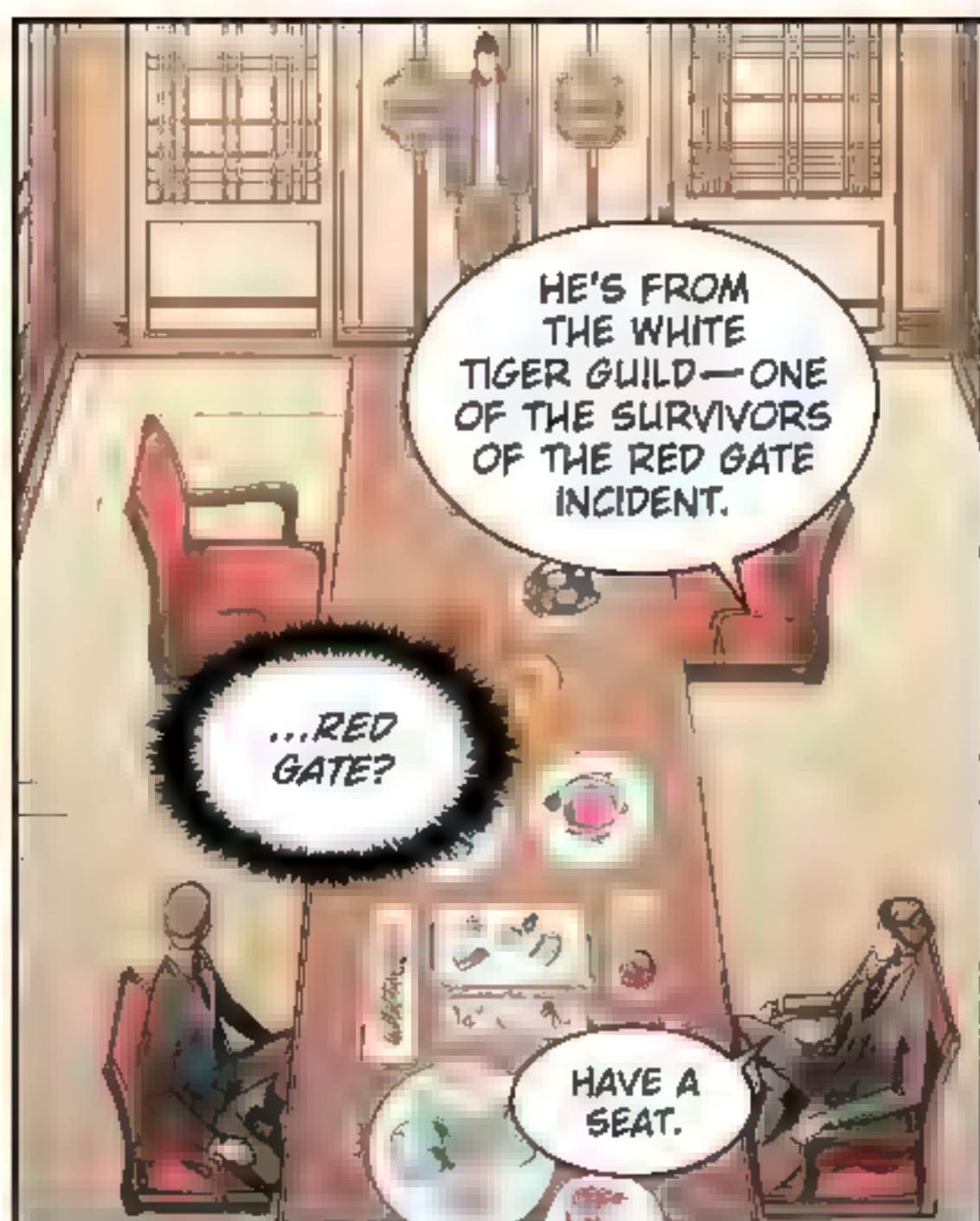
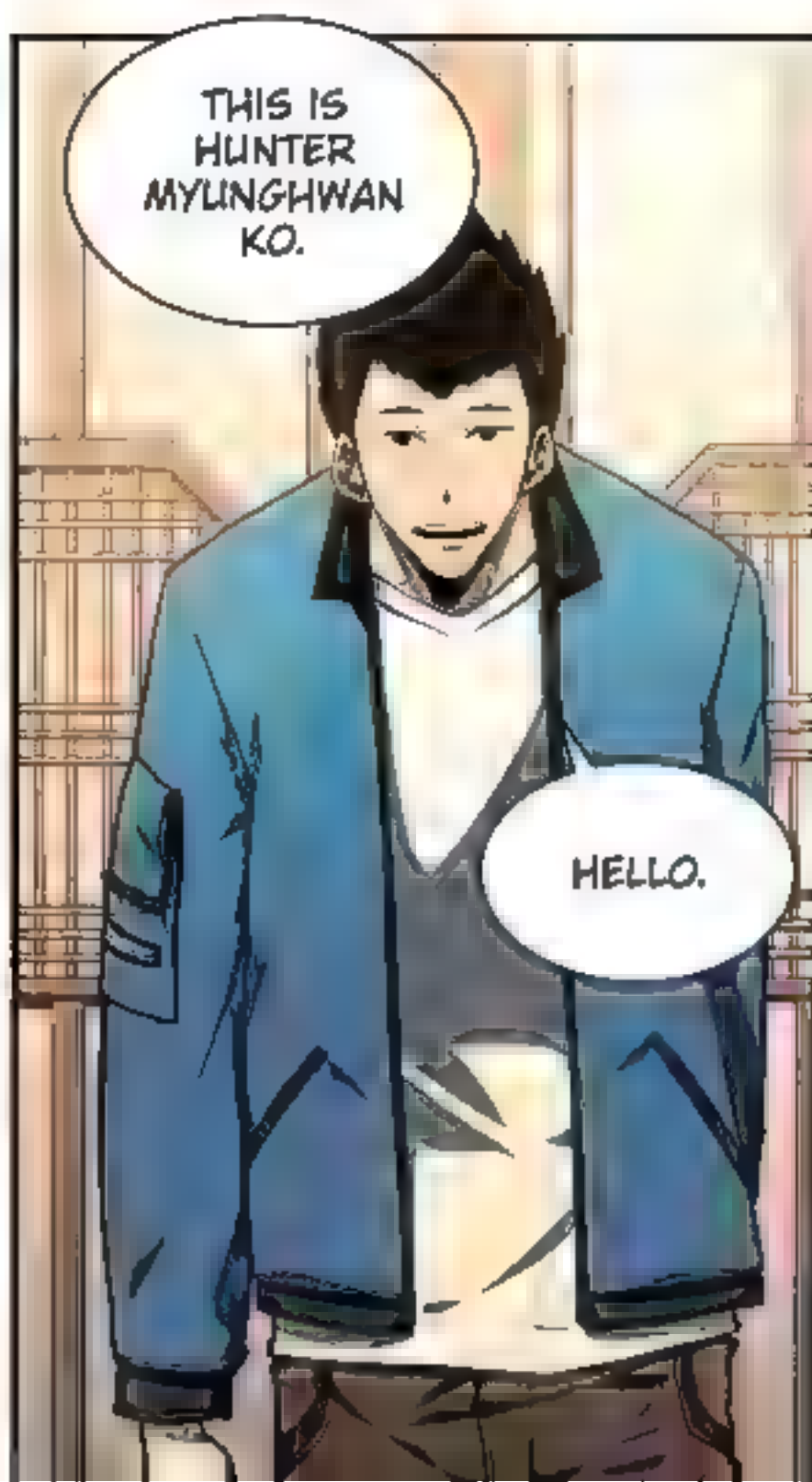
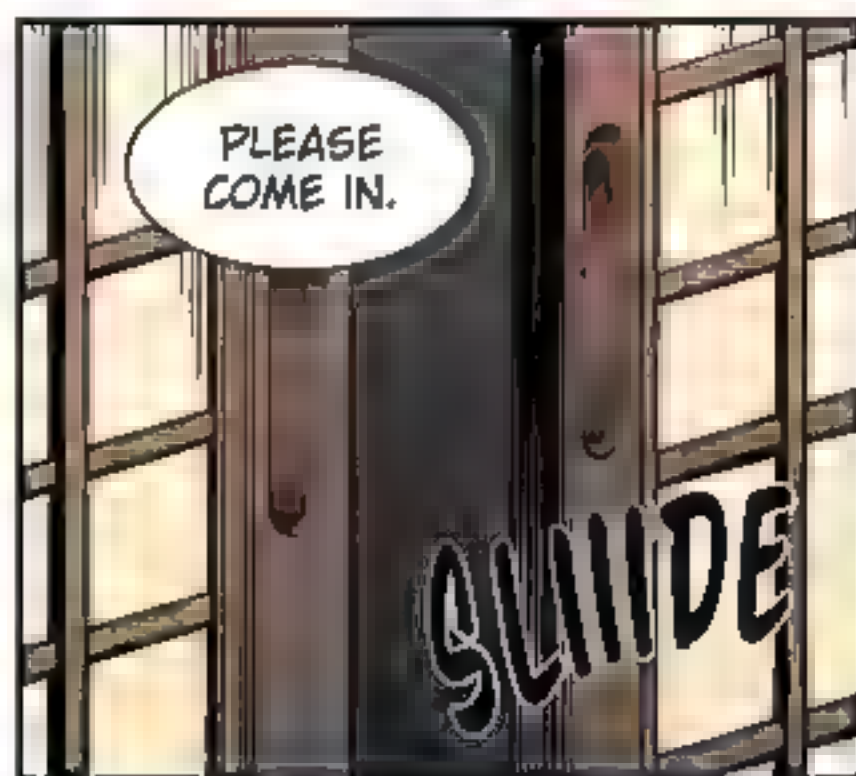
**...THERE
ARE AT LEAST
TEN THOUSAND
DEMONS IN
THE DEMON'S
CASTLE!**

**Each demon has at least
one soul, but some
demons on higher floors
possess multiple souls.**







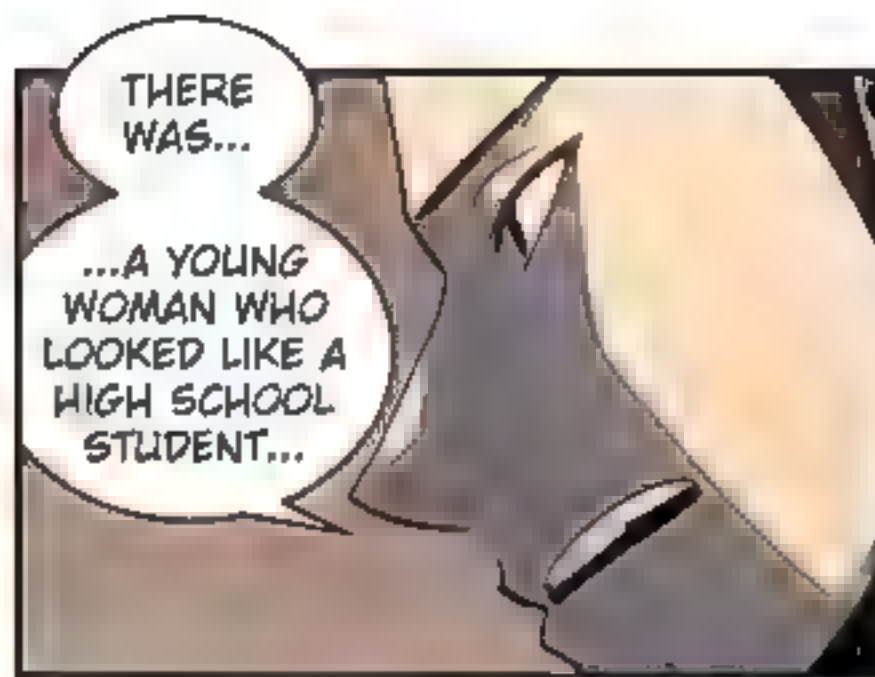




THE
MEDIA'S BEEN
SEARCHING FOR THIS
GUY EVERYWHERE!
WHAT'S HE DOING
HERE?

PLEASE TELL
MY SON WHO, APART
FROM THE WHITE TIGER
GUILD TRAINEES, WAS
ALSO THERE ON
THAT DAY.

YES,
SIR.

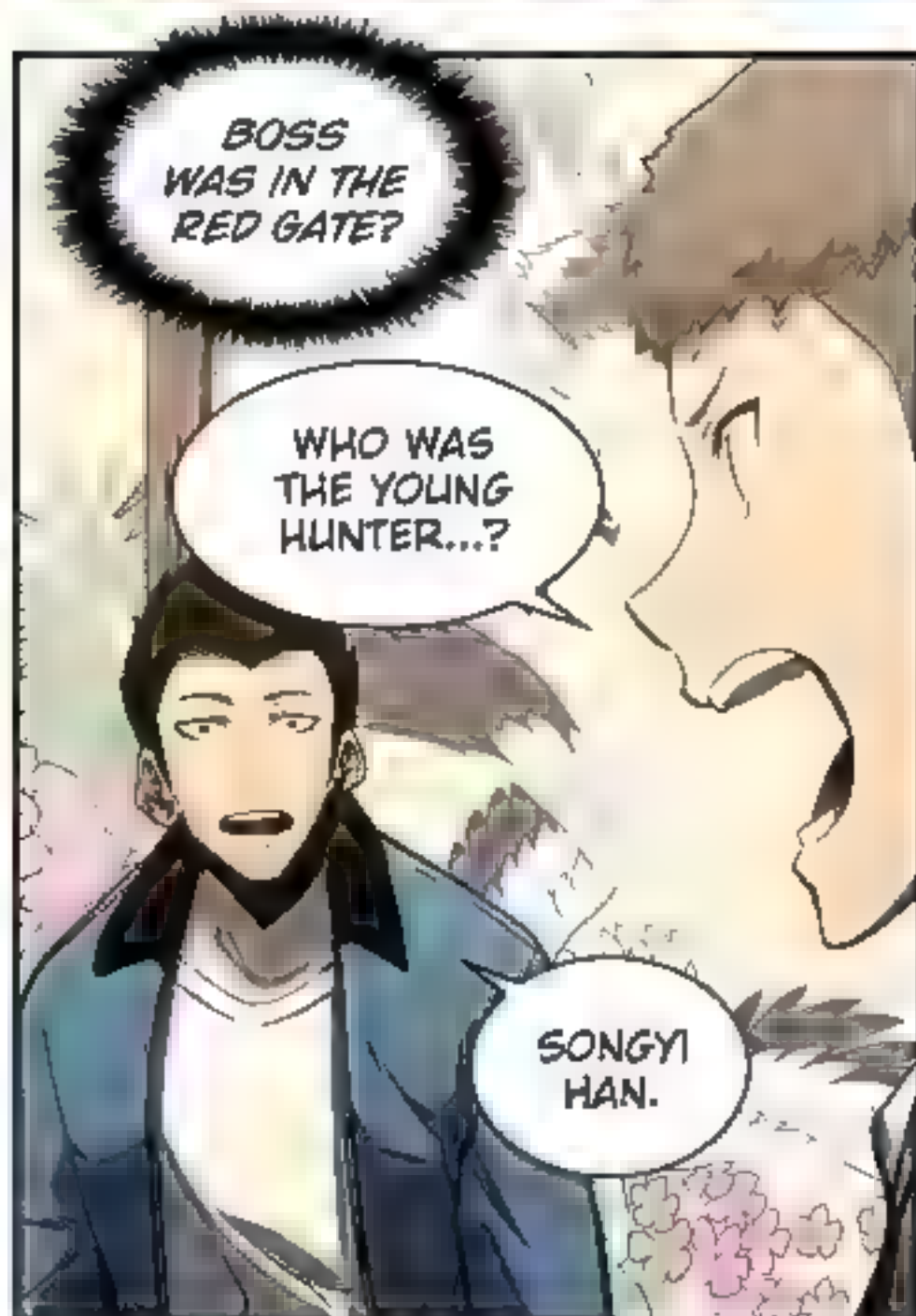


THERE
WAS...

...A YOUNG
WOMAN WHO
LOOKED LIKE A
HIGH SCHOOL
STUDENT...



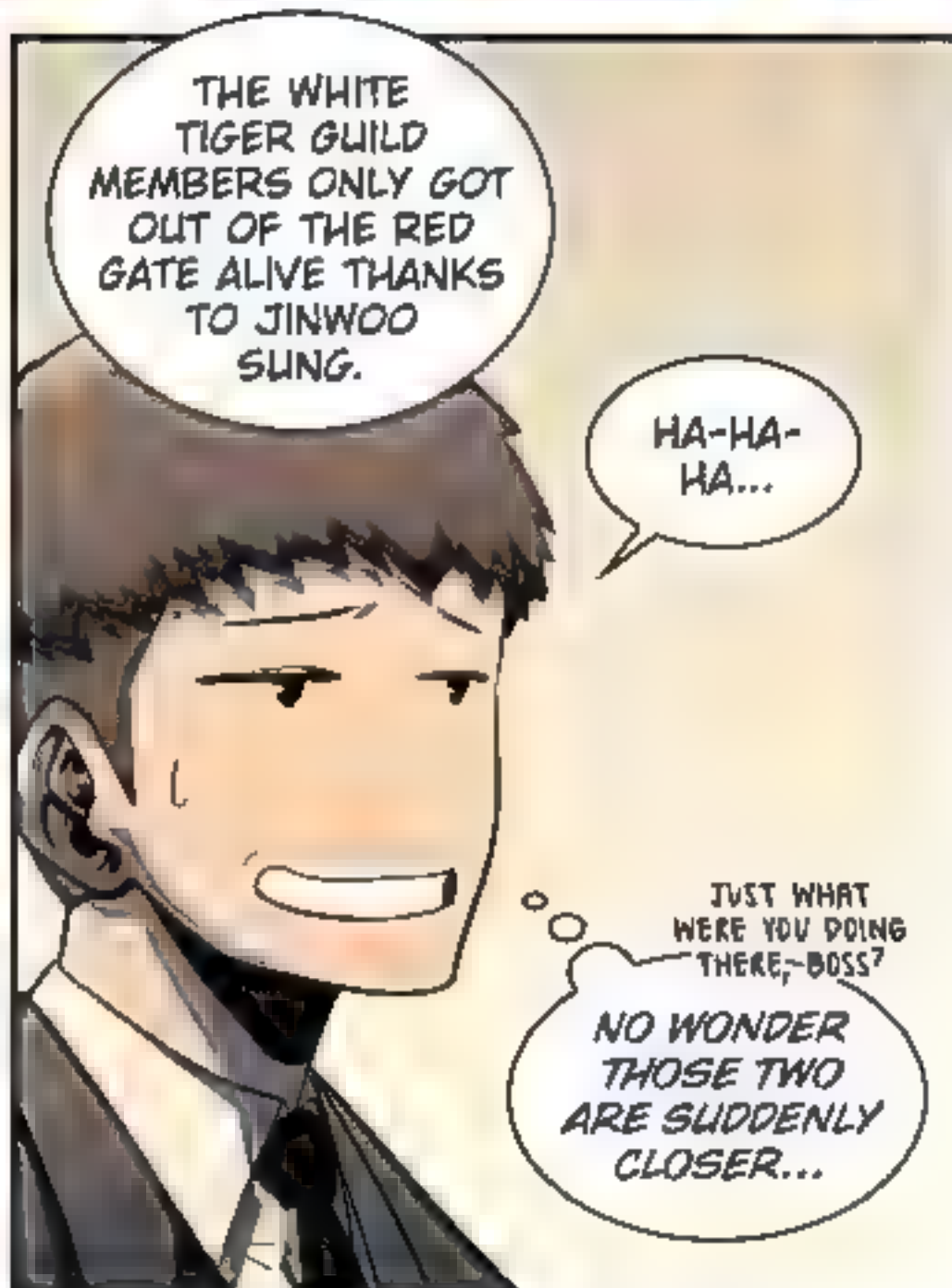
...AND
JINWOO
SUNG.



BOSS
WAS IN THE
RED GATE?

WHO WAS
THE YOUNG
HUNTER...?

SONGYI
HAN.

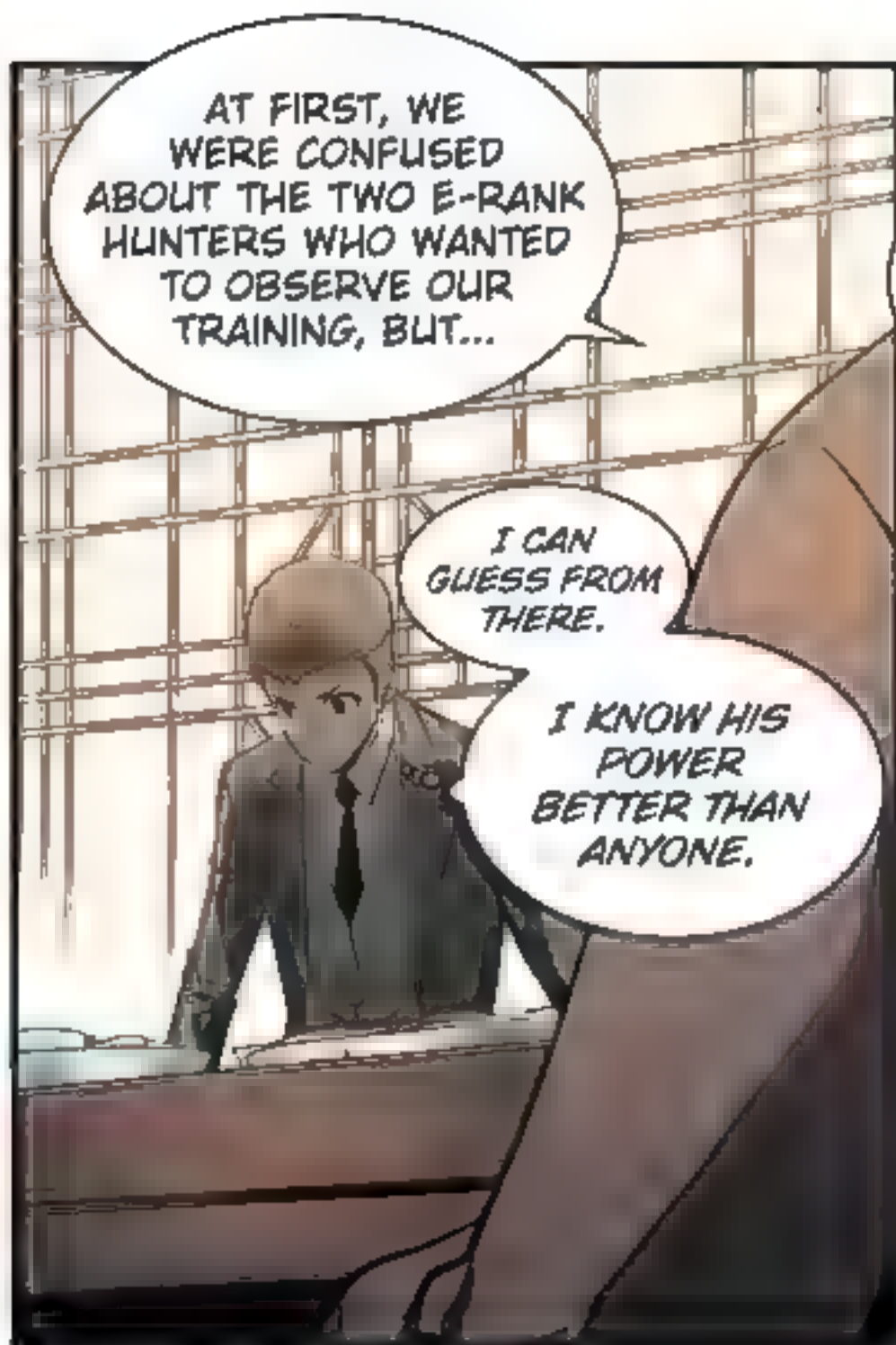


THE WHITE
TIGER GUILD
MEMBERS ONLY GOT
OUT OF THE RED
GATE ALIVE THANKS
TO JINWOO
SUNG.

HA-HA-
HA...

JUST WHAT
WERE YOU DOING
THERE, BOSS?

NO WONDER
THOSE TWO
ARE SUDDENLY
CLOSER...



AT FIRST, WE WERE CONFUSED ABOUT THE TWO E-RANK HUNTERS WHO WANTED TO OBSERVE OUR TRAINING, BUT...

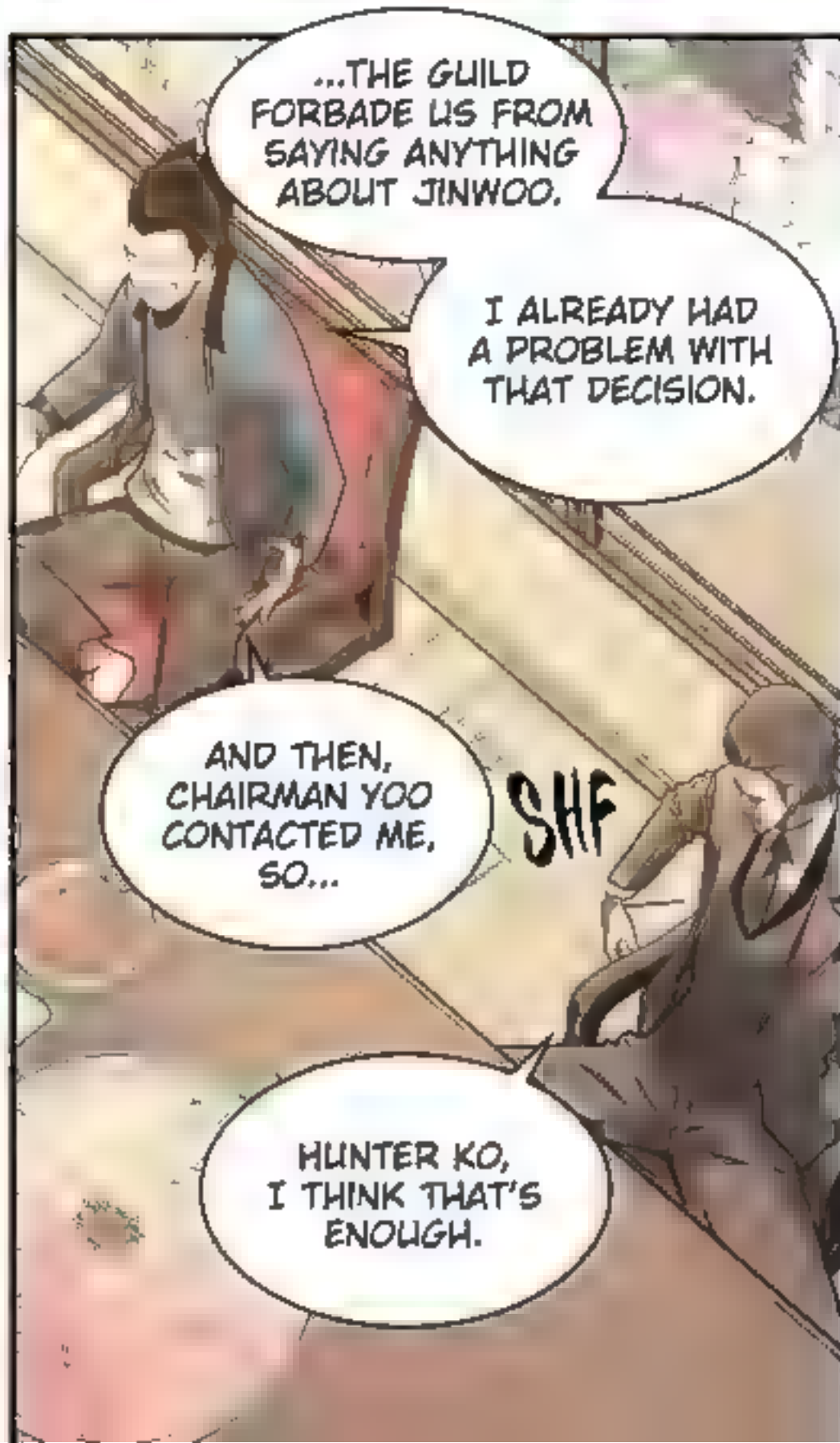
I CAN GUESS FROM THERE.

I KNOW HIS POWER BETTER THAN ANYONE.



SO I'M NOT THE ONLY ONE WHO KNOWS HIS SECRET.

THIS NEGOTIATION WITH FATHER IS OVER...



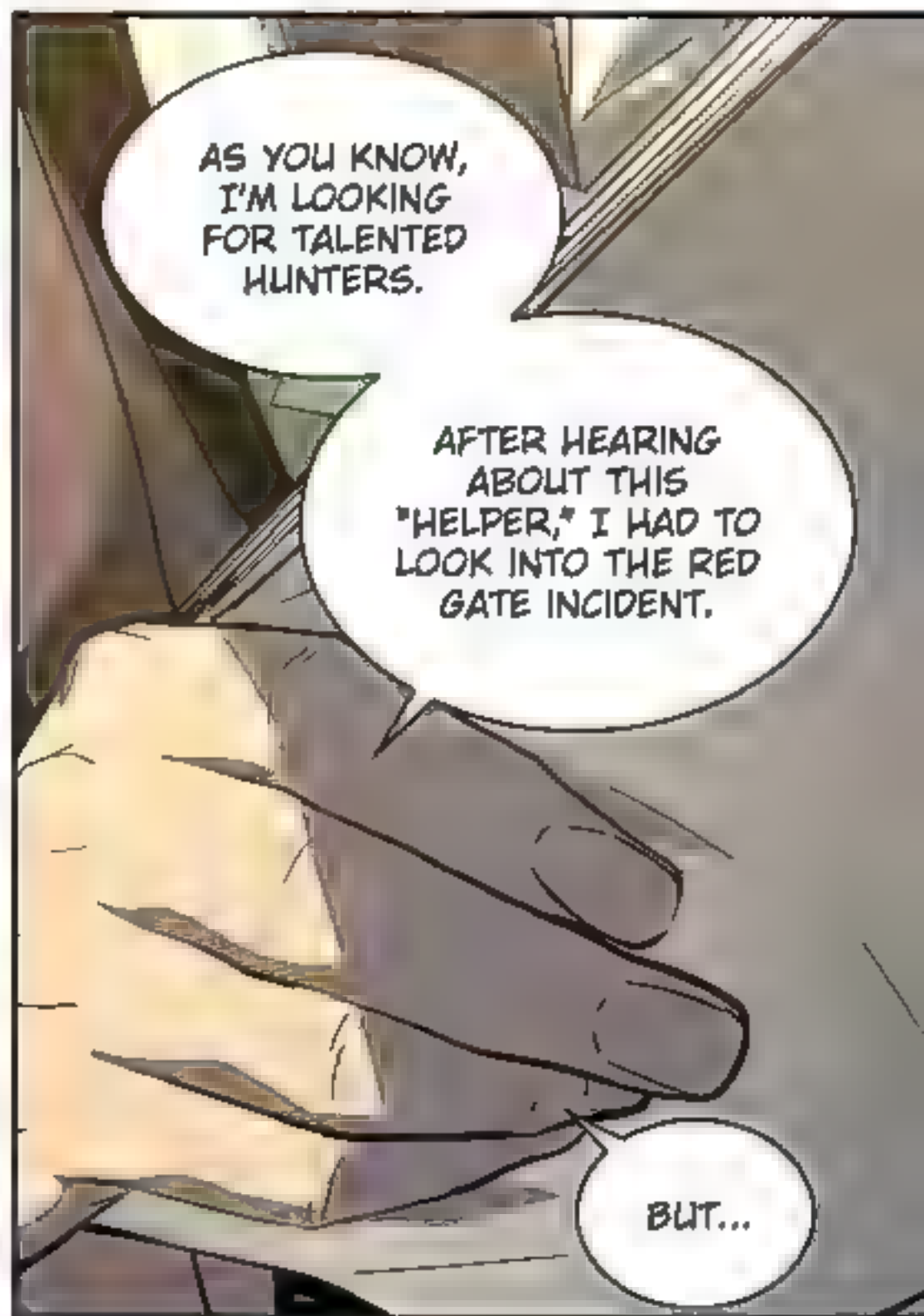
...THE GUILD FORBADE US FROM SAYING ANYTHING ABOUT JINWOO.

I ALREADY HAD A PROBLEM WITH THAT DECISION.

AND THEN, CHAIRMAN YOO CONTACTED ME, SO...

SHF

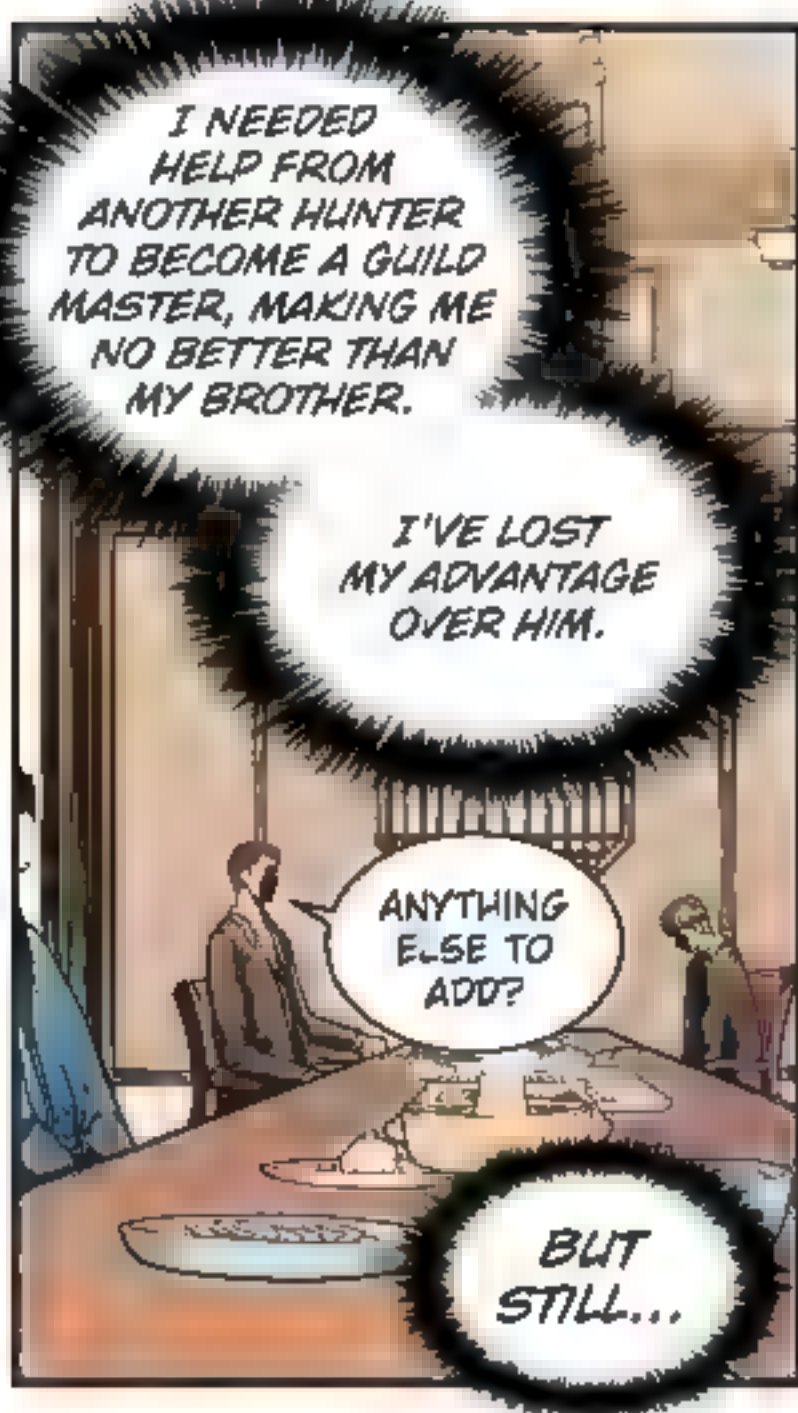
HUNTER KO, I THINK THAT'S ENOUGH.



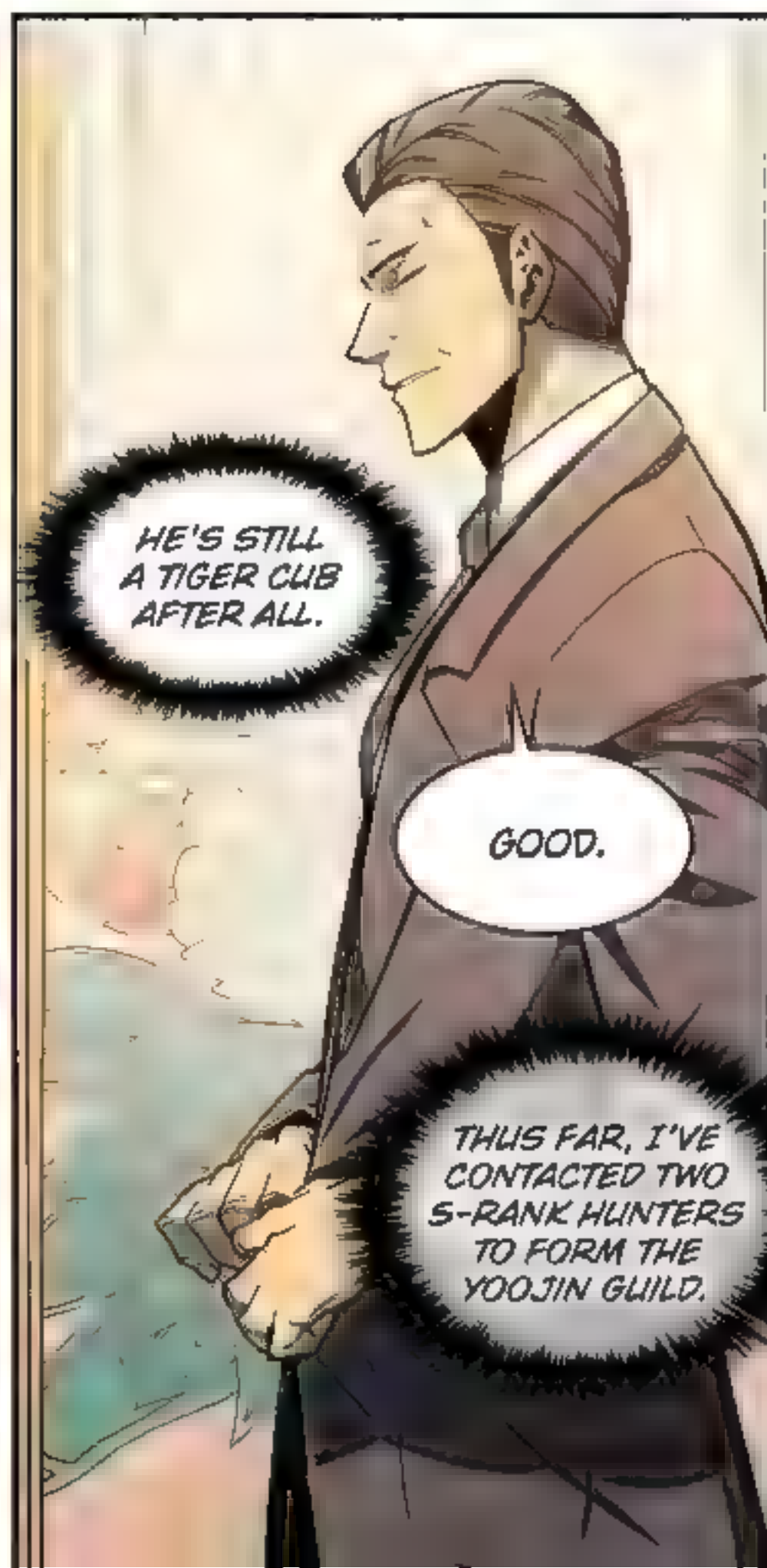
AS YOU KNOW, I'M LOOKING FOR TALENTED HUNTERS.

AFTER HEARING ABOUT THIS "HELPER," I HAD TO LOOK INTO THE RED GATE INCIDENT.

BUT...









HAEIN CHA
OF THE HUNTERS
GUILD AND THE
CURRENTLY RETIRED
BYUNGGU MIN.

AS VICE
GUILD MASTER
OF HUNTERS, CHA
IS OVERSHADOWED
BY THE ULTIMATE
HUNTER, JONGIN
CHOI.

BECOMING
MASTER OF THE
YOOJIN GUILD, WITH
ITS IMPRESSIVE
FINANCIAL BACKING,
WOULD BE BETTER
FOR HER.

MEANWHILE,
HUNTER MIN IS
PERFECTLY HEALTHY
AND ABLE TO
PERFORM AS A
HUNTER.

HE DECIDED TO
RETIRE AFTER
THE THREE JEJU
ISLAND RAIDS
FAILED.



NOW THAT AN
ANT CARCASS
HAS BEEN
DISCOVERED IN
JAPAN...

...IF THERE'S
A FOURTH RAID
ON JEJU...

...I CAN
LIKELY
RECRUIT
HIM.



CAN I
RECRUIT
THOSE
TWO...

...BEFORE
YOU RECRUIT
HUNTER
SUNG?



THIS
SHOULD BE
FUN, JINHO.

STILL A LONG
WAY TO GO...

You have defeated a
low-rank demon.
You have acquired 100 XP.



Demon souls collected: 309/10,000



ACQUIRED ITEM
CATEGORY: MONSTER

Two small horns from a low-rank demon's
head. Demon horns are high-quality magic
ingredients and can be sold at a high price.



THE STARTING
DIFFICULTY OF THE
DEMON'S CASTLE
WAS PRETTY EASY.

ALL CLEAR
AROUND HERE.

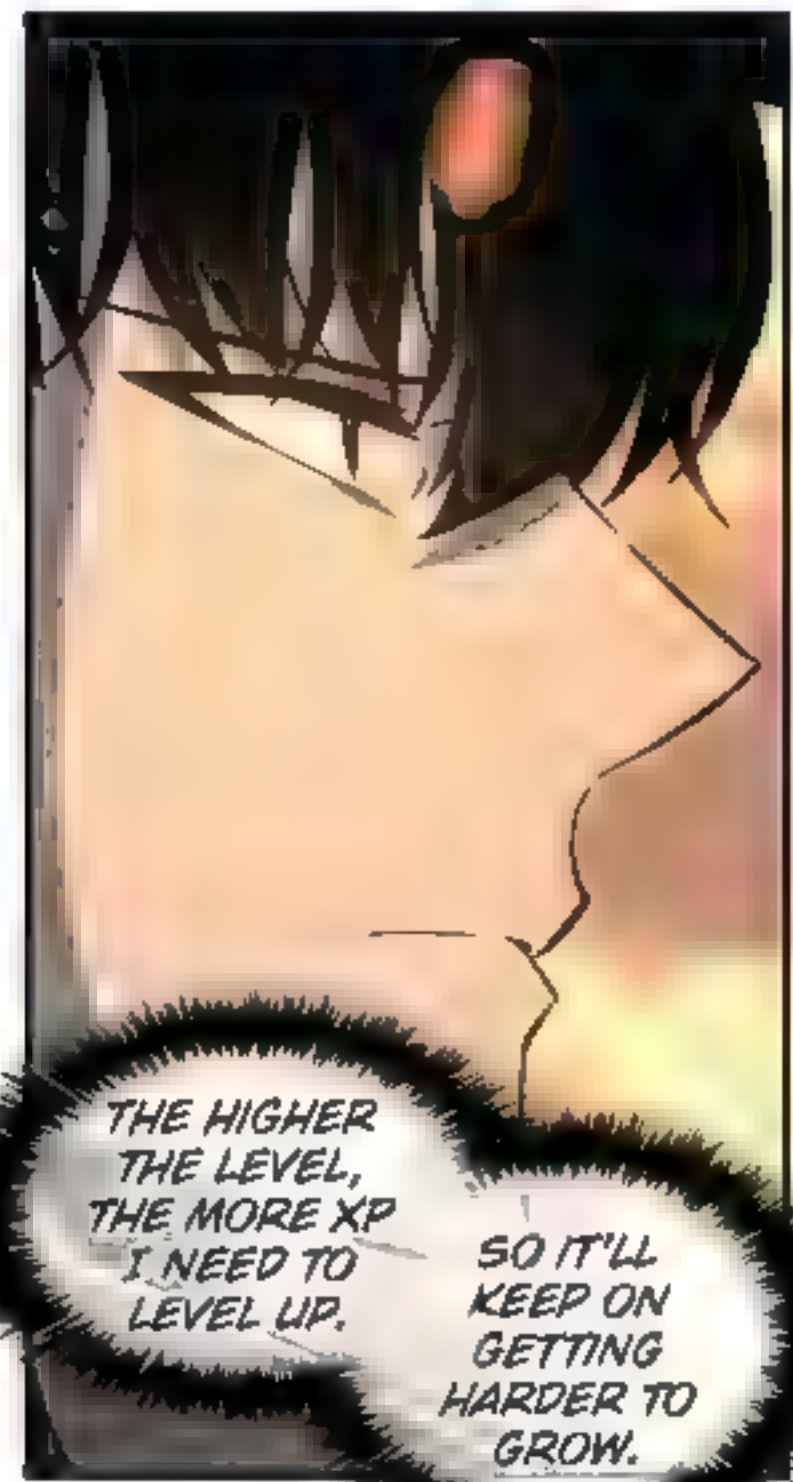


THEY WERE
D-RANK
MONSTERS AT
BEST...

...BUT THE
XP I GOT WAS
HIGHER.

I HAD TO
CLEAR NINE
C-RANK
DUNGEONS TO
LEVEL UP
ONCE...

...BUT HERE,
I CAN GO UP A
LEVEL IN FOUR
HOURS.



THE HIGHER
THE LEVEL,
THE MORE XP
I NEED TO
LEVEL UP.

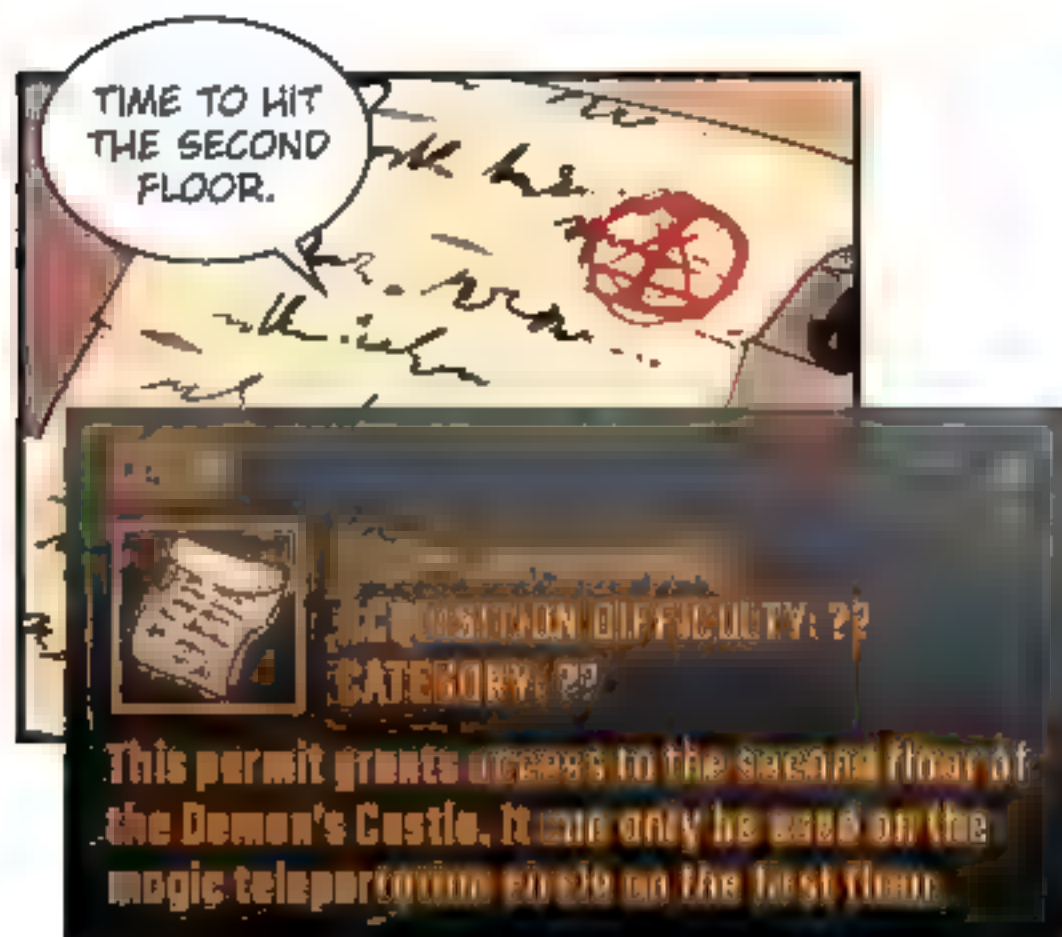
SO IT'LL
KEEP ON
GETTING
HARDER TO
GROW.

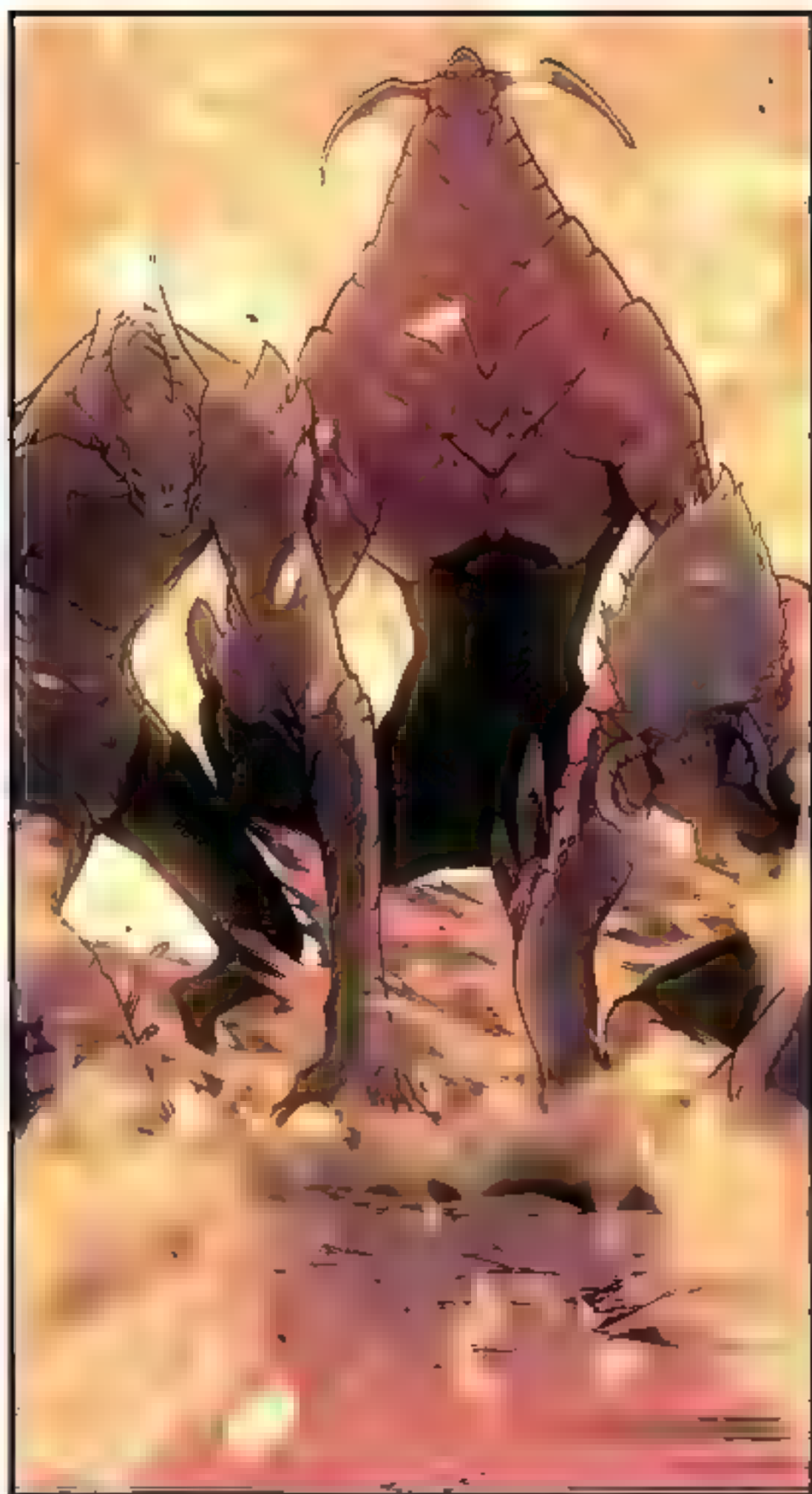


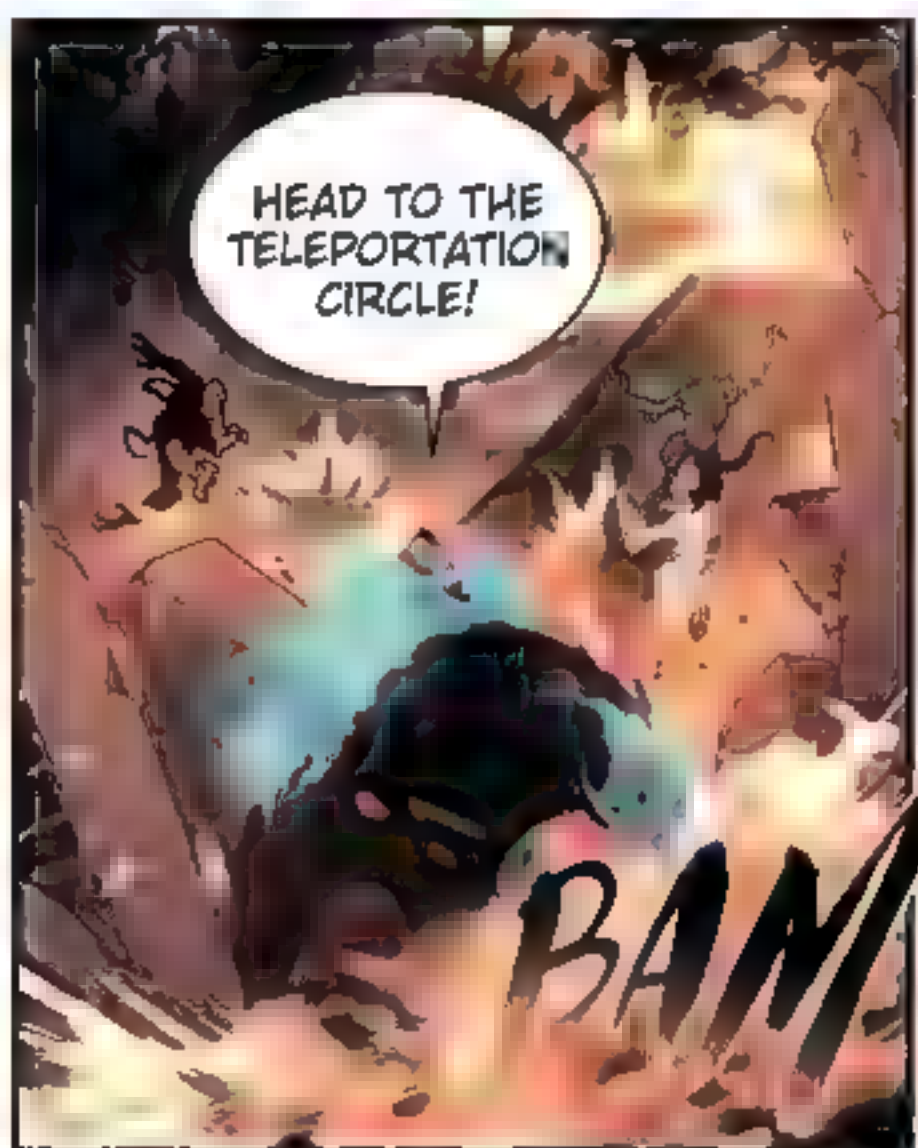
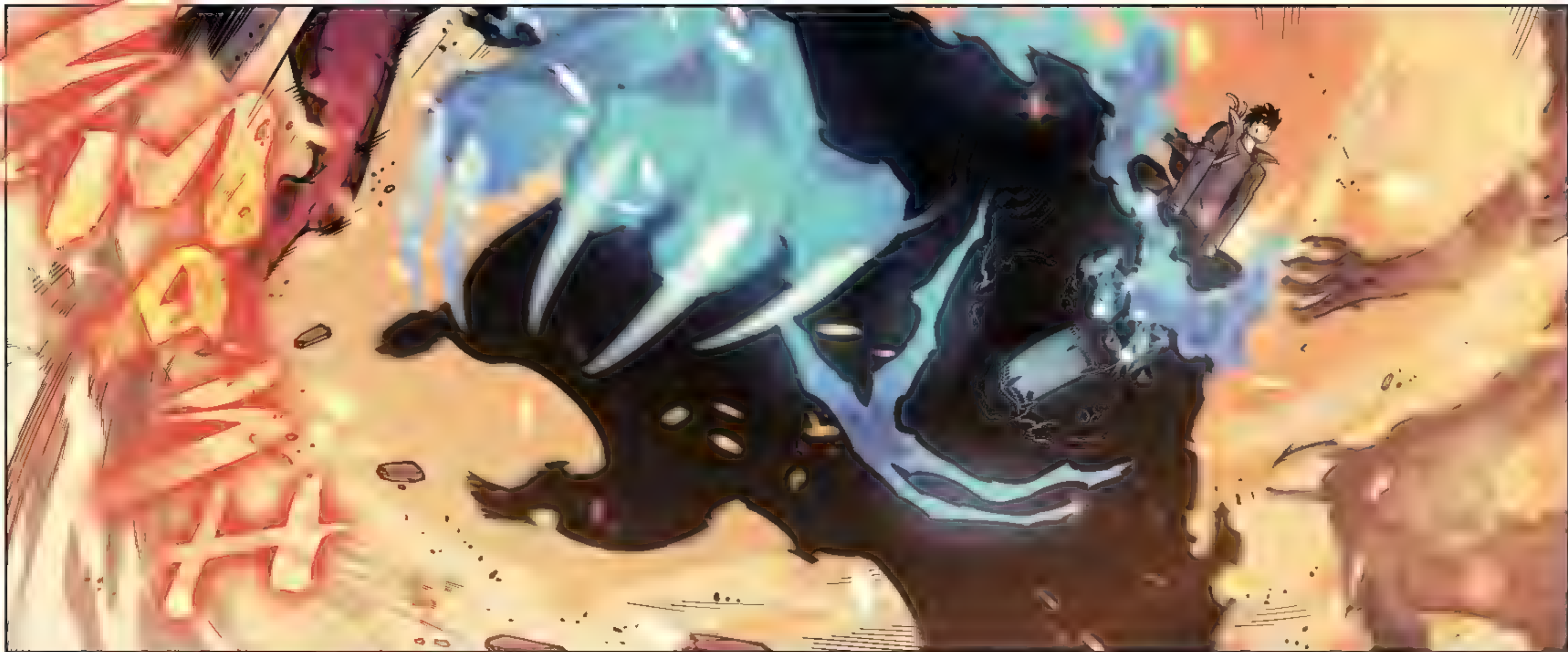
YOONHO
BAEK MADE
ME REALIZE
SOMETHING.

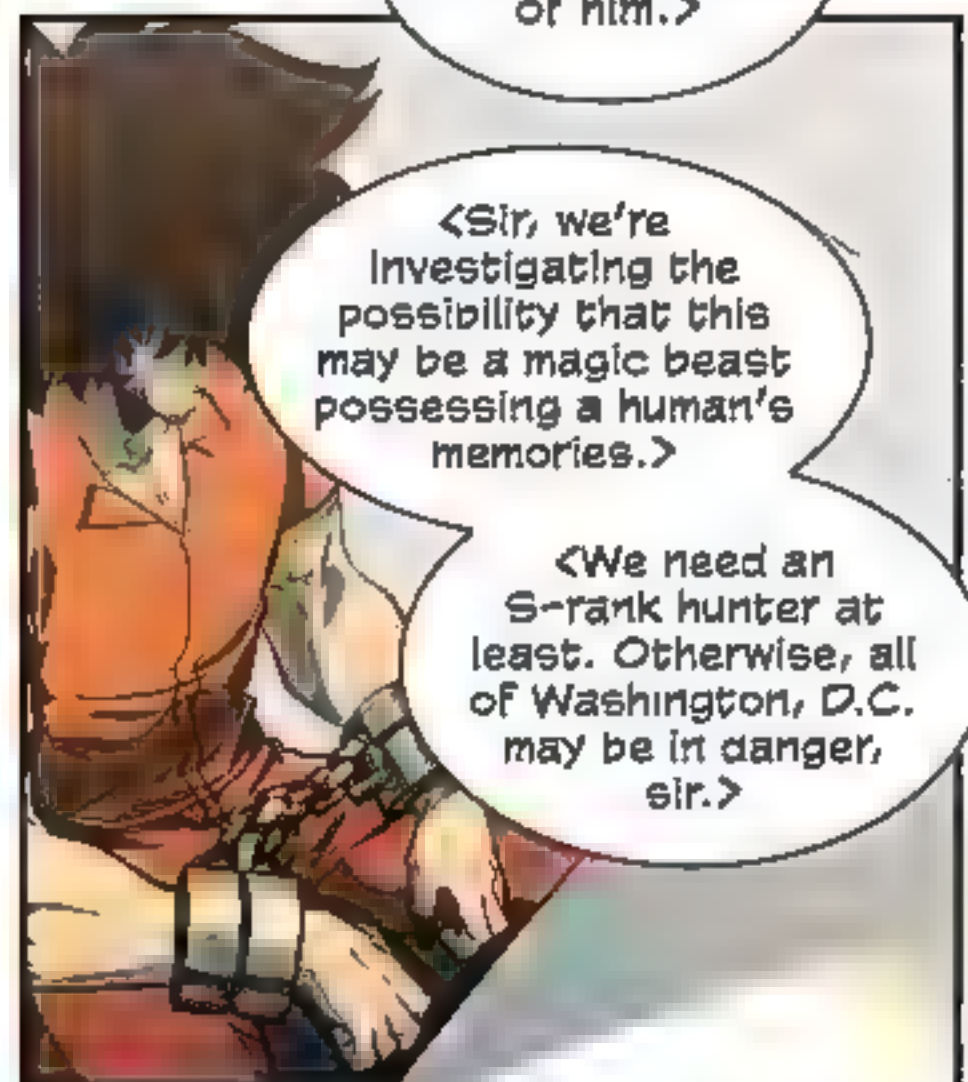
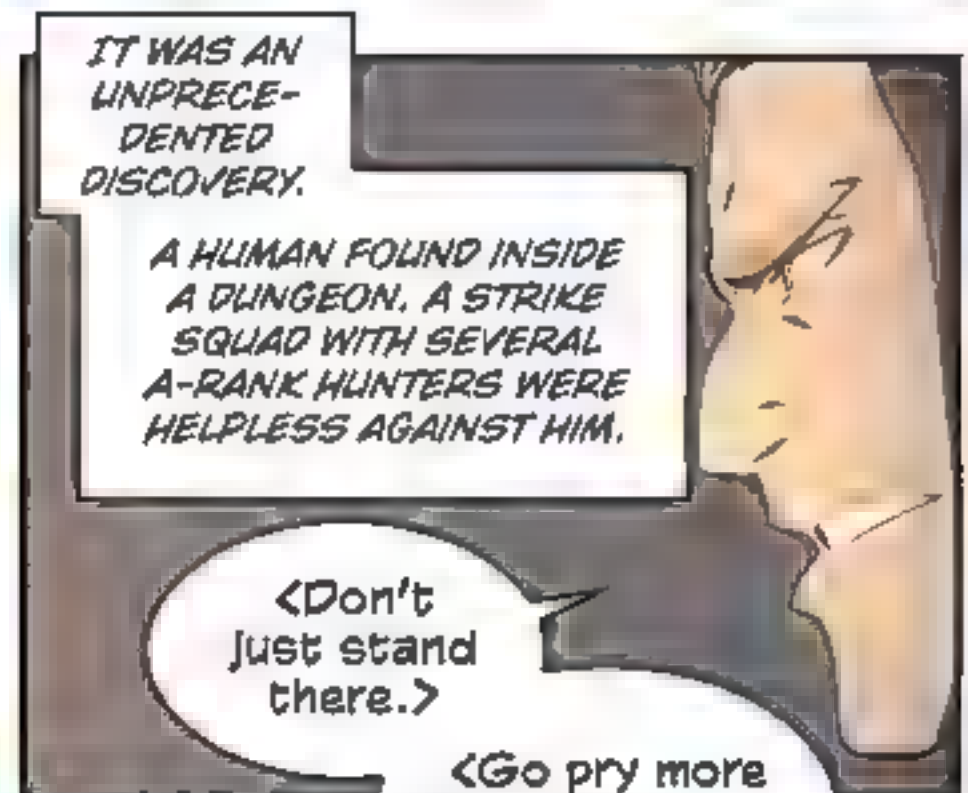
I'M ON THE
LOW END OF
S-RANK.

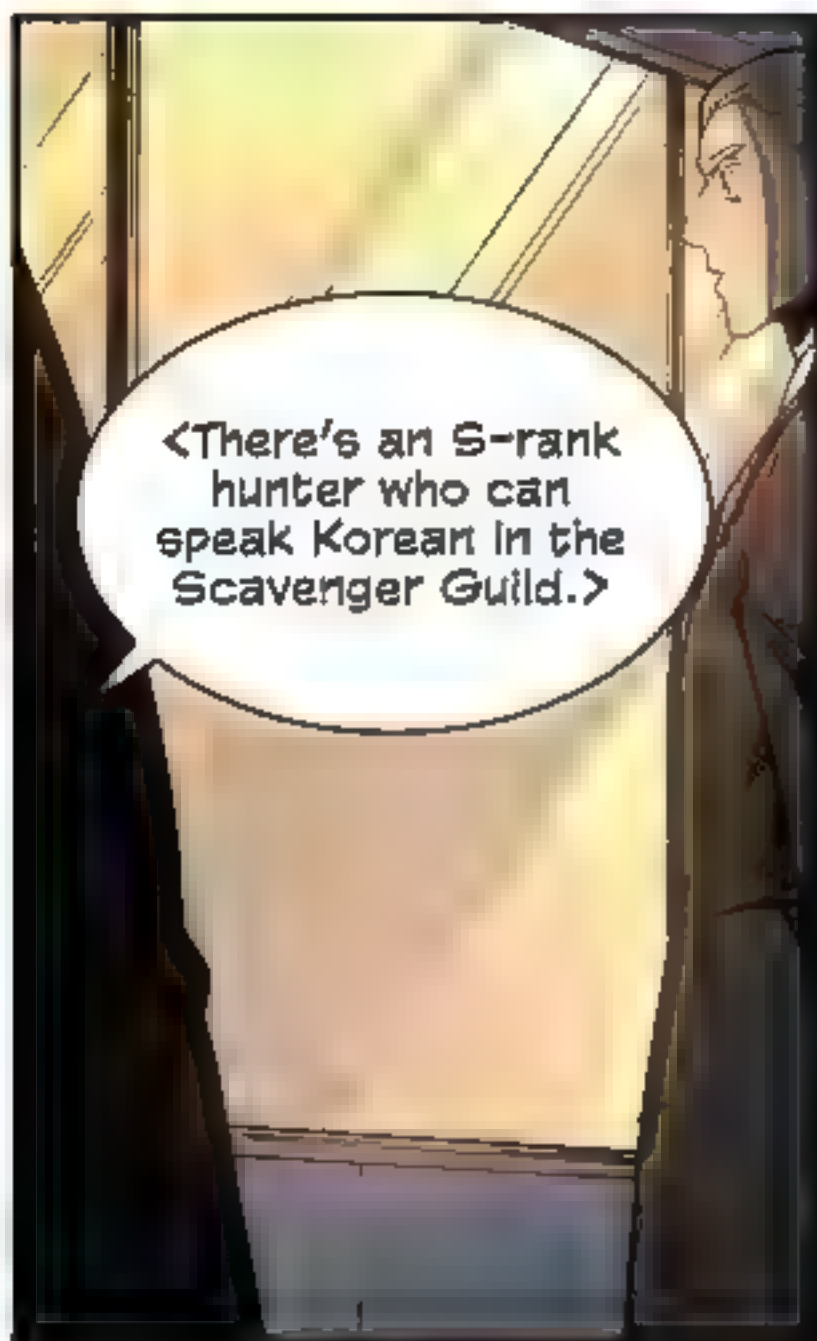
I NEED TO
LEVEL UP
FASTER TO GET
STRONGER.



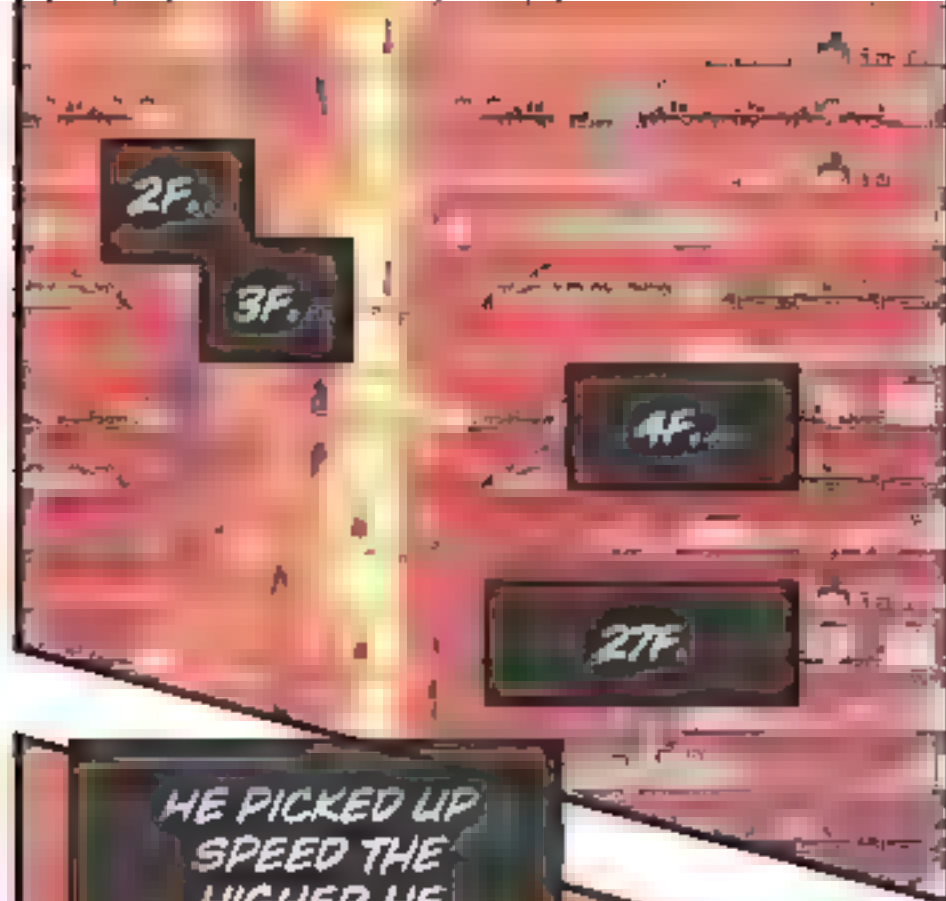








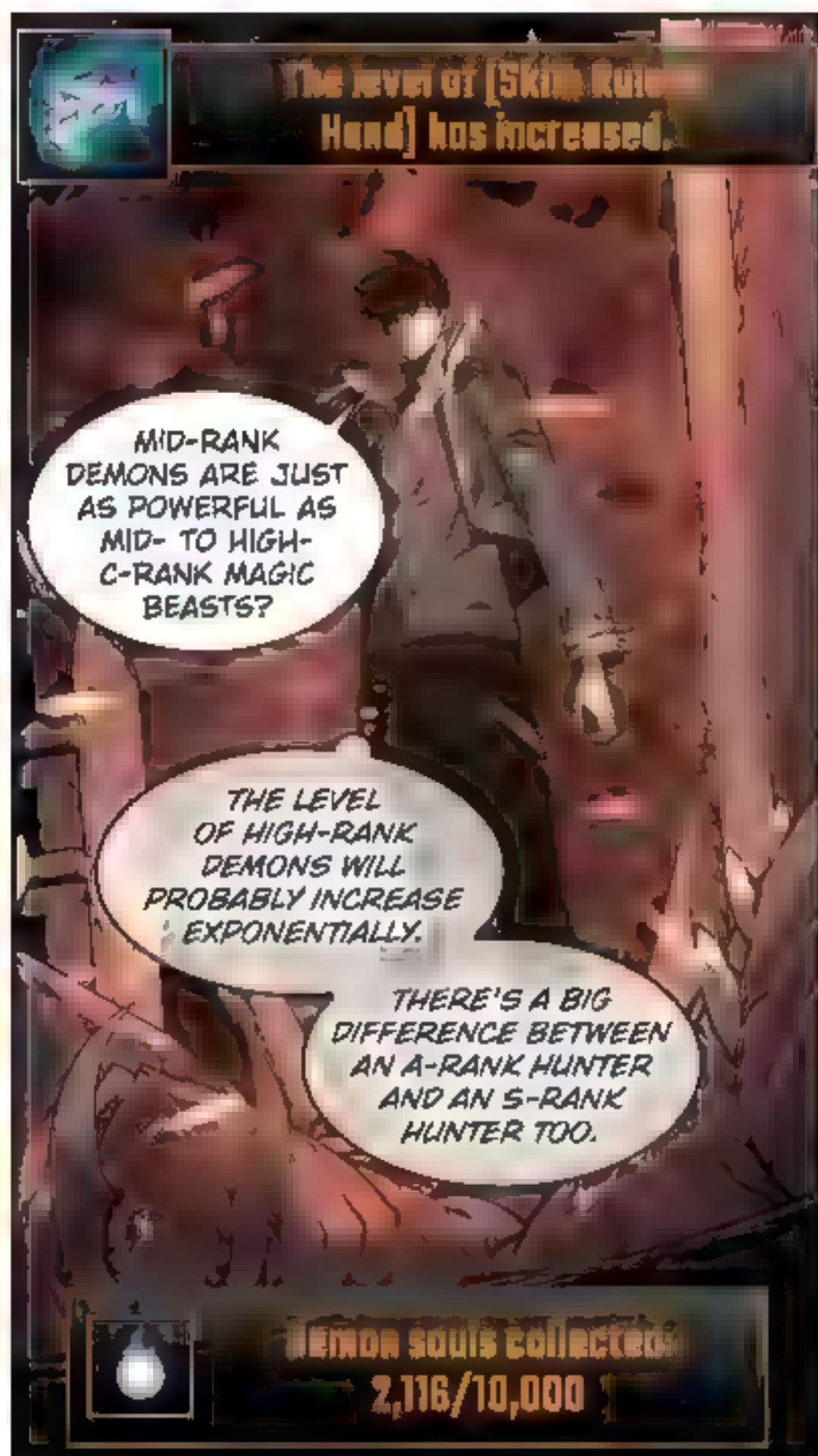




HE PICKED UP
SPEED THE
HIGHER HE
WENT.



You have defeated a mid-rank demon.
You have acquired 300 XP.
You have acquired 1 demon soul.



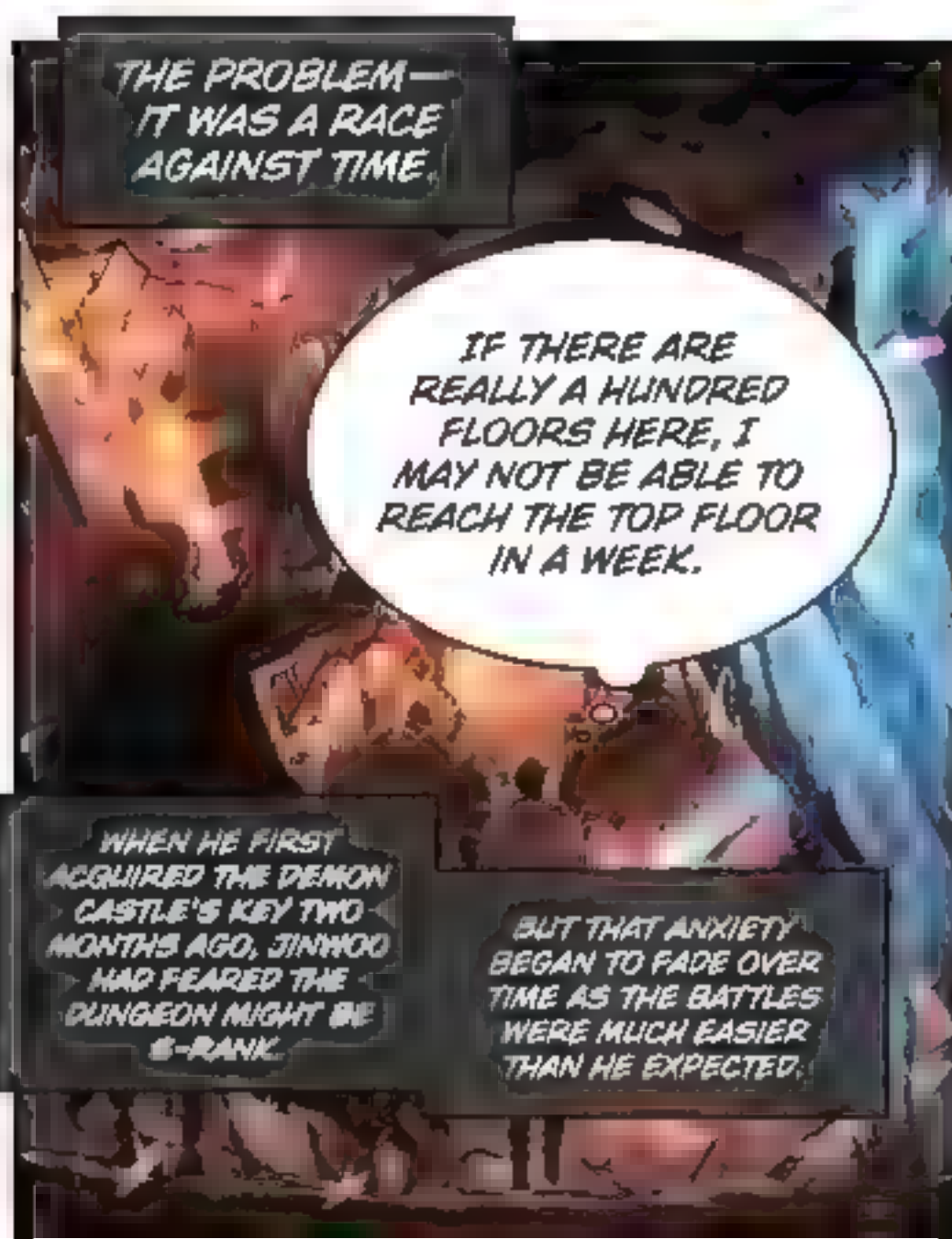
The level of [Skin Ruler
Hand] has increased.

MID-RANK
DEMONS ARE JUST
AS POWERFUL AS
MID- TO HIGH-
C-RANK MAGIC
BEASTS?

THE LEVEL
OF HIGH-RANK
DEMONS WILL
PROBABLY INCREASE
EXPONENTIALLY.

THERE'S A BIG
DIFFERENCE BETWEEN
AN A-RANK HUNTER
AND AN S-RANK
HUNTER TOO.

Demon souls collected:
2,116/10,000

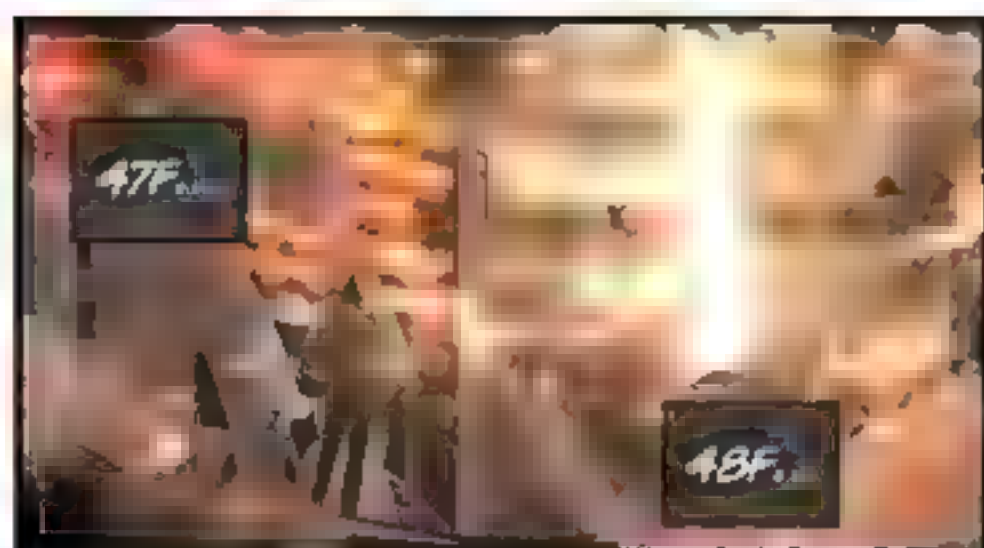


THE PROBLEM—
IT WAS A RACE
AGAINST TIME.

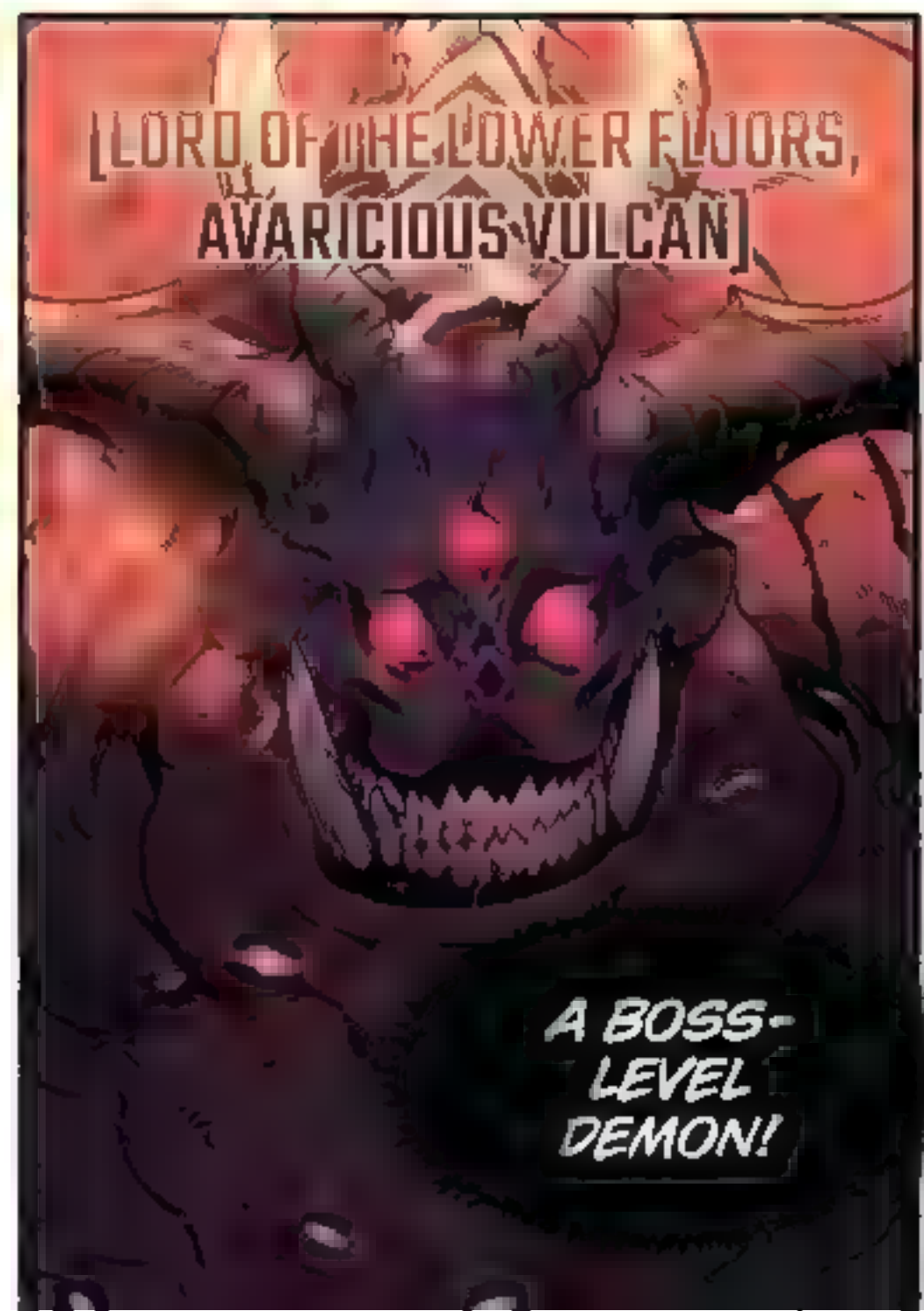
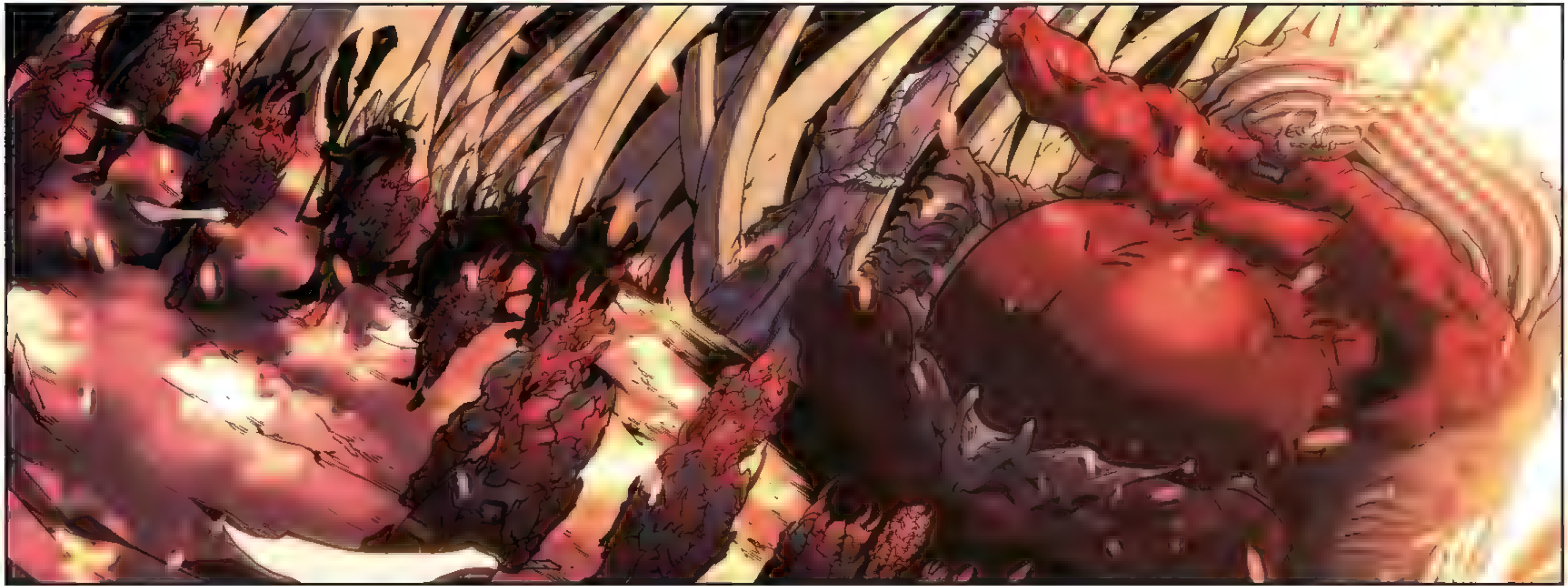
IF THERE ARE
REALLY A HUNDRED
FLOORS HERE, I
MAY NOT BE ABLE TO
REACH THE TOP FLOOR
IN A WEEK.

WHEN HE FIRST
ACQUIRED THE DEMON
CASTLE'S KEY TWO
MONTHS AGO, JINWOO
HAD FEARED THE
DUNGEON MIGHT BE
S-RANK.

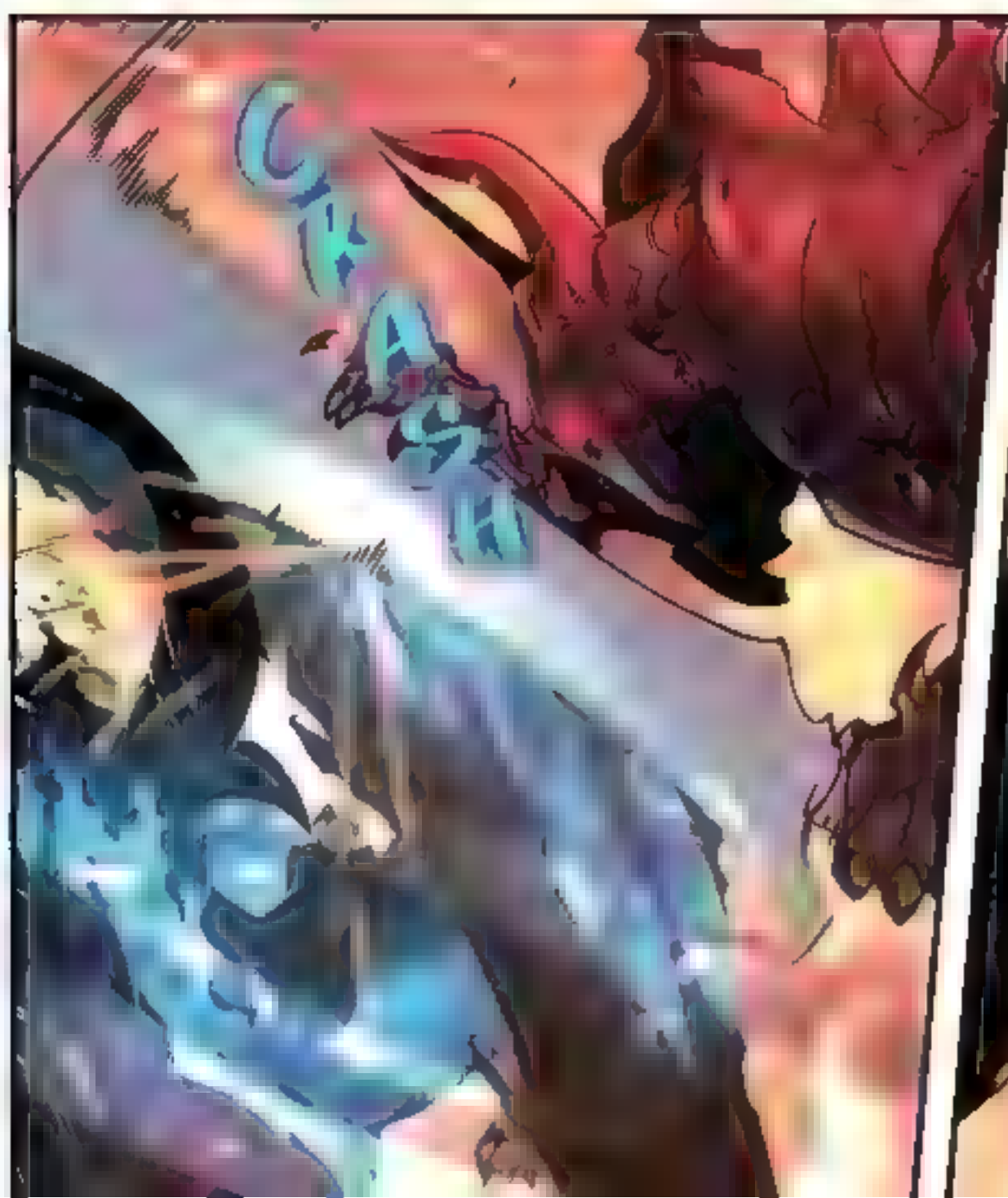
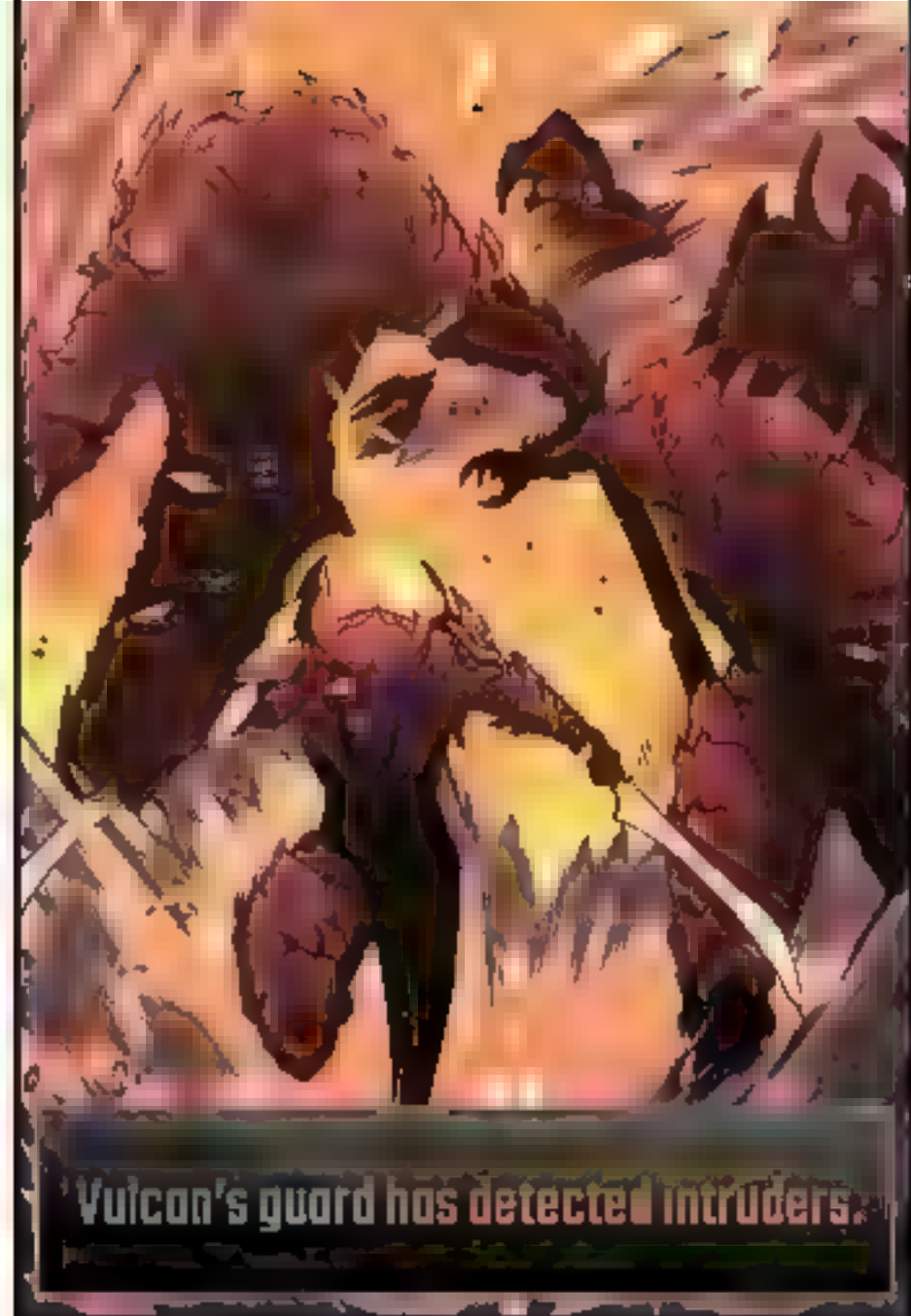
BUT THAT ANXIETY
BEGAN TO FADE OVER
TIME AS THE BATTLES
WERE MUCH EASIER
THAN HE EXPECTED.



Demon souls collected:
2,116/10,000







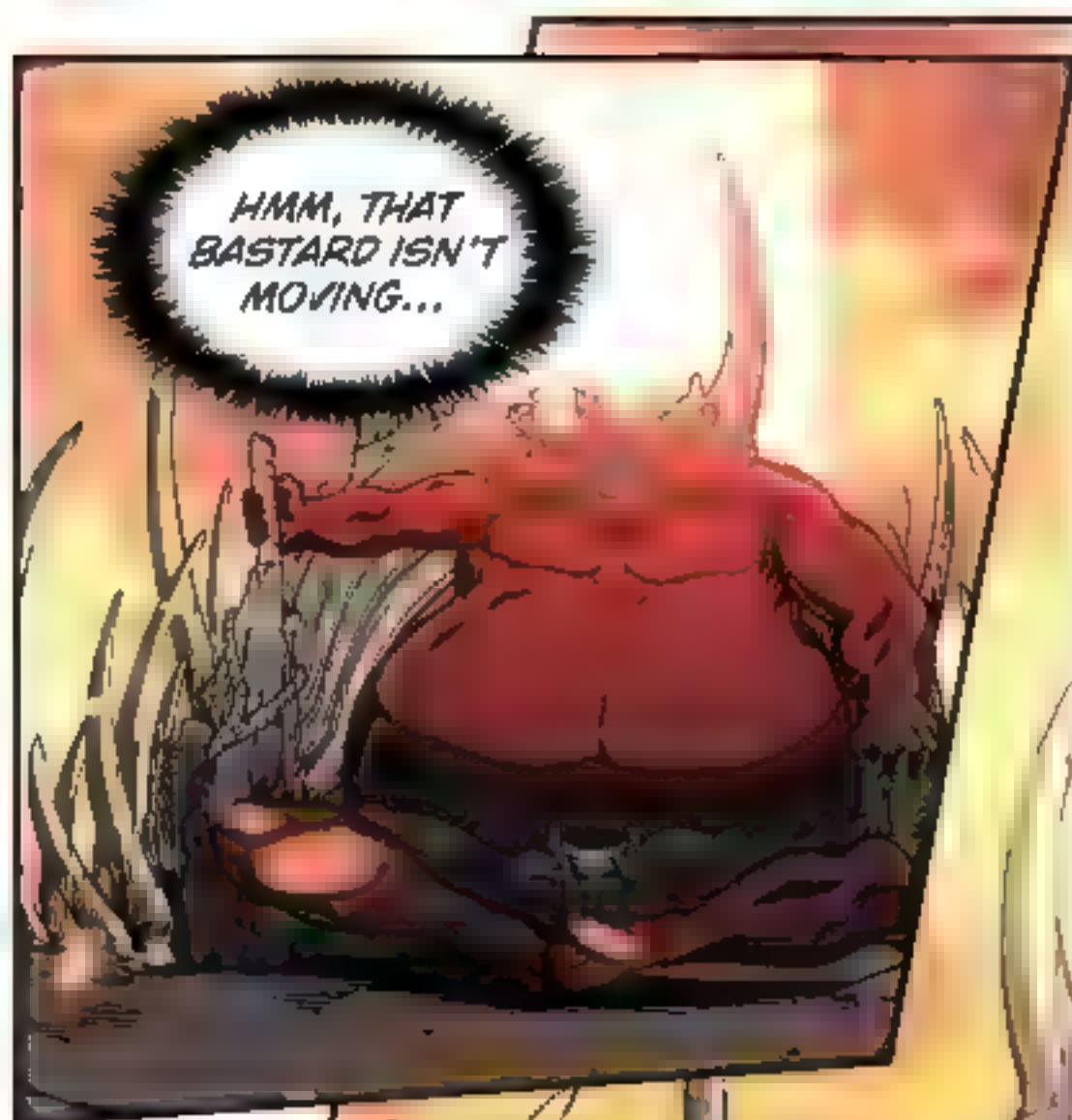


THE
BODYGUARDS
ARE HIGH-RANK
DEMONS, BUT I'VE
LEVELED UP MY
SOLDIERS.

SHADOW
SOLDIERS GET
STRONGER WITH
MY INTELLECT
STAT.

SHADOW
STORAGE
GOES UP WITH
IT TOO.

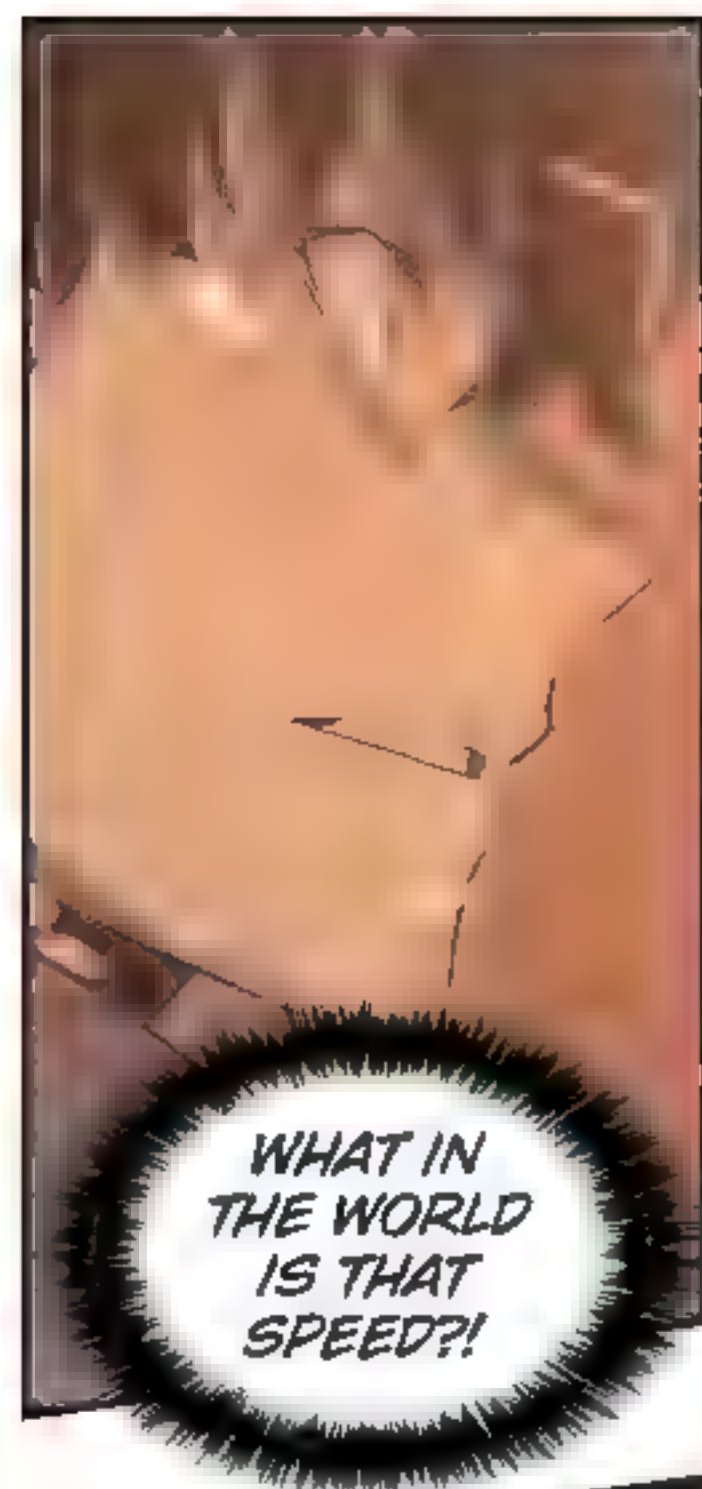
I HAVE
ENOUGH MAGIC
POWER TO REGENERATE
SHADOW SOLDIERS,
SINCE I'VE INCREASED
MY INTELLECT
STAT A LOT.



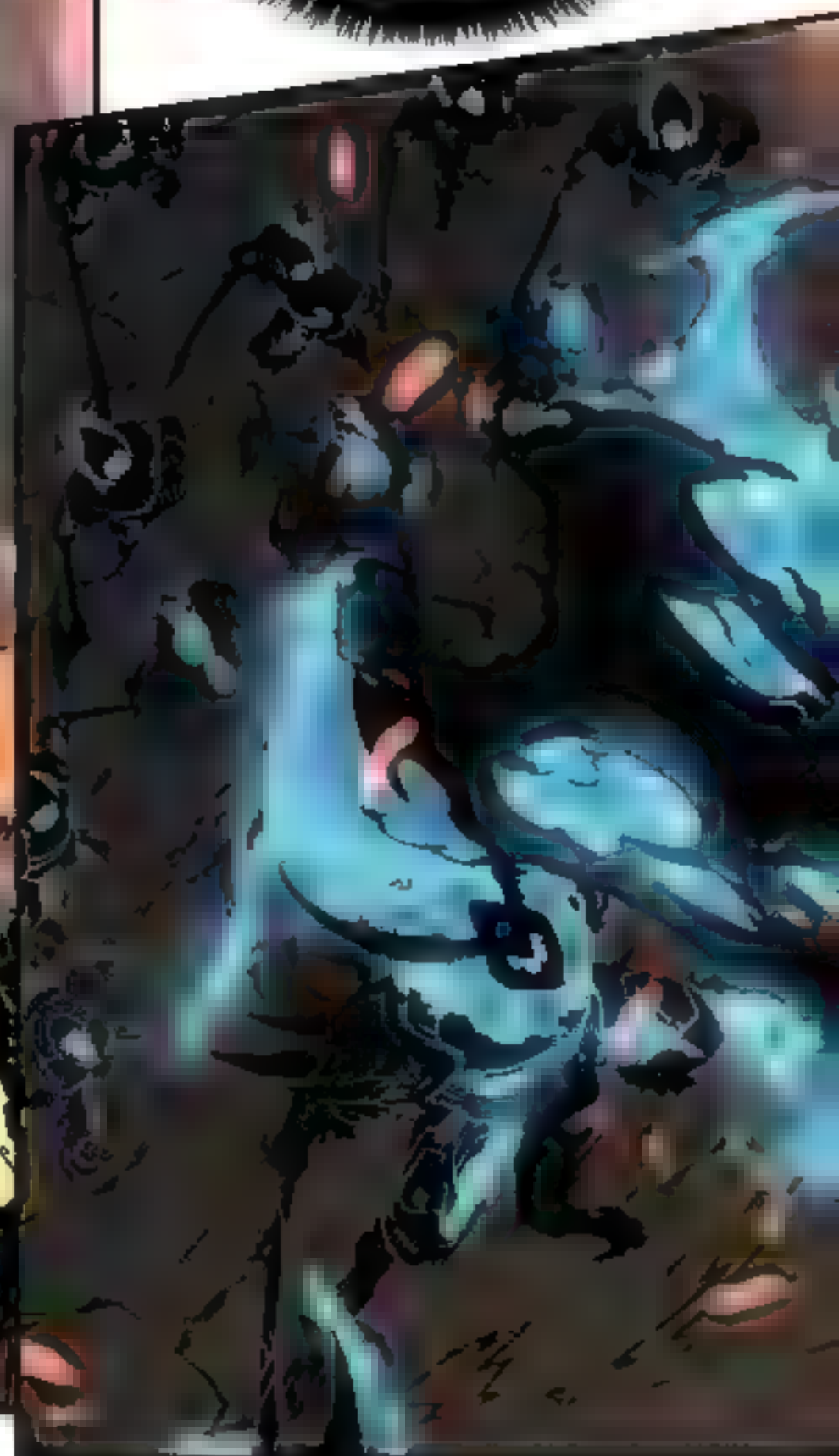
HMM, THAT
BASTARD ISN'T
MOVING...

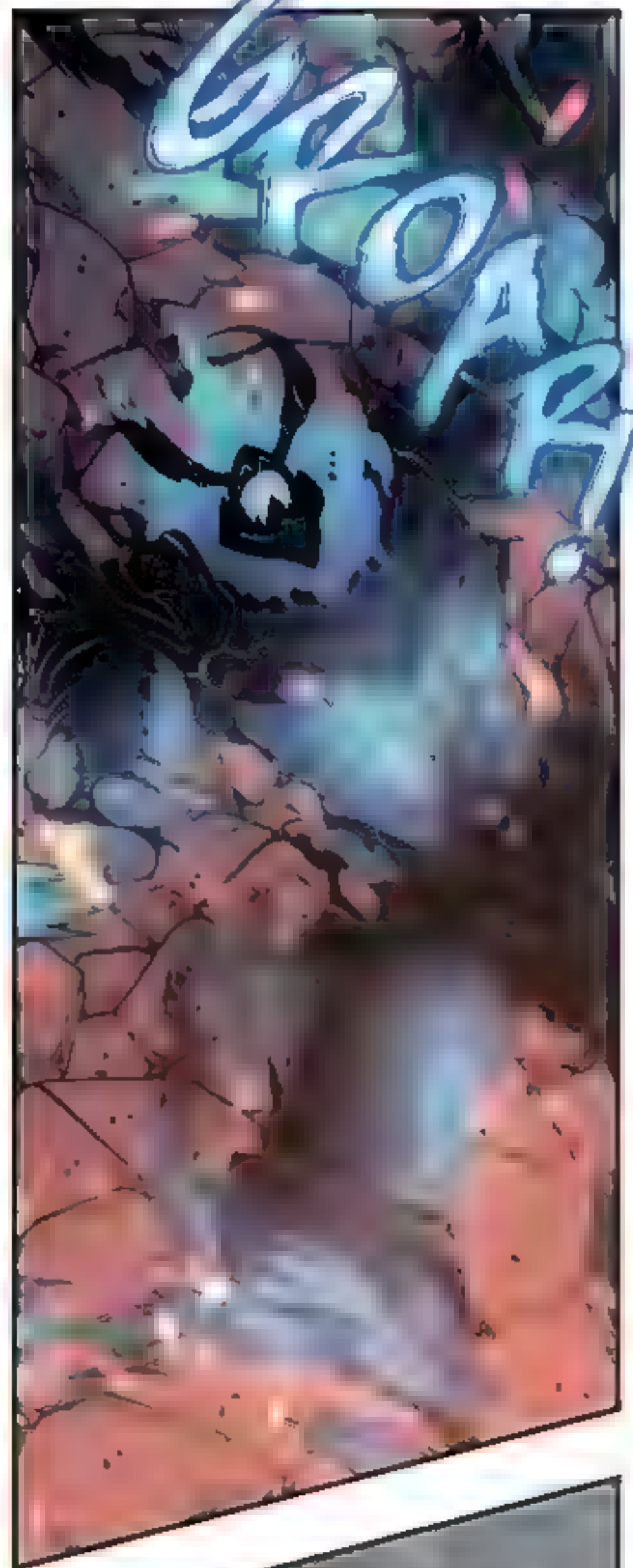
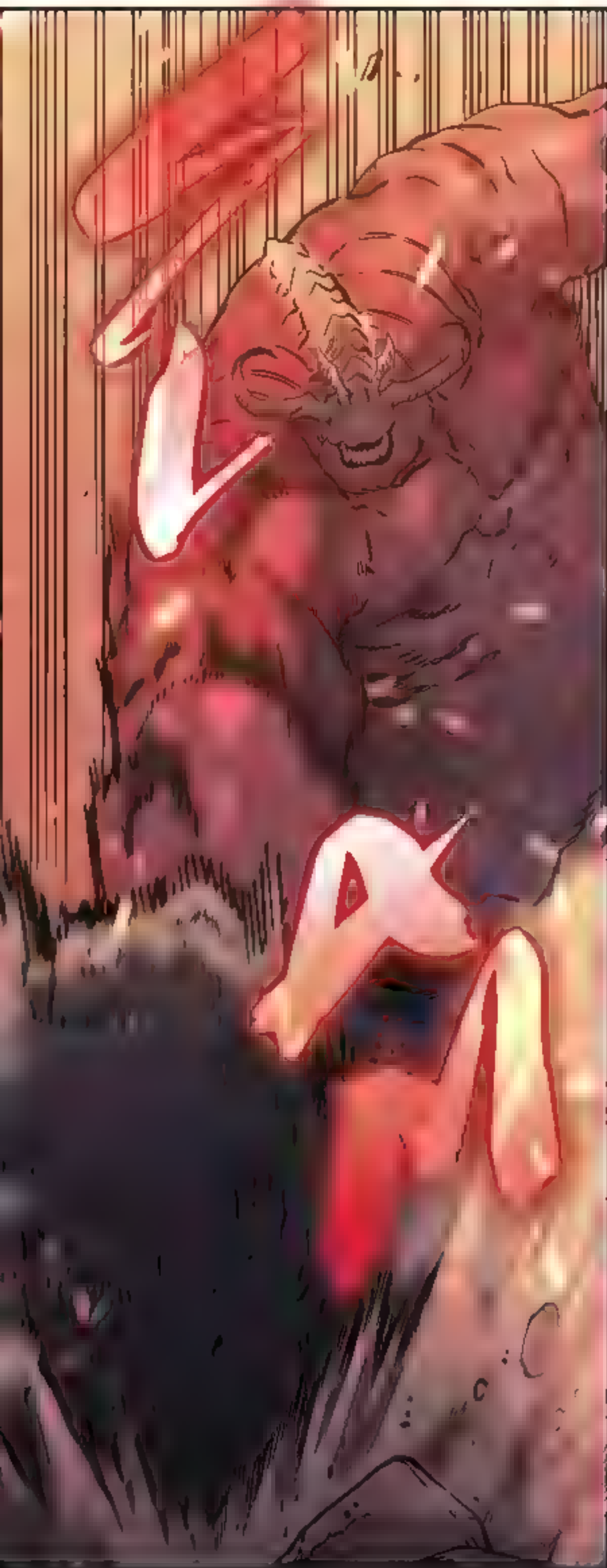
I'LL JUST
GET IN CLOSE
AND FINISH IT.
SHOULD BE
EAS—



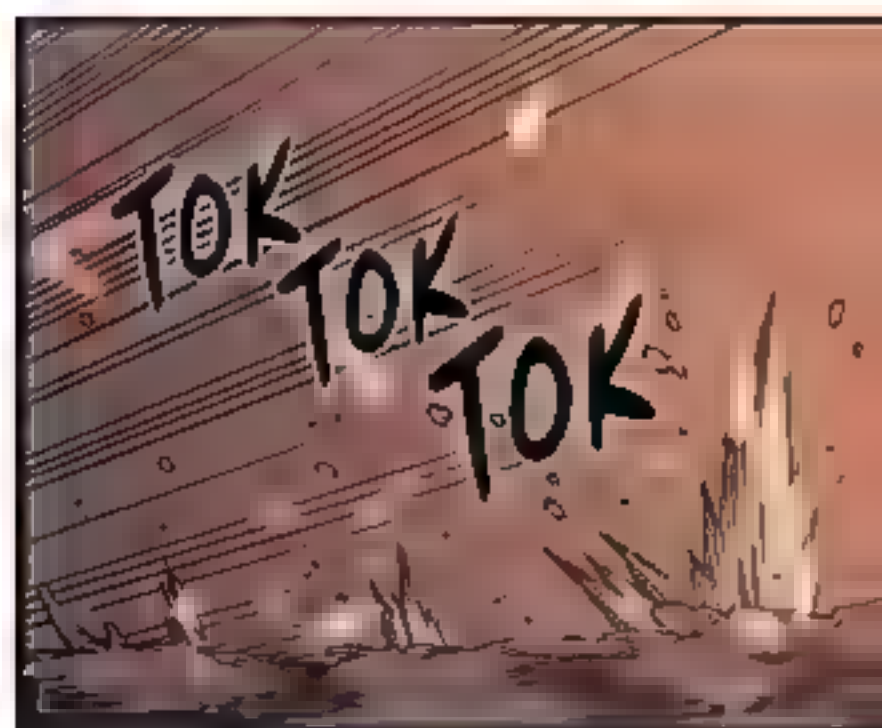
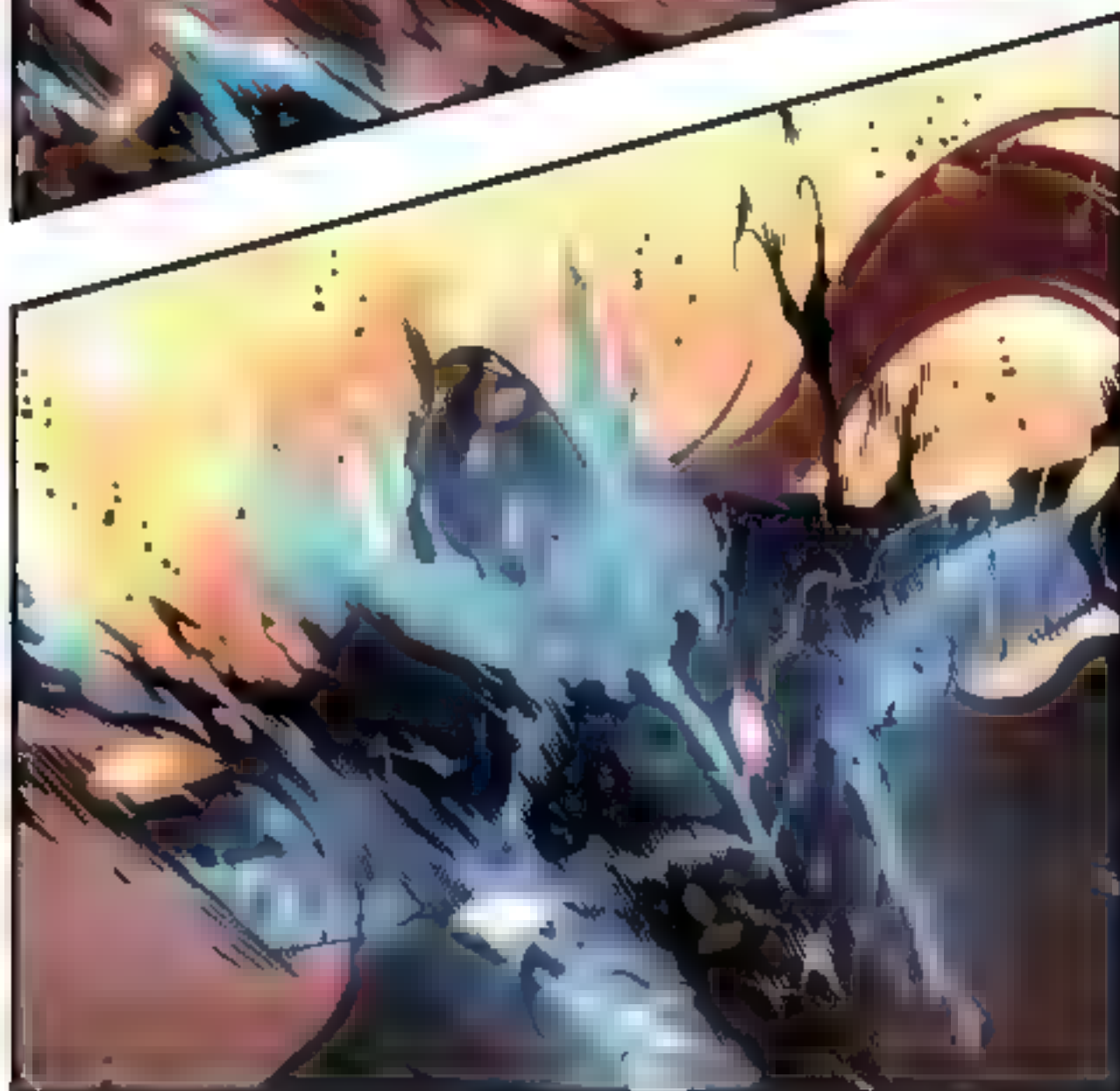


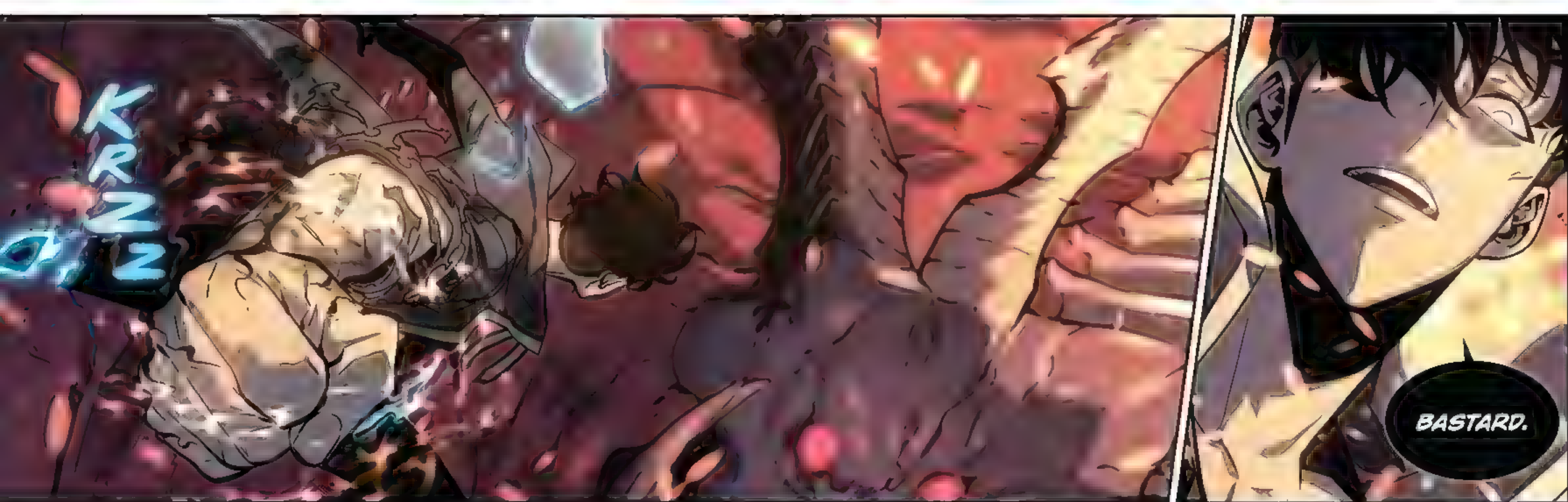
WHAT IN
THE WORLD
IS THAT
SPEED?!





SHUDDER







I PUNCHED
IT OUT OF
ANGER...BUT
HOW'D VULCAN
GET THROWN SO
EASILY?

OH
RIGHT...

STATS...

TMP

Adversity (and 1 other)	
HP: 1300	MP: 167
EXP: 0	
STAMINA: 100	INTELLECT: 100
PERCEPTION: 100	AP: 0
Physical Strength Increase: 48%	

I INVESTED
A LOT IN
STRENGTH...

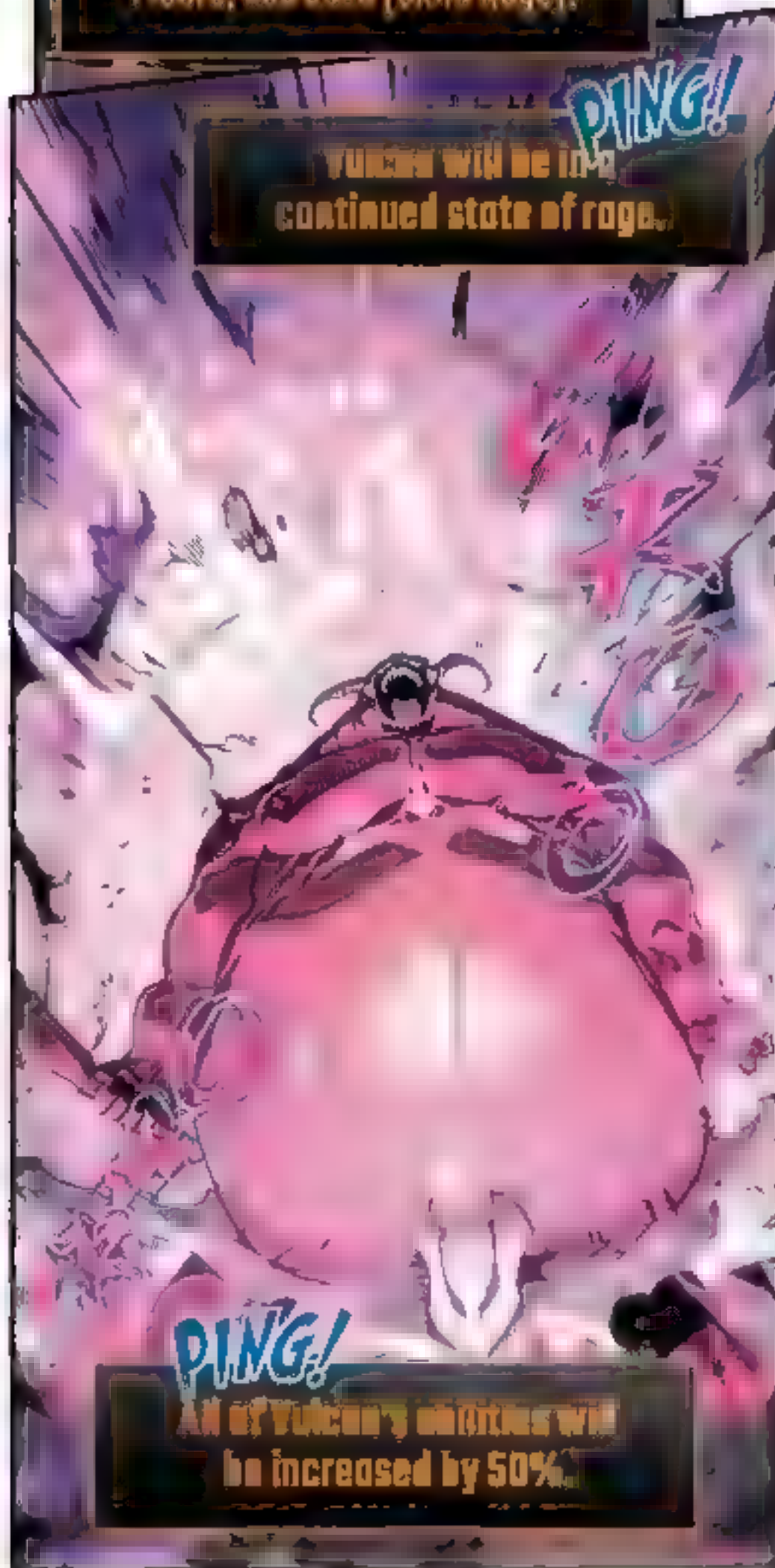




Aggravated Vulcan, Lord of the Lower Floors, has used [Skill: Rage].



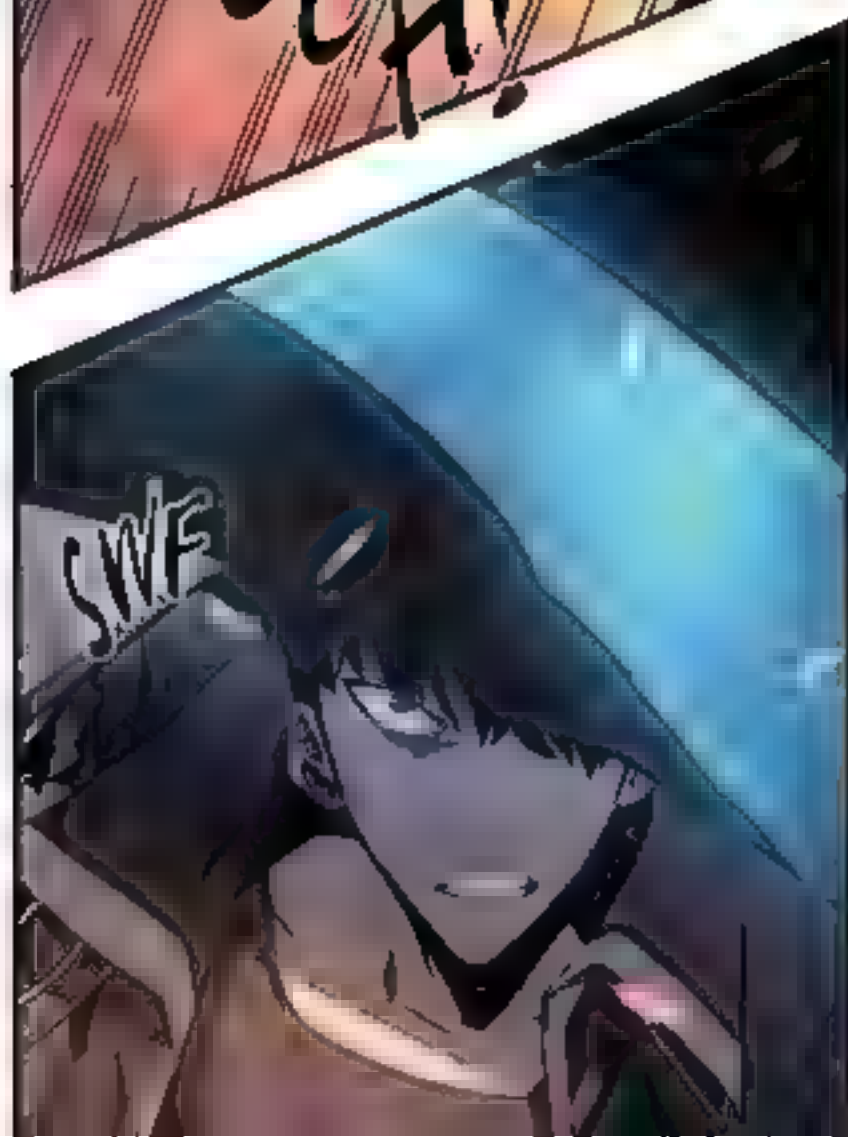
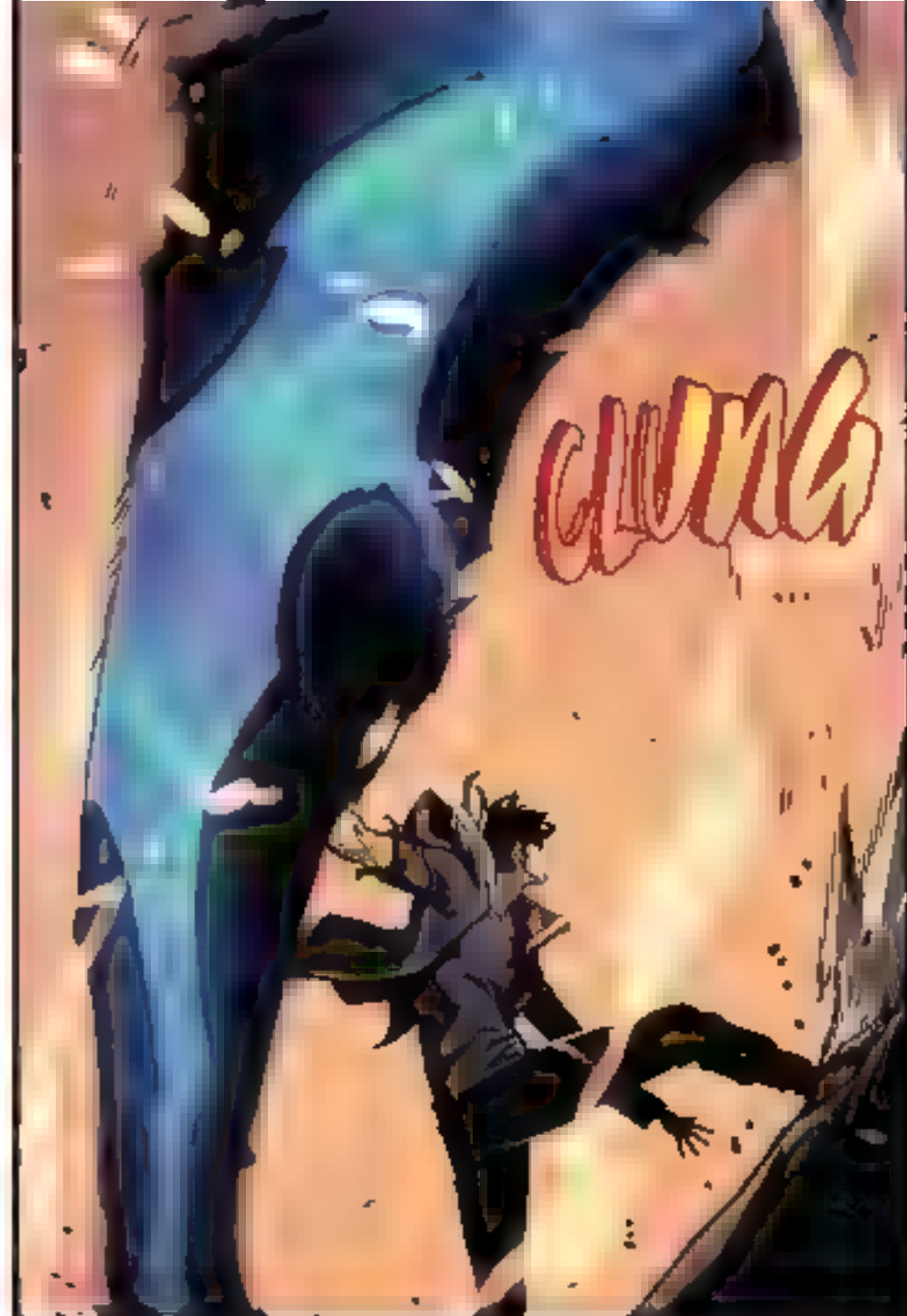
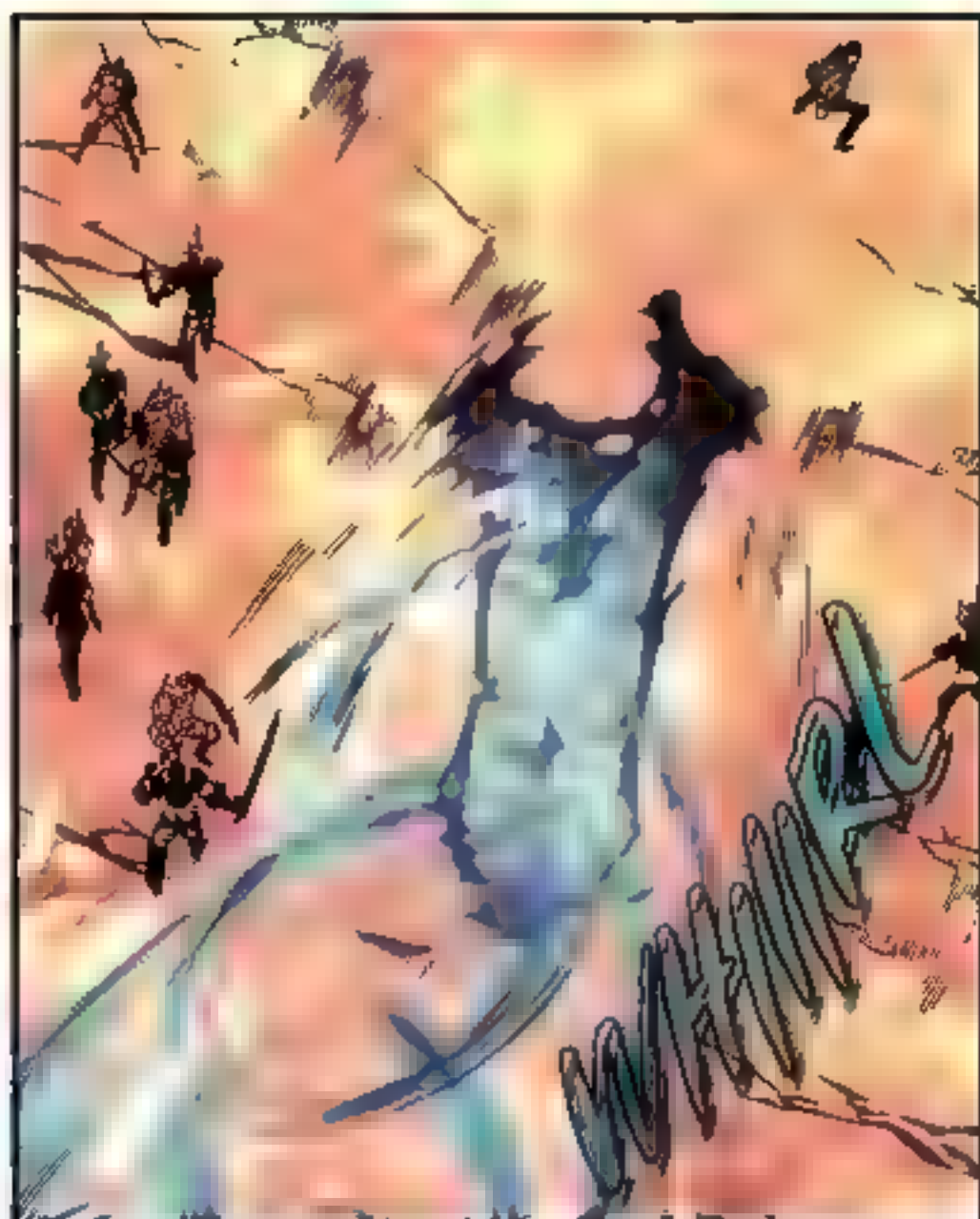
Vulcan will feel less pain.

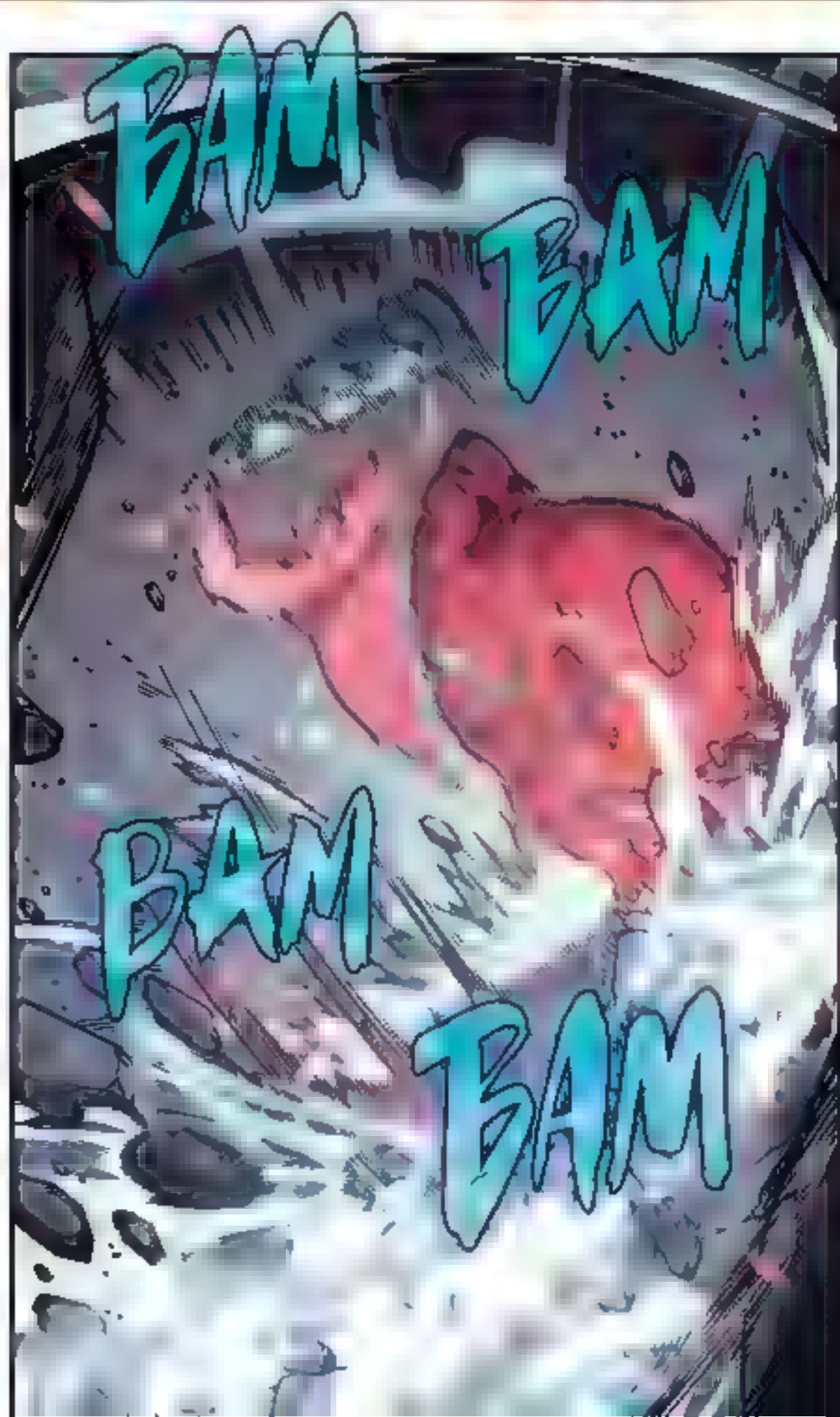
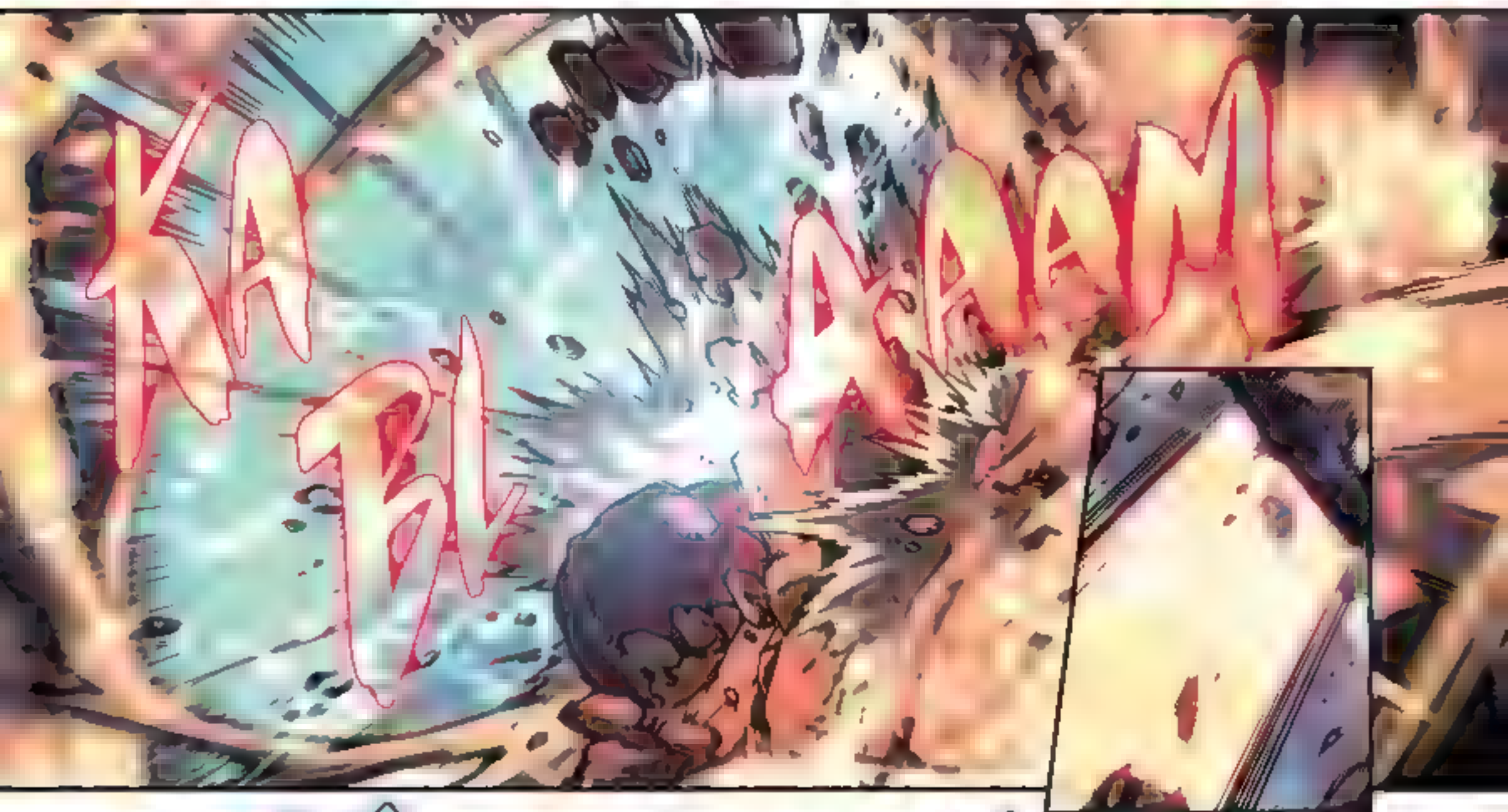


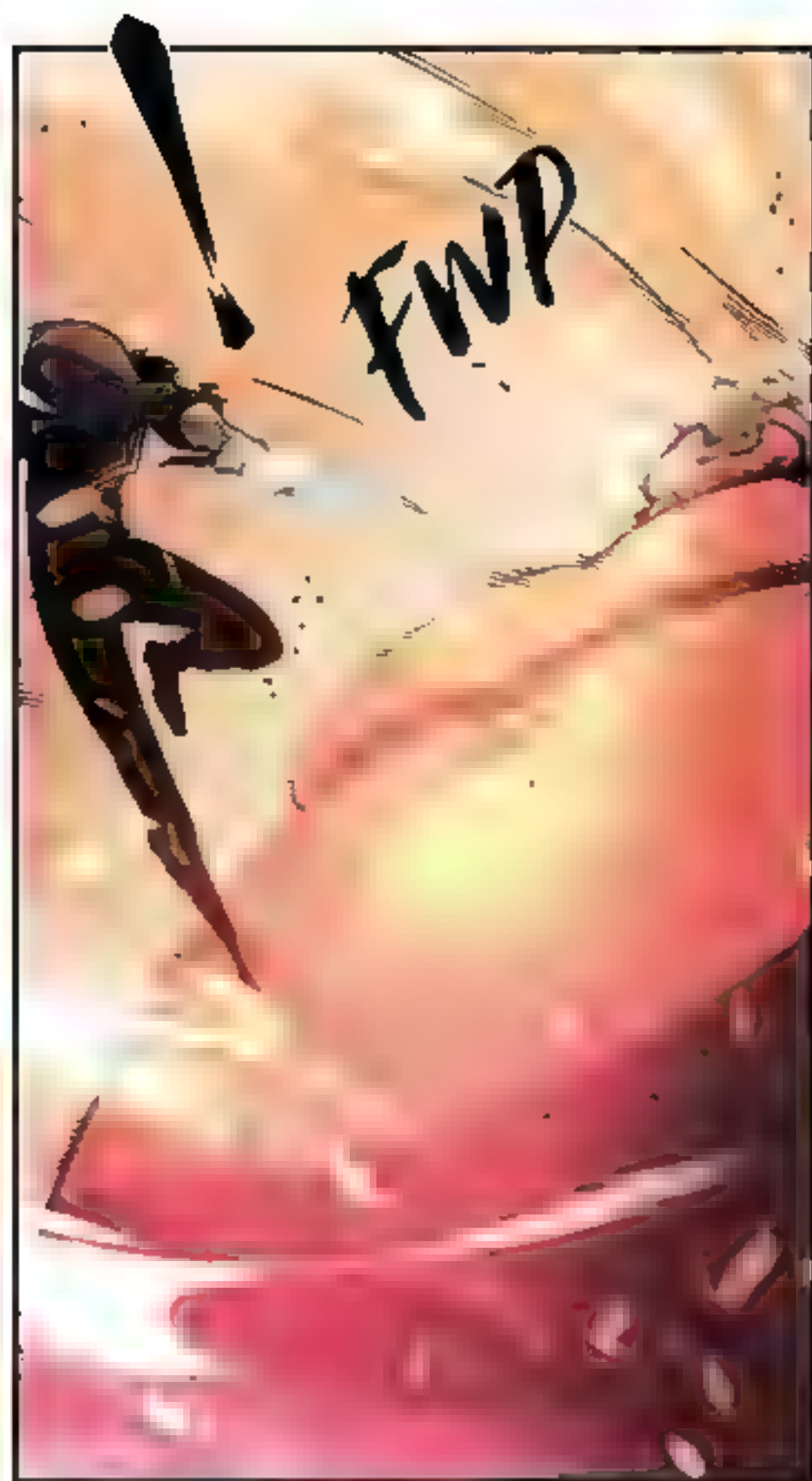
Vulcan will be in a continued state of rage.





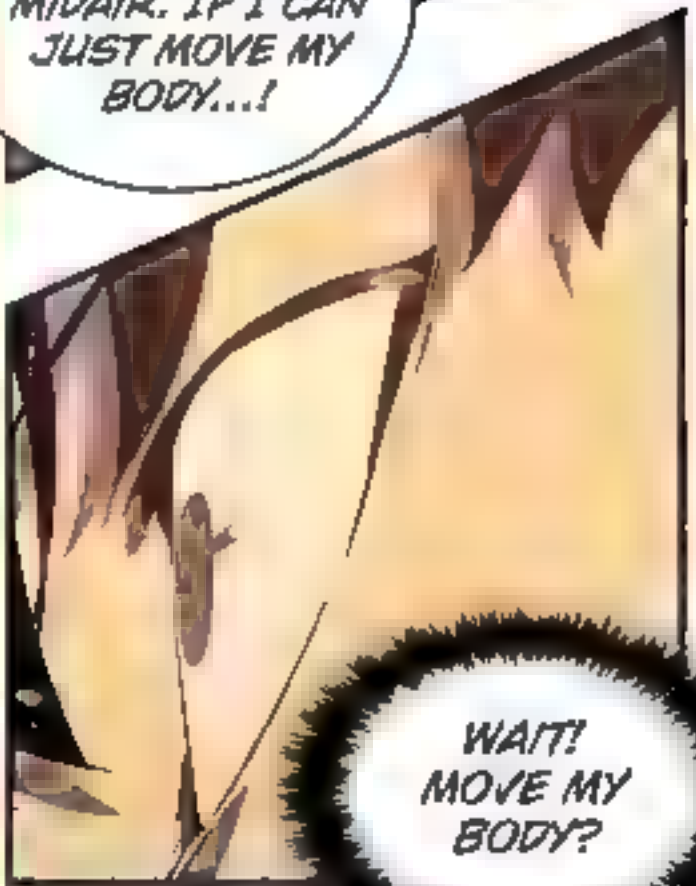




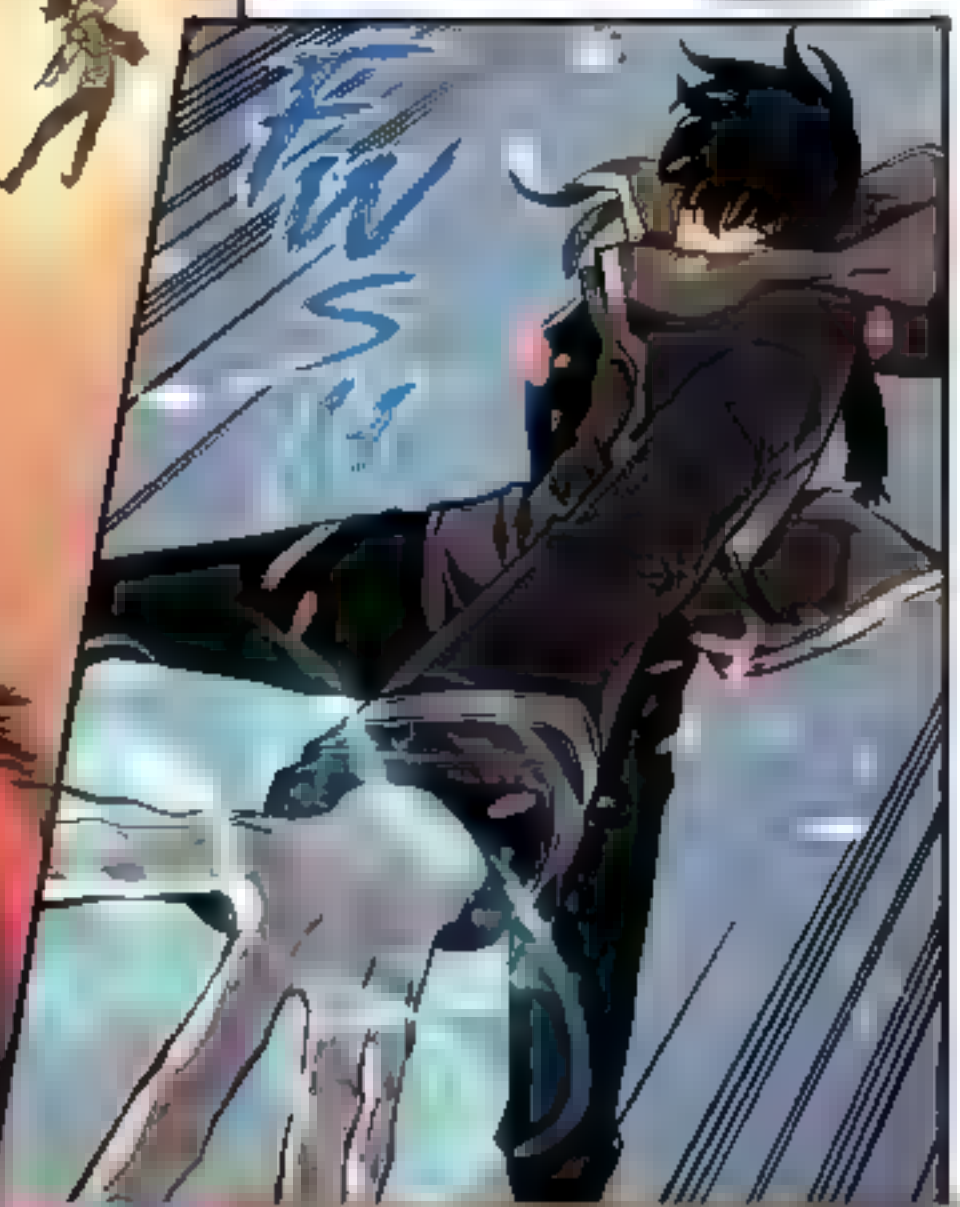




DAMN IT...I
CAN'T AVOID IT IN
MIDAIR. IF I CAN
JUST MOVE MY
BODY...!

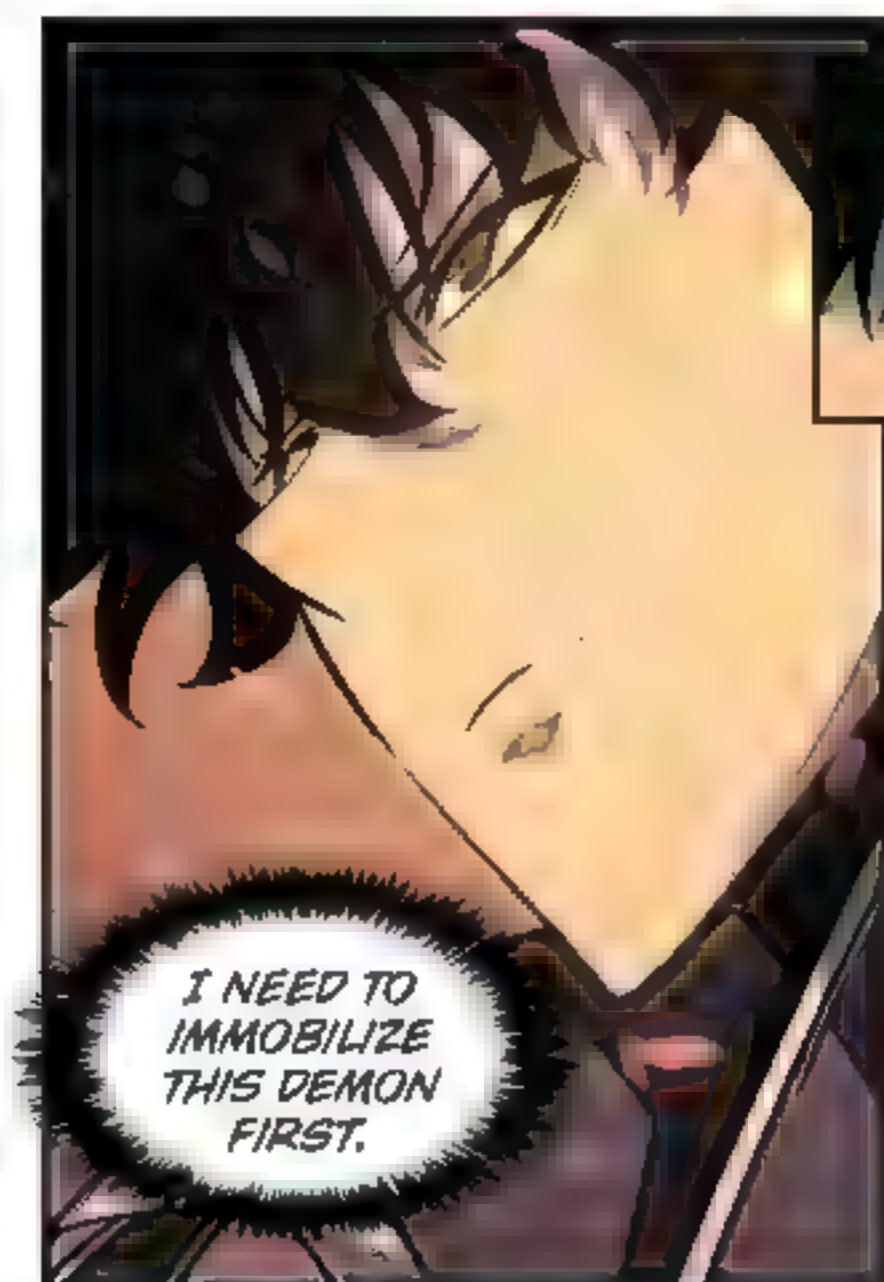


WAIT!
MOVE MY
BODY?



 [Skull Krieger's Head] has
been activated.





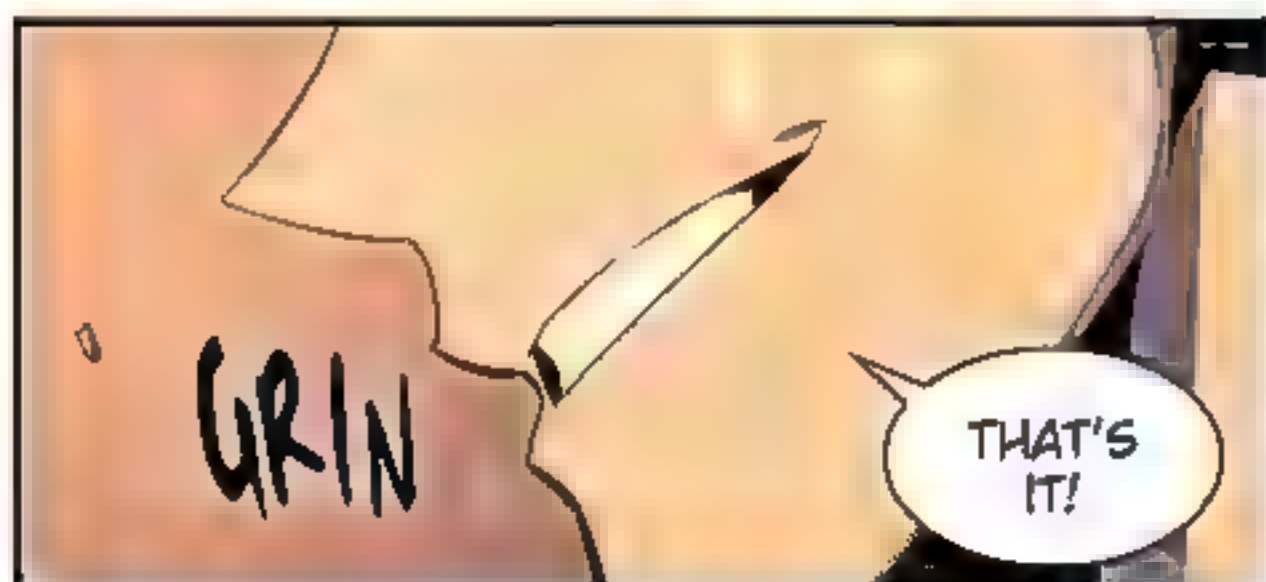
I NEED TO
IMMOBILIZE
THIS DEMON
FIRST.



I NEED A
TRAP...



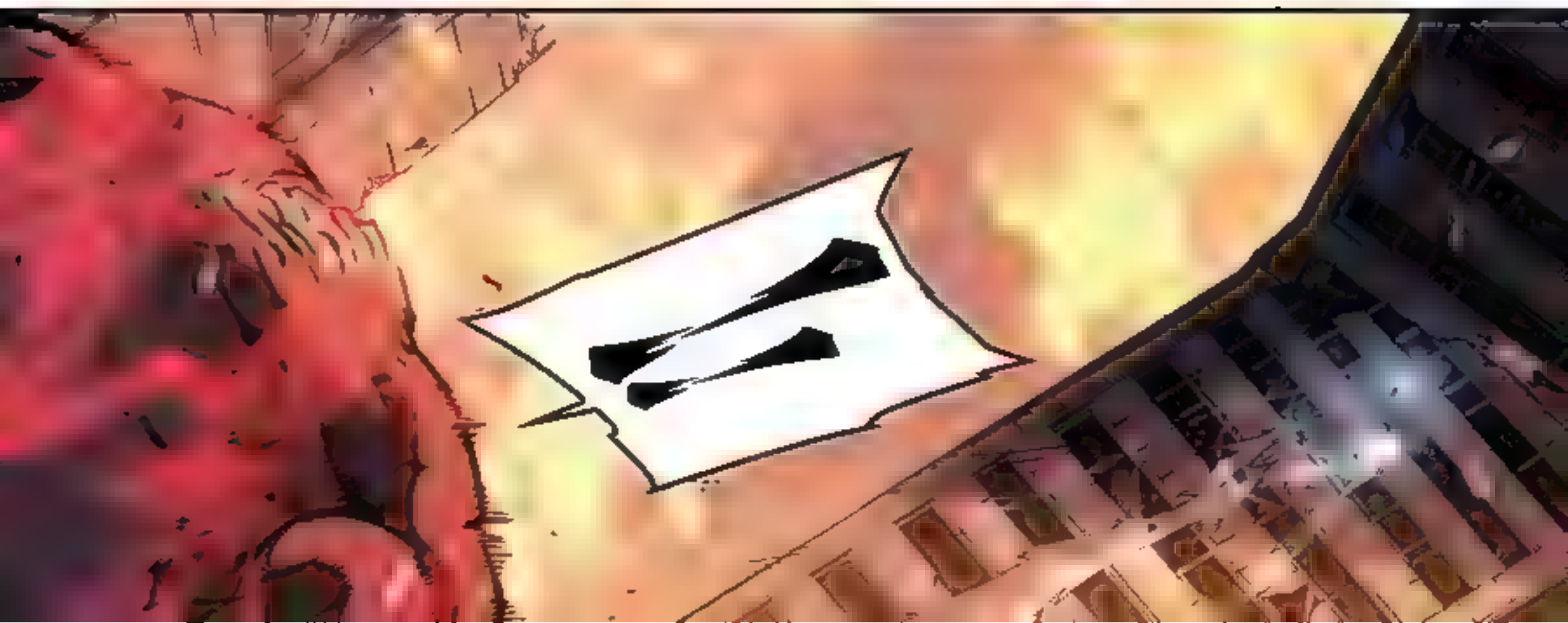
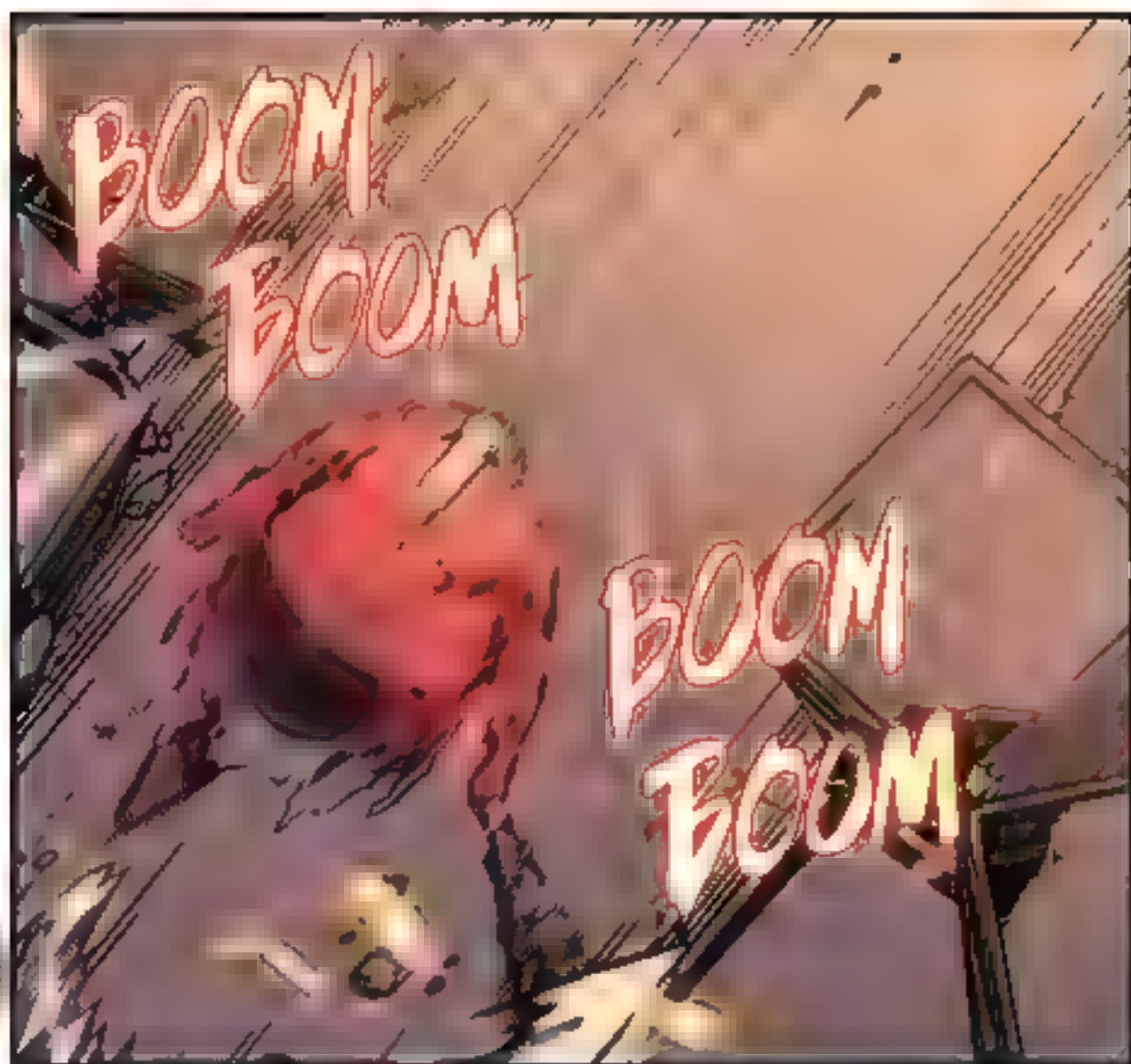
...IT CAN'T
AVOID...

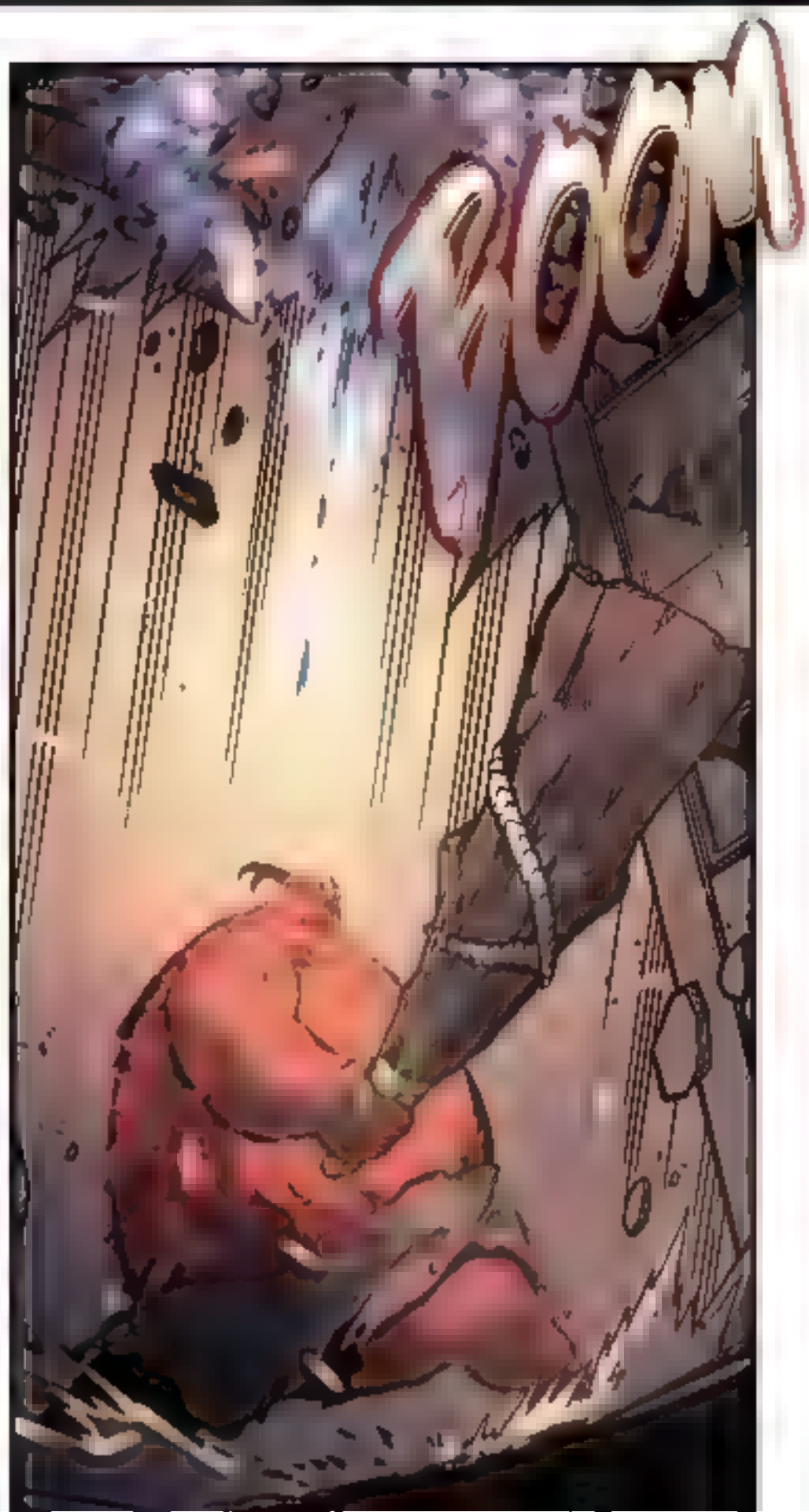
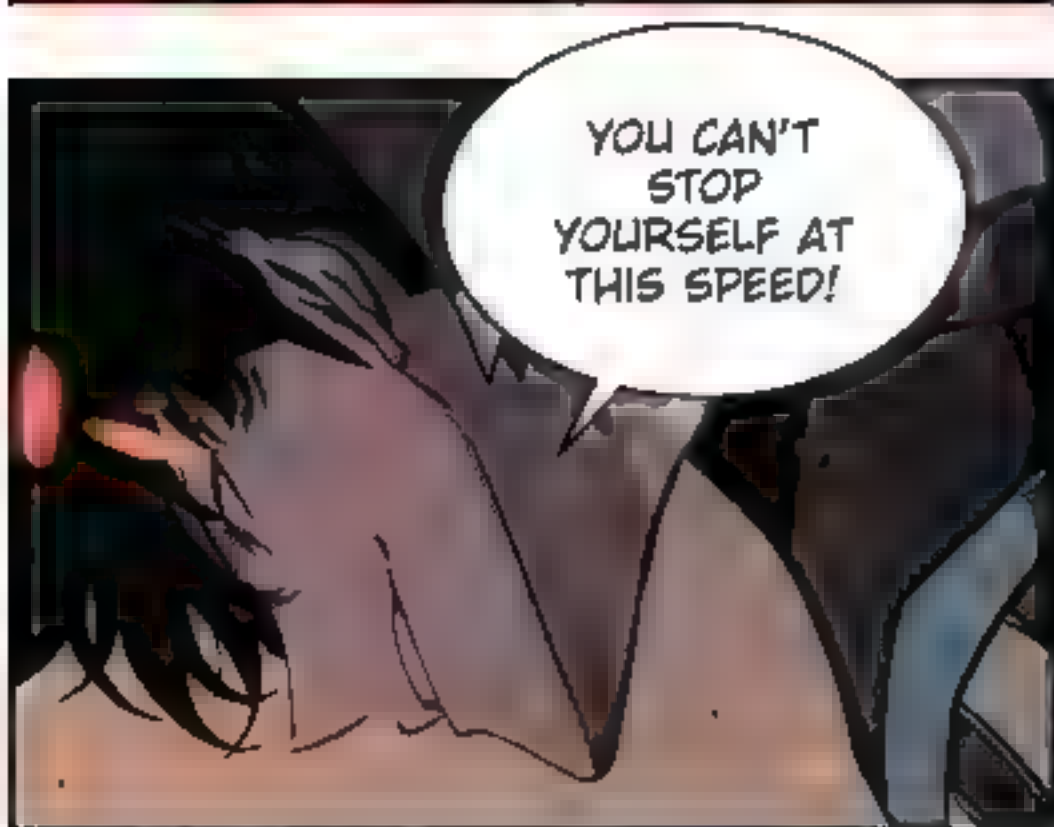


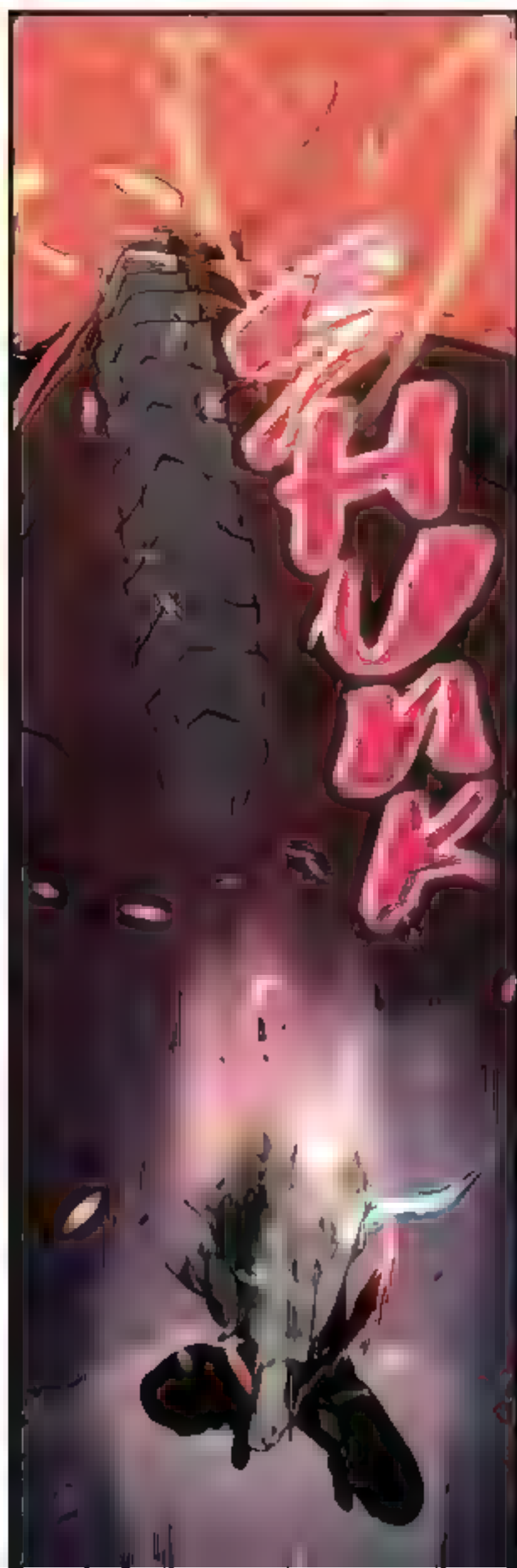
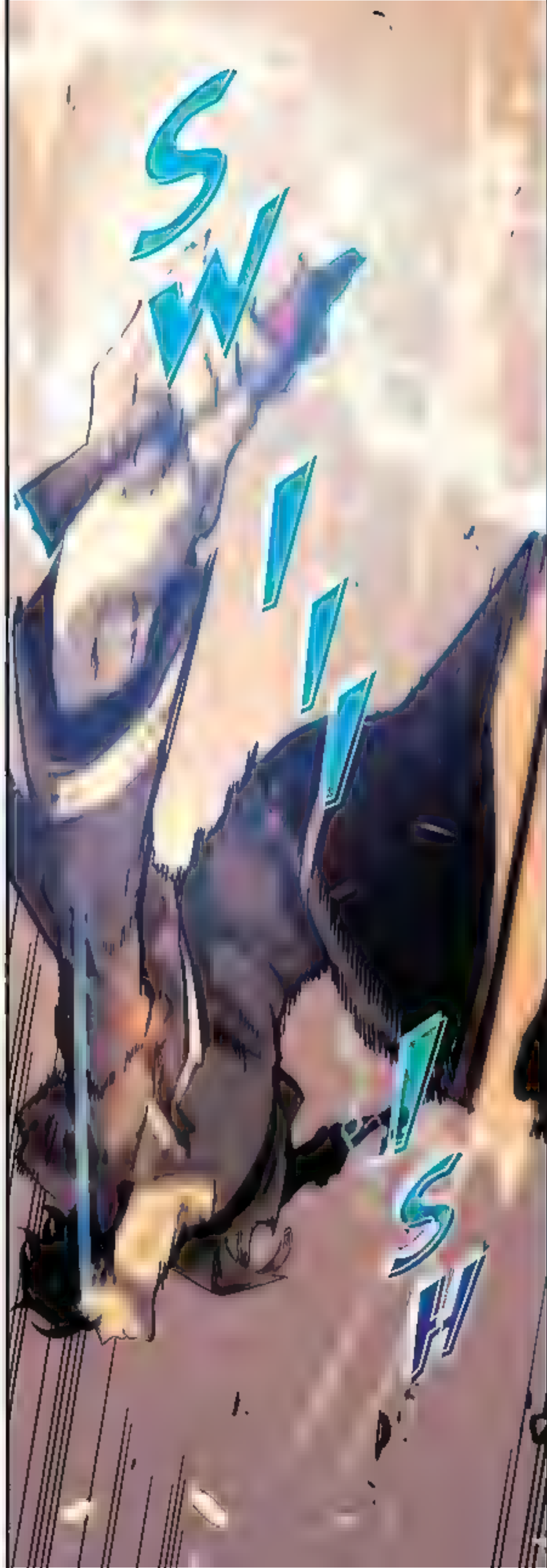
GRIN

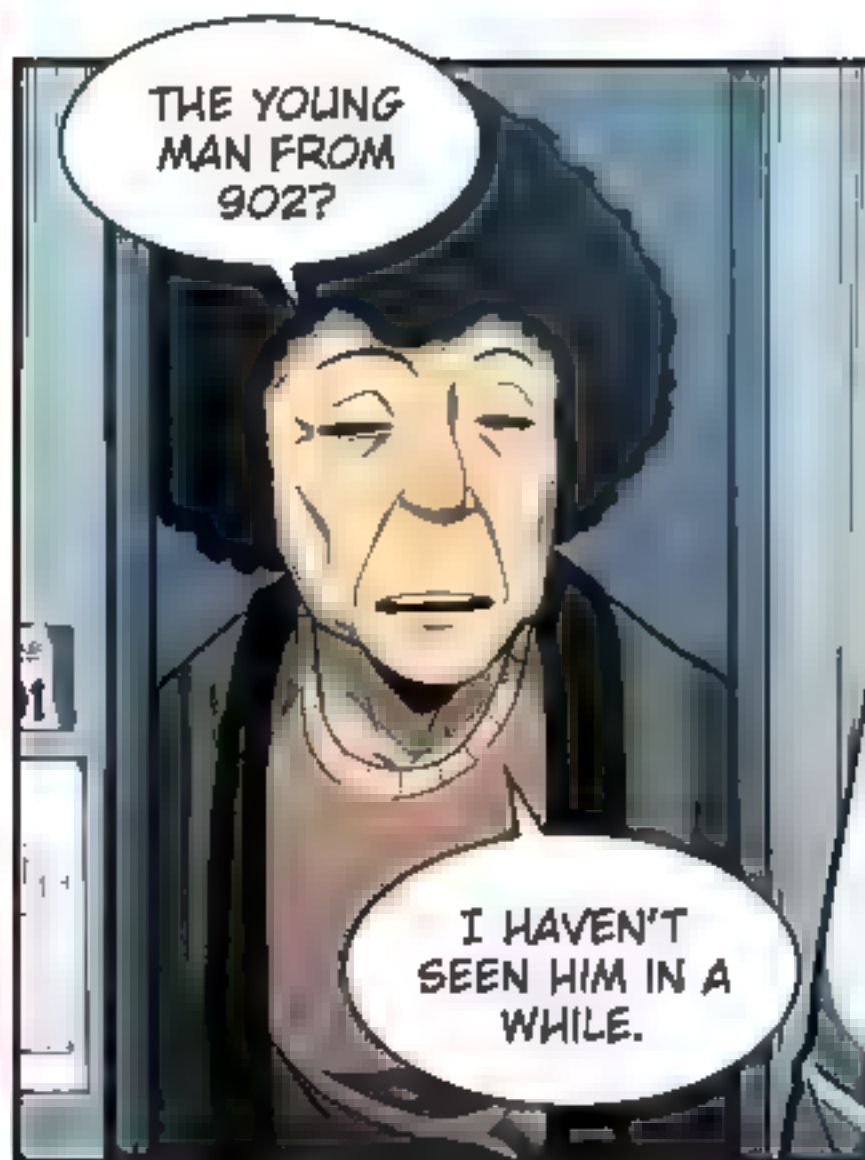
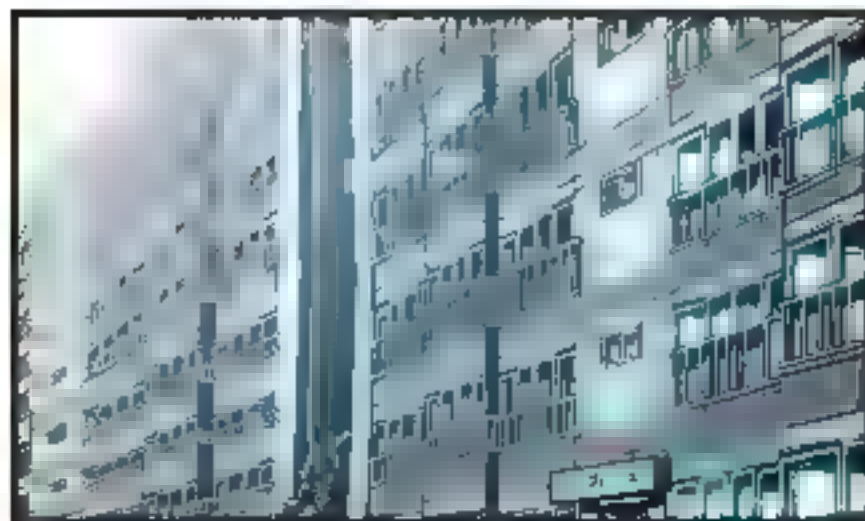
THAT'S
IT!

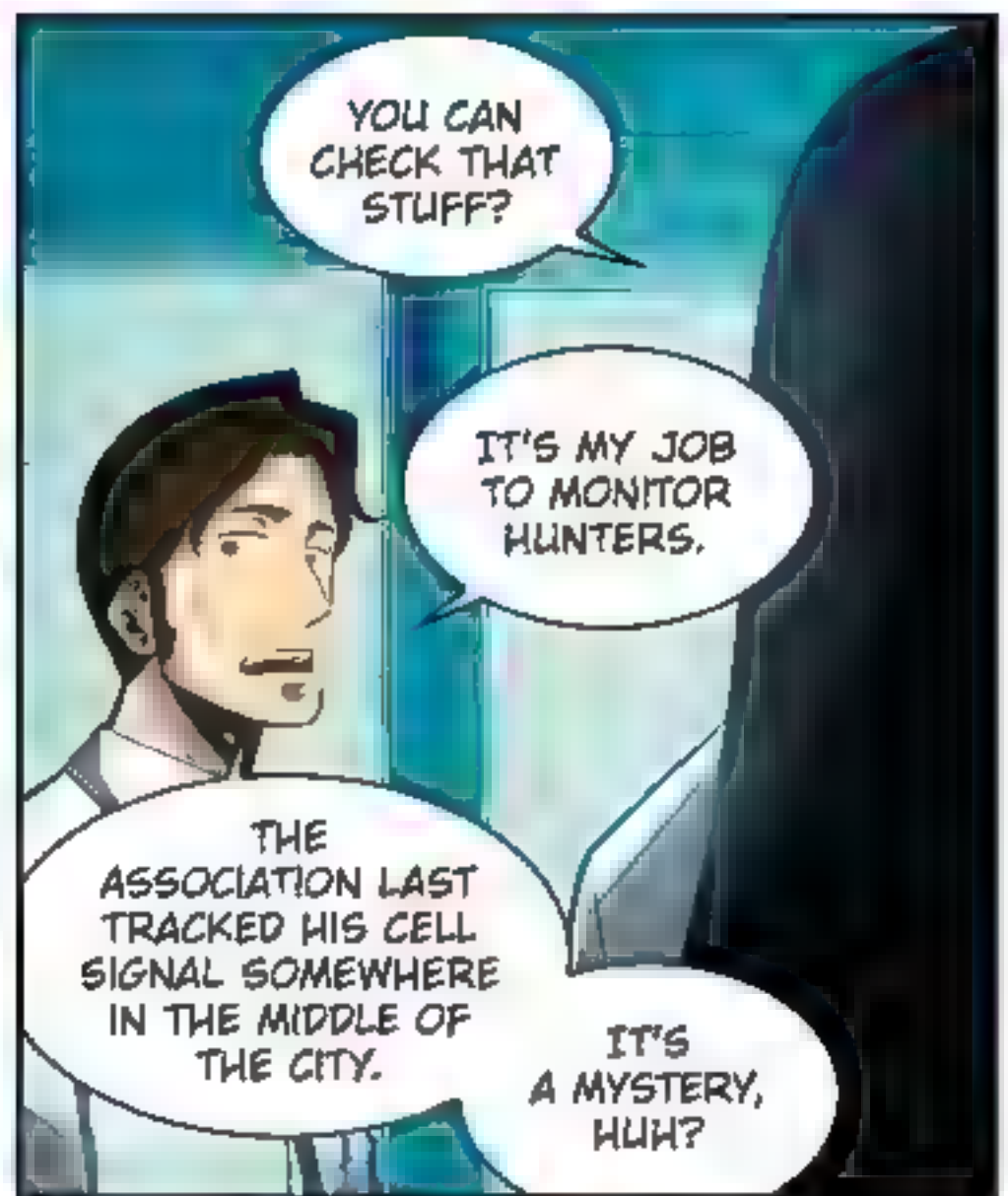


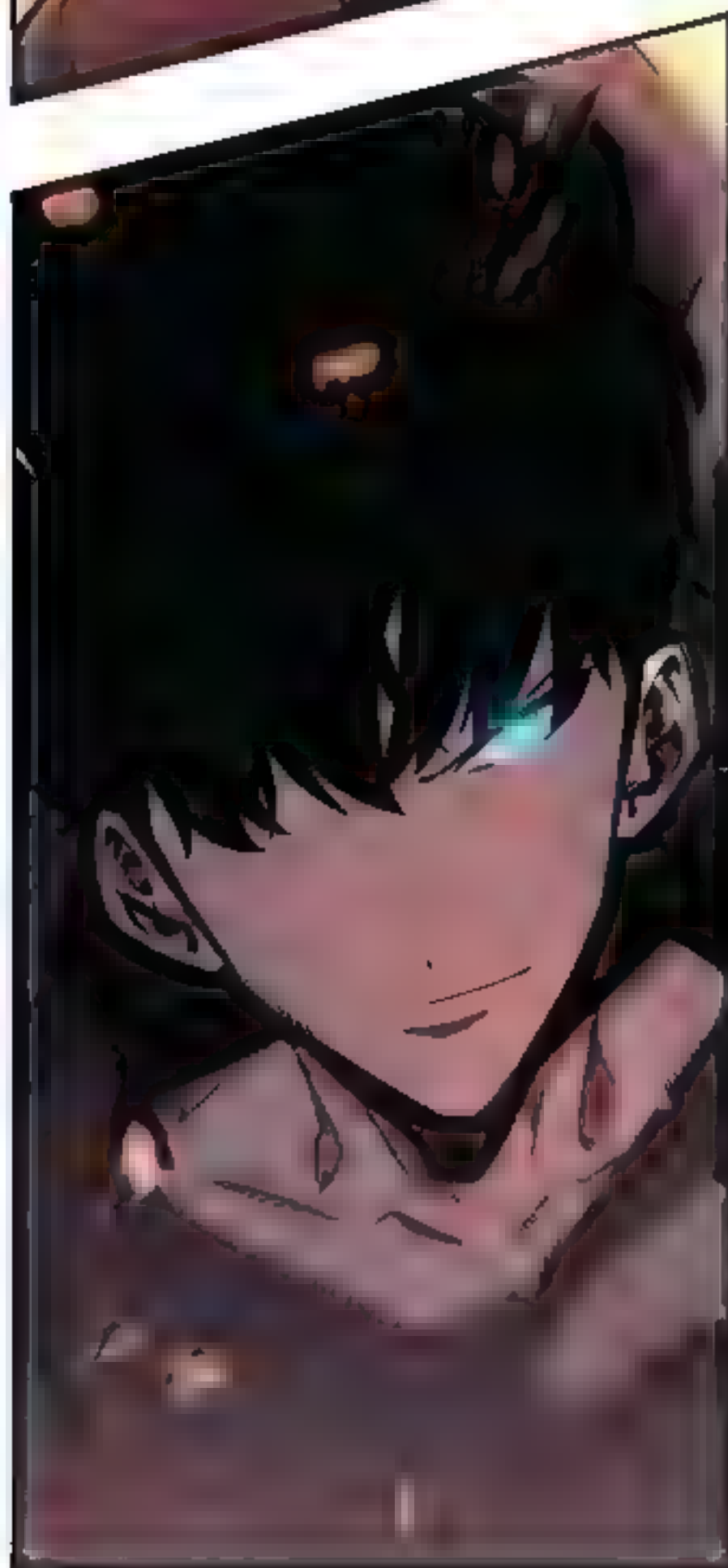
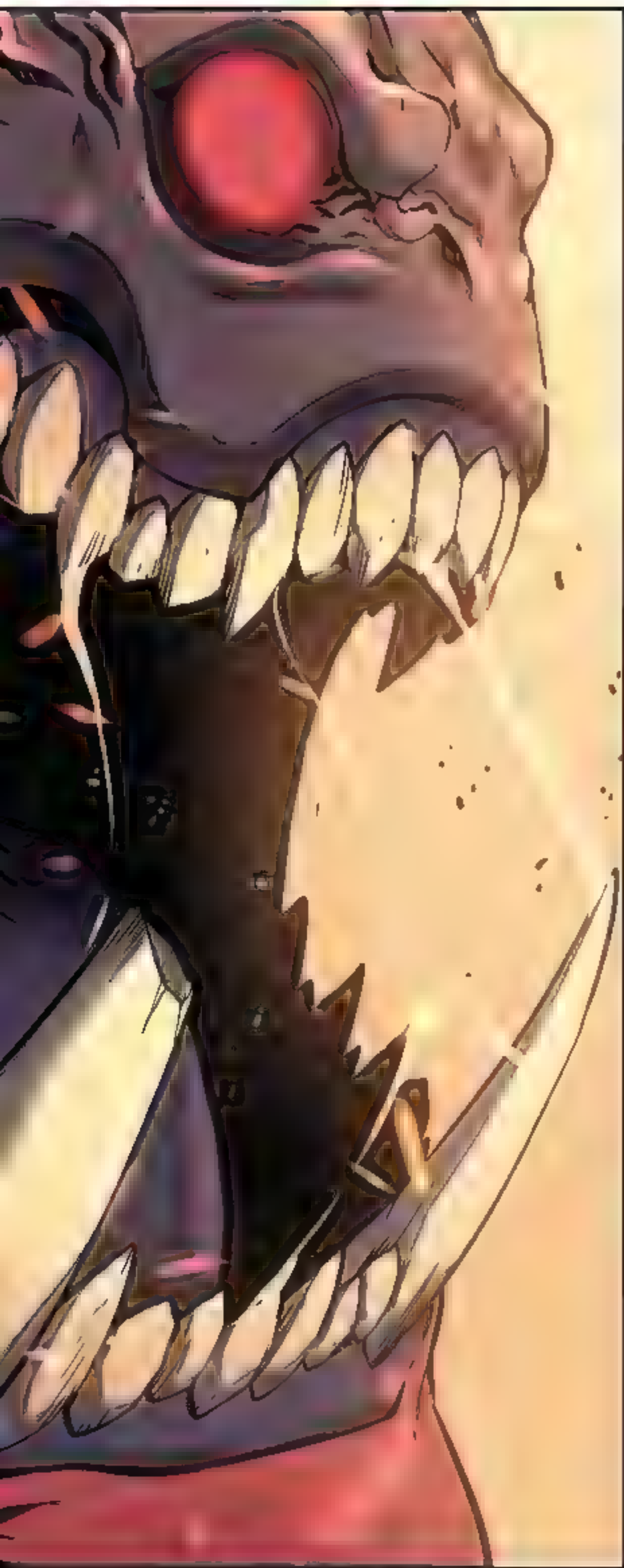


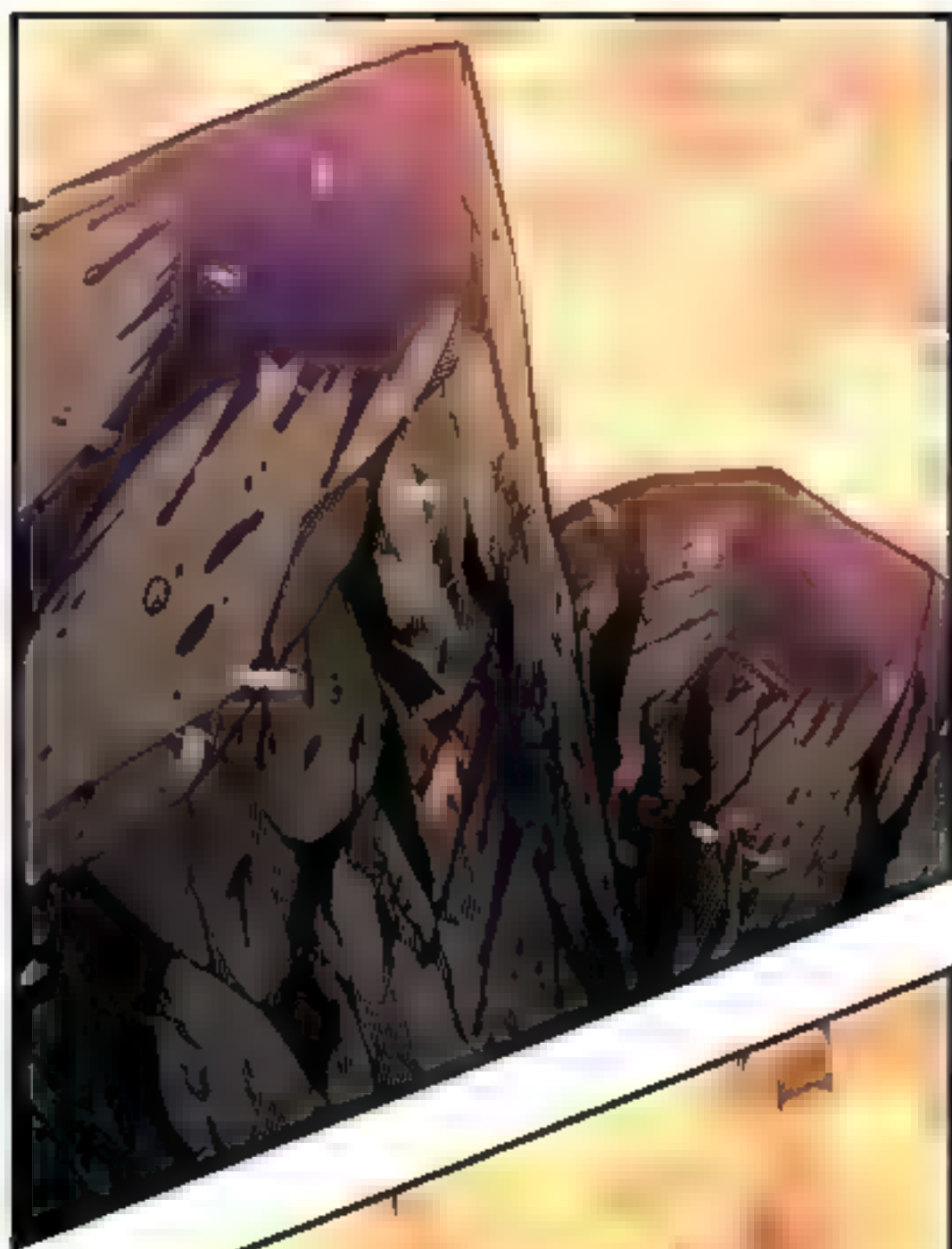












ITEM



ACQUISITION DIFFICULTY: ??
CATEGORY: Material

Purified wood from Vulcan's club, which was made with a branch cut from the World Tree. Wood from the World Tree has strong magic properties and is used for crafting advanced magic tools.



INGREDIENT FOR CRAFTING ADVANCED MAGIC TOOLS?

I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHERE I CAN USE THIS BUT I CAN'T JUST THROW IT AWAY. I GUESS IT'LL BE USEFUL SOMEDAY.

[ITEM: Demon Monarch's Earrings]



ACQUISITION DIFFICULTY: A
CATEGORY: Magic tool

There are set buffs that will be activated when worn with:
 Demon Monarch's Necklace
 Demon Monarch's Ring
 Set Buff 1. (Hidden)
 Set Buff 2. (Hidden)



SO THIS IS THE LAST ONE?

THIS HAS AN AMAZING BUFF...I'D USE IT IF I HAD A MAGIC SKILL.

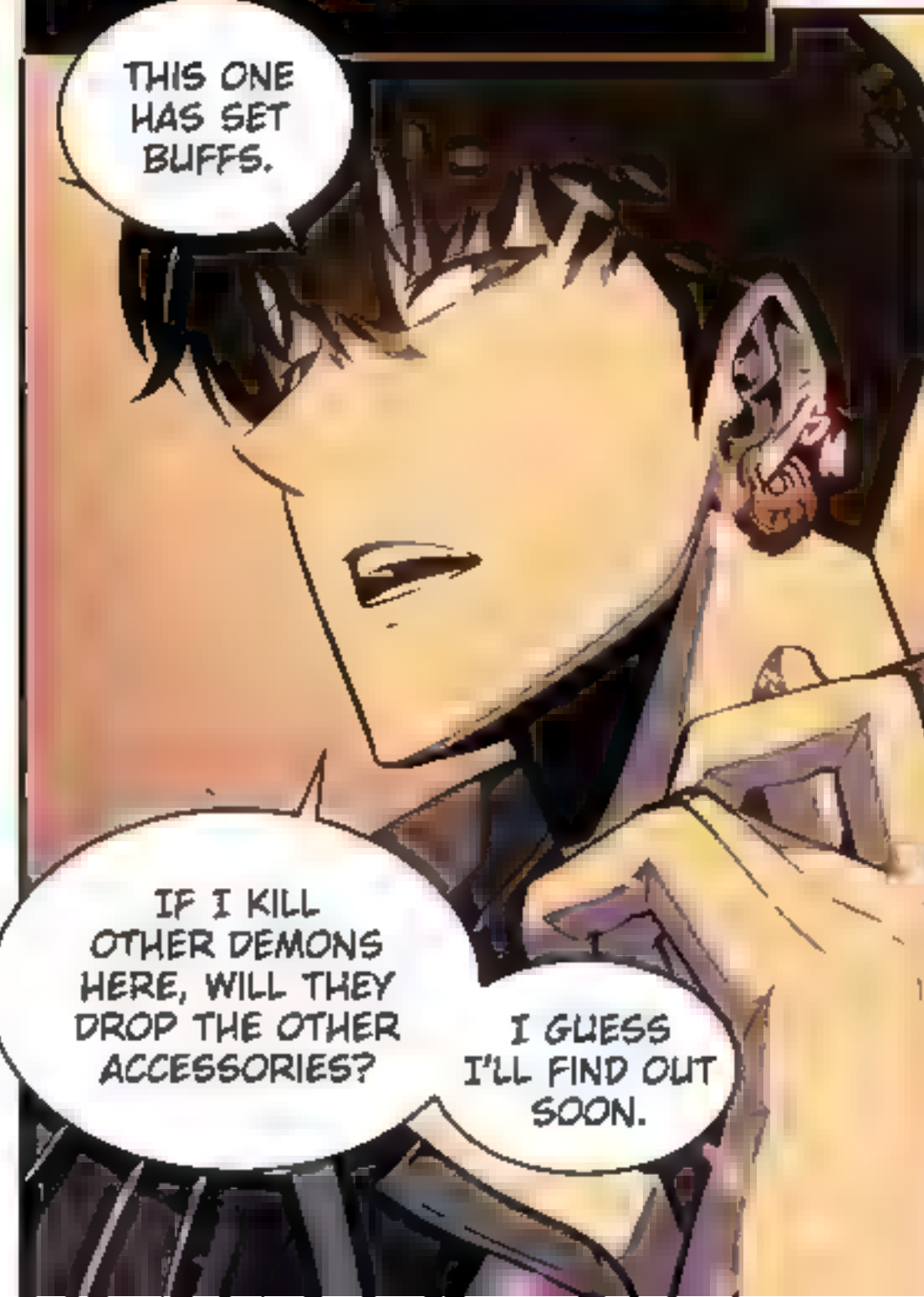
ITEM



ITEM: Sphere of Avarice
ACQUISITION DIFFICULTY: A
CATEGORY: Magic tool

Sphere made from the solidified blood of archdemon Vulcan. Greatly increased magic effects and causes more damage.

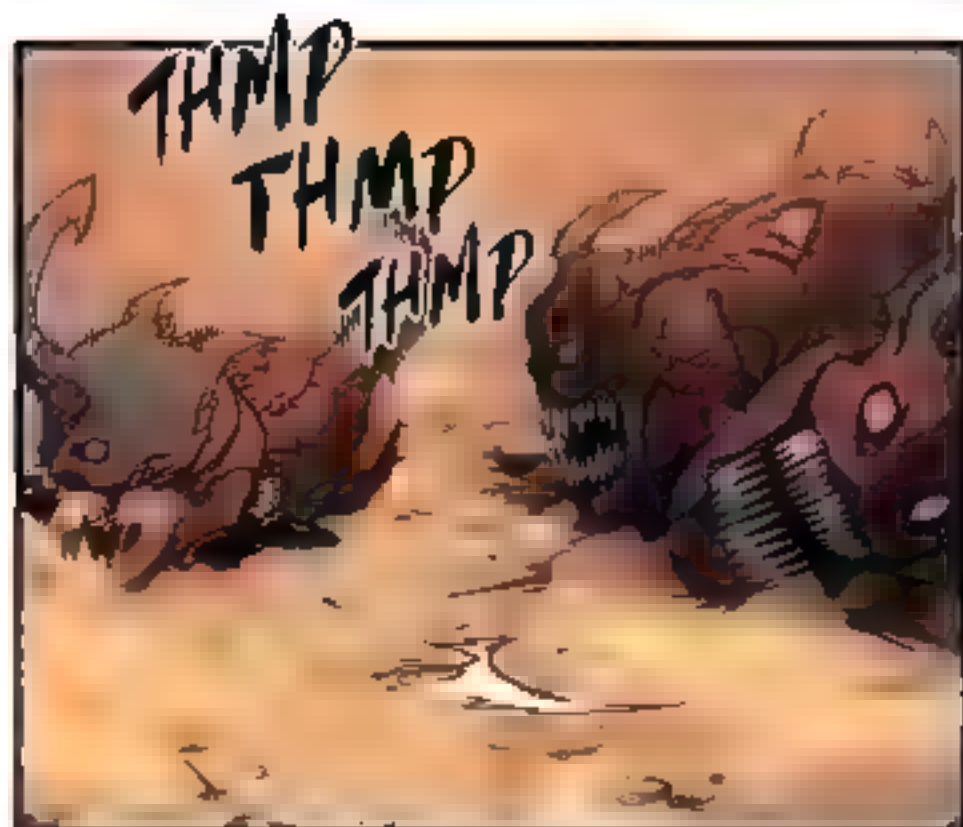
—BUFF: Appetite for Destruction: Doubles damage caused by magic.

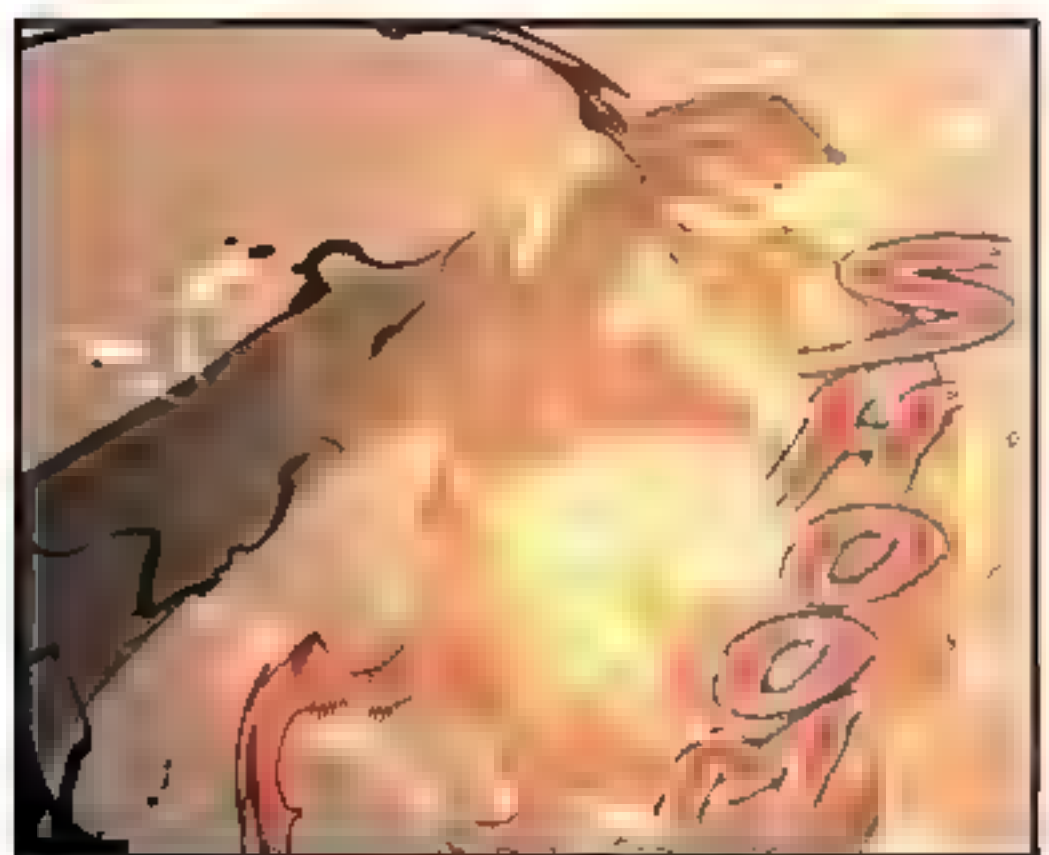
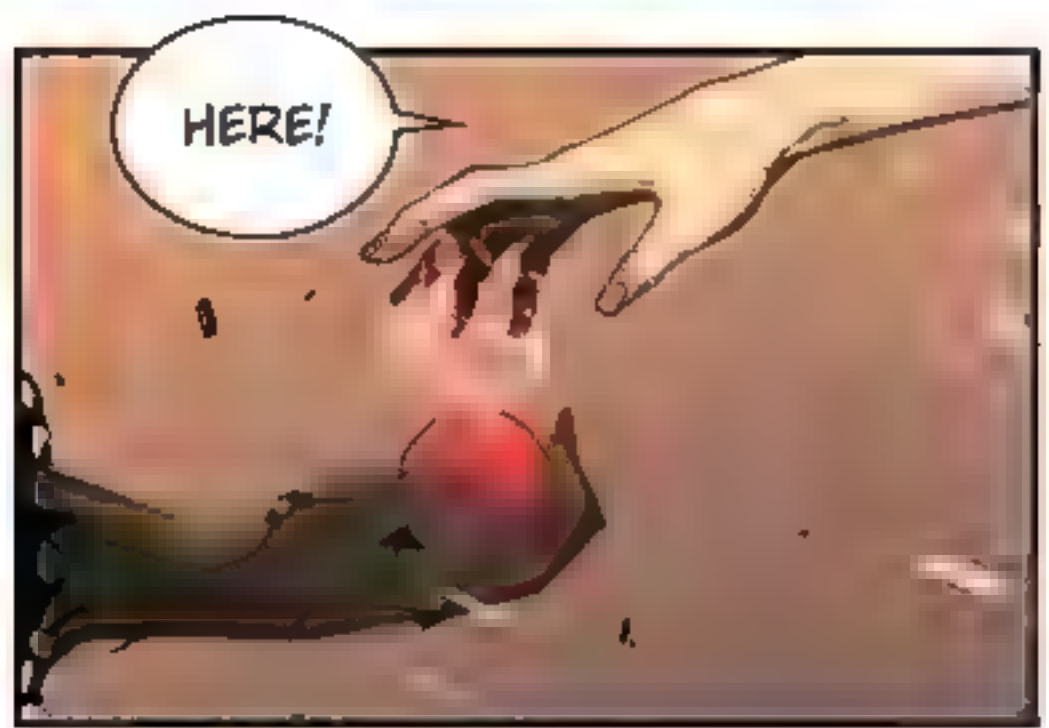
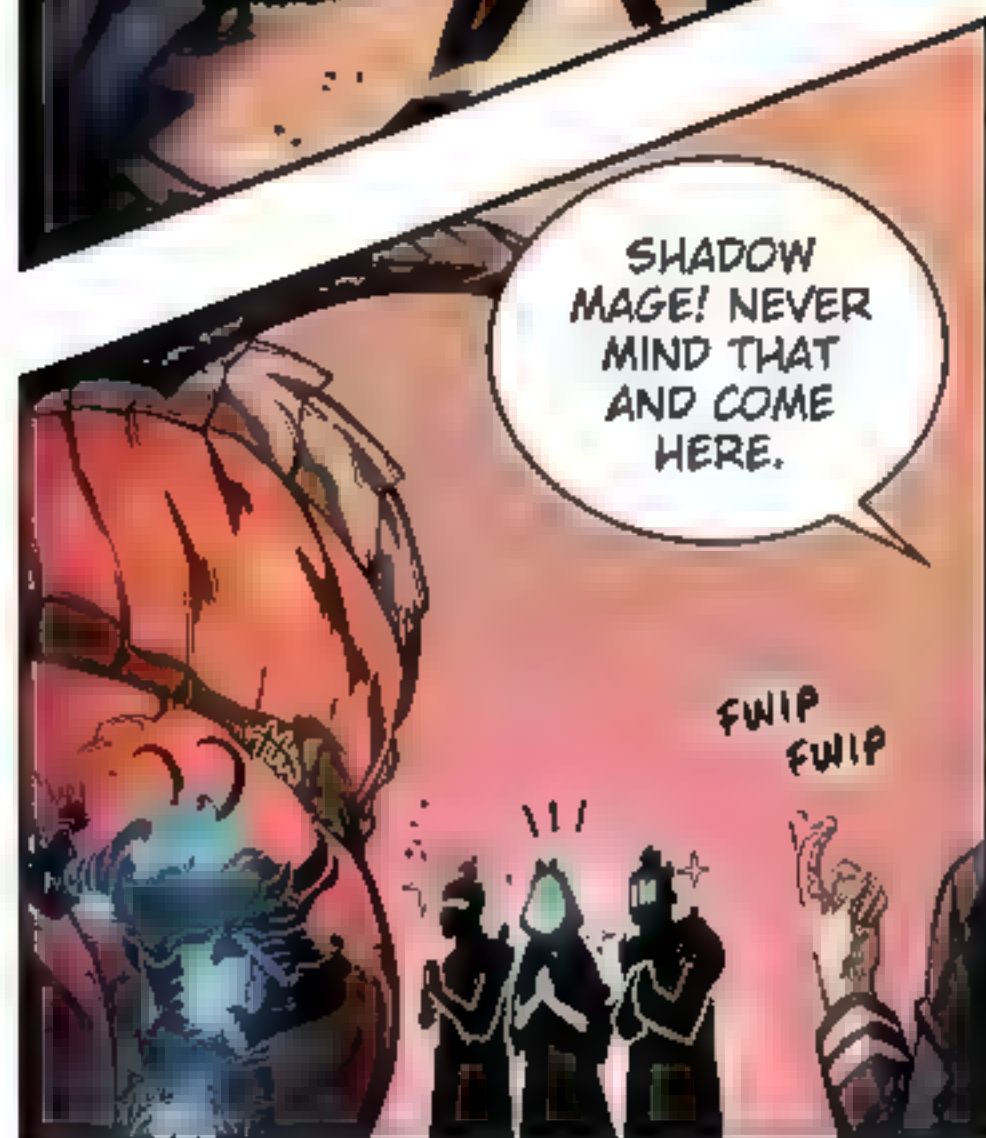


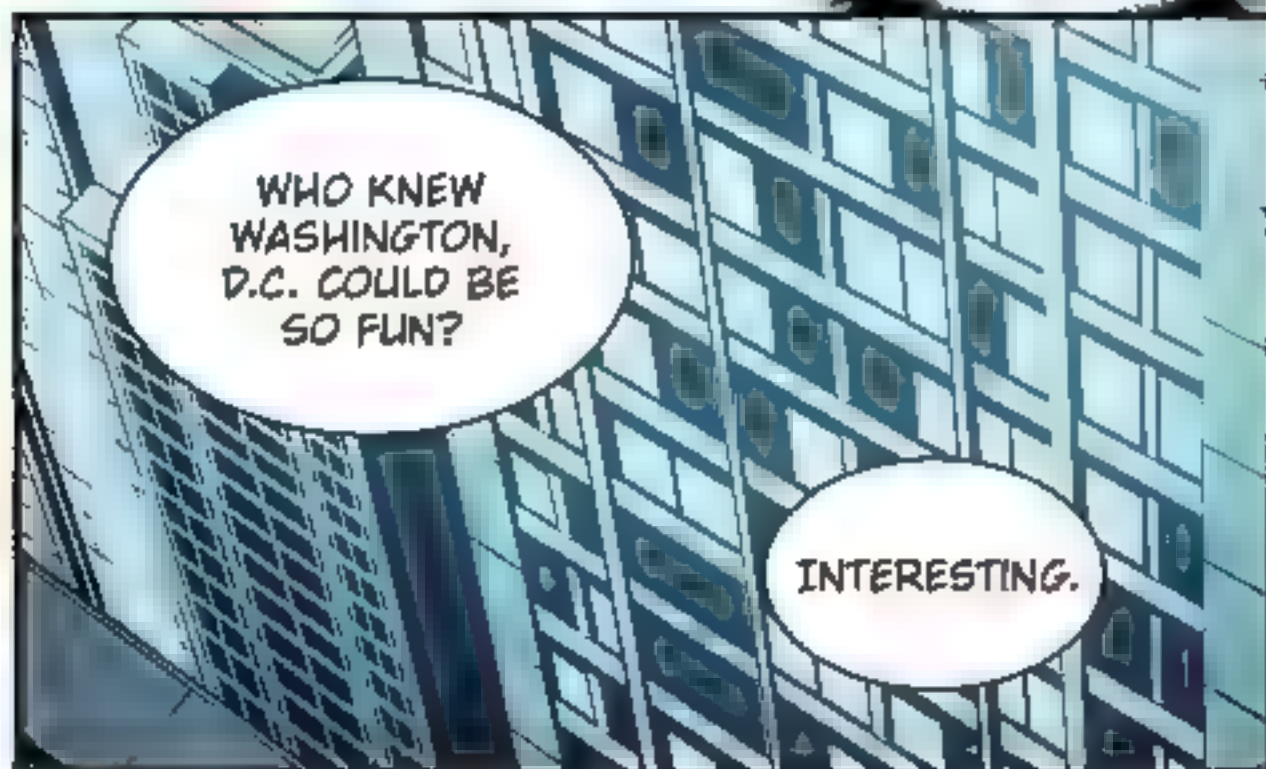
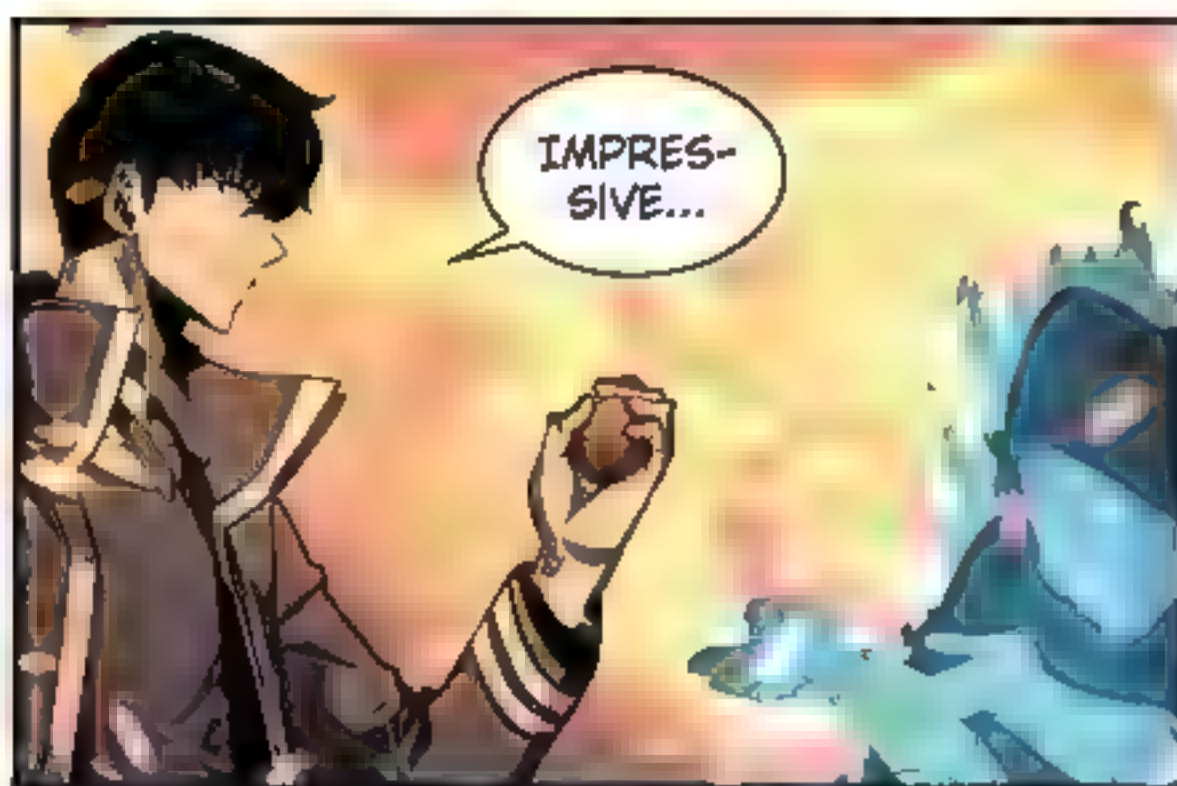
THIS ONE HAS SET BUFFS.

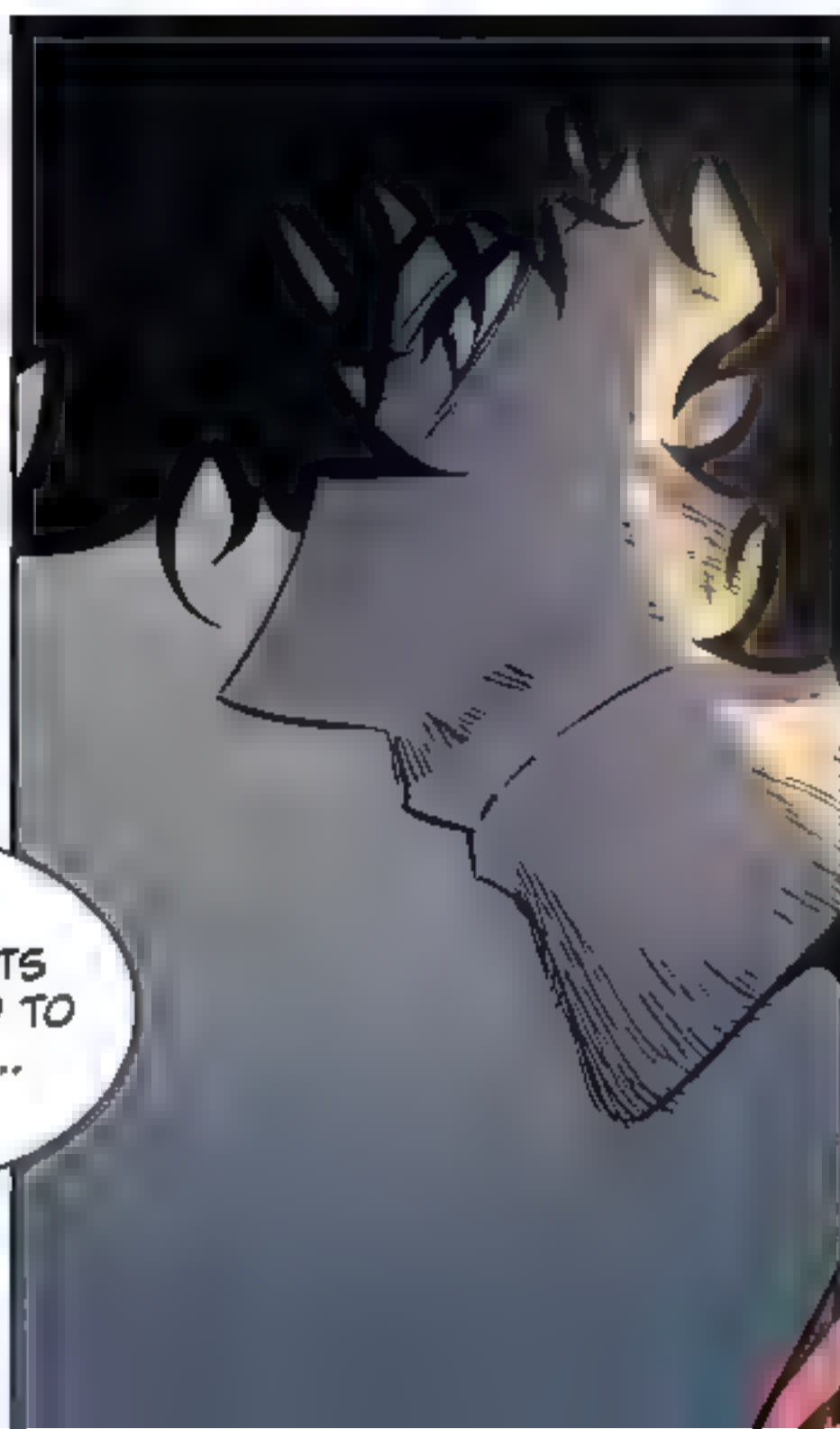
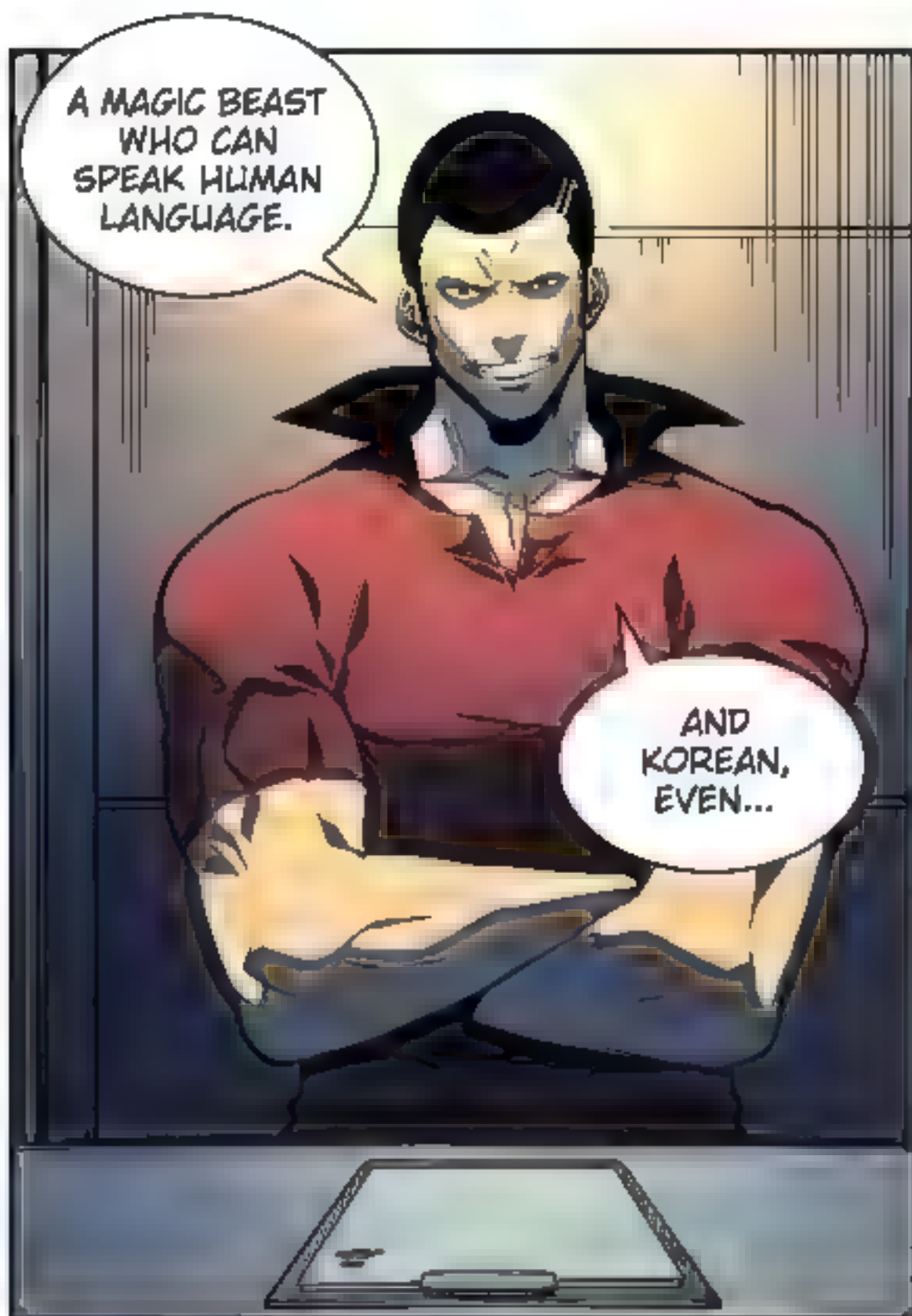
IF I KILL OTHER DEMONS HERE, WILL THEY DROP THE OTHER ACCESSORIES?

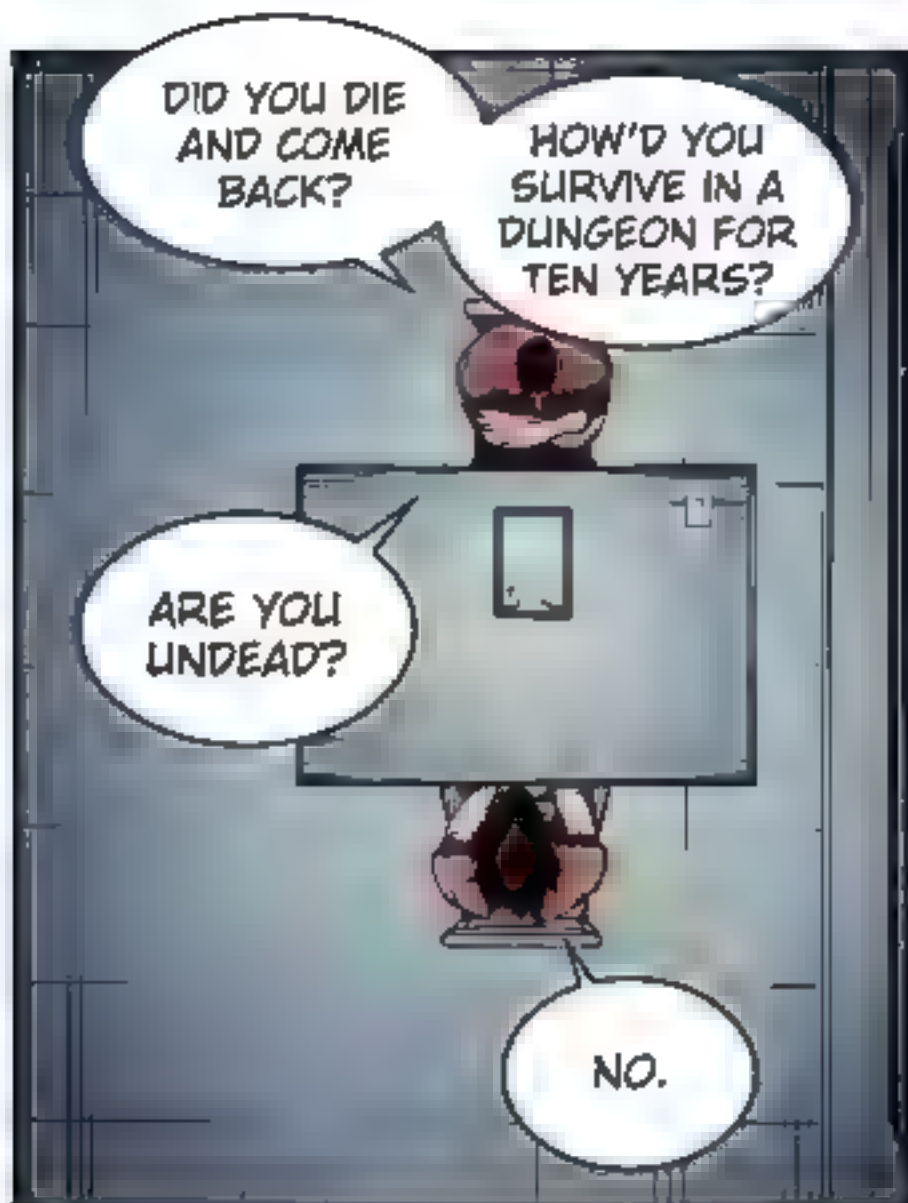
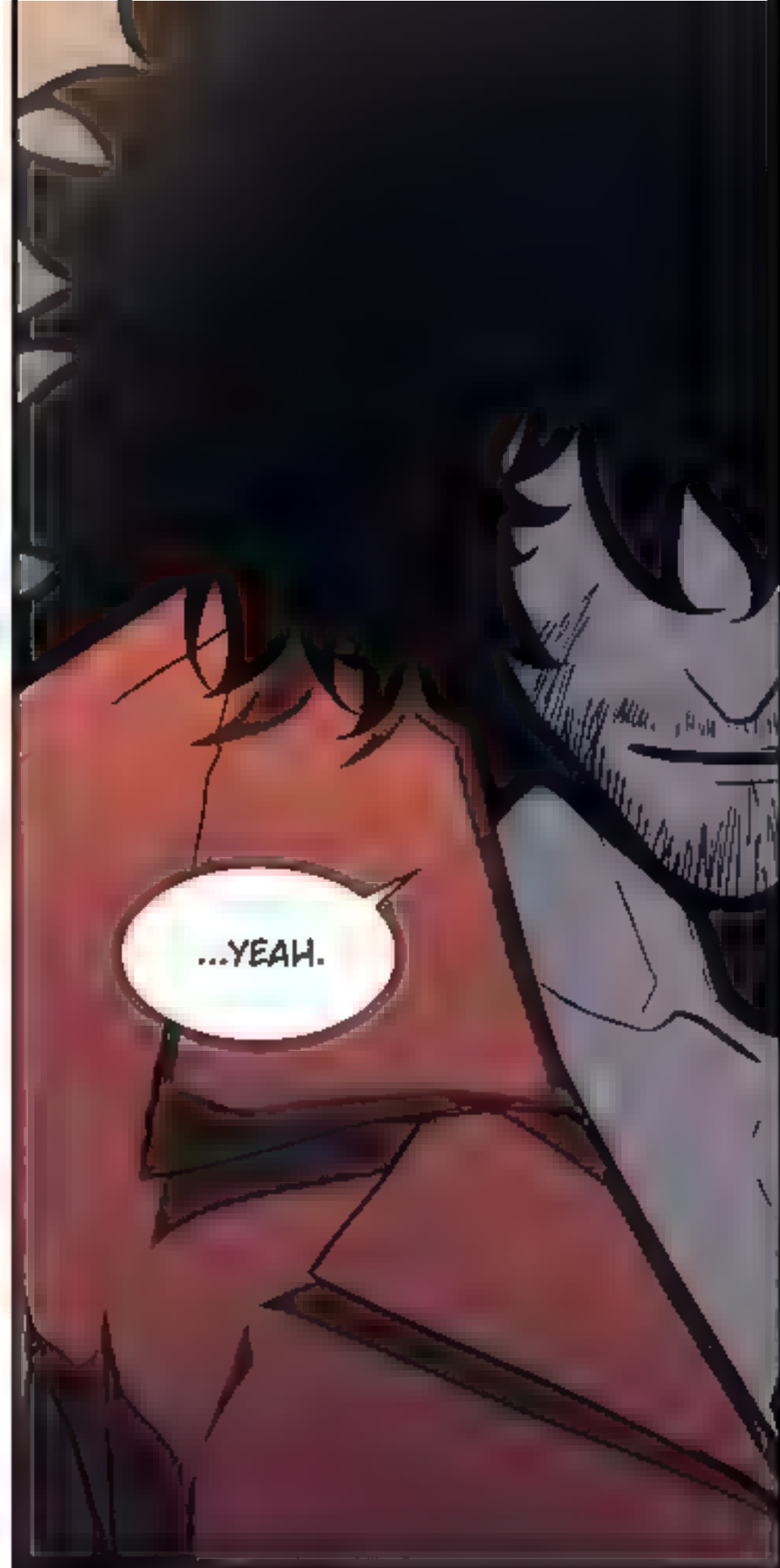
I GUESS I'LL FIND OUT SOON.

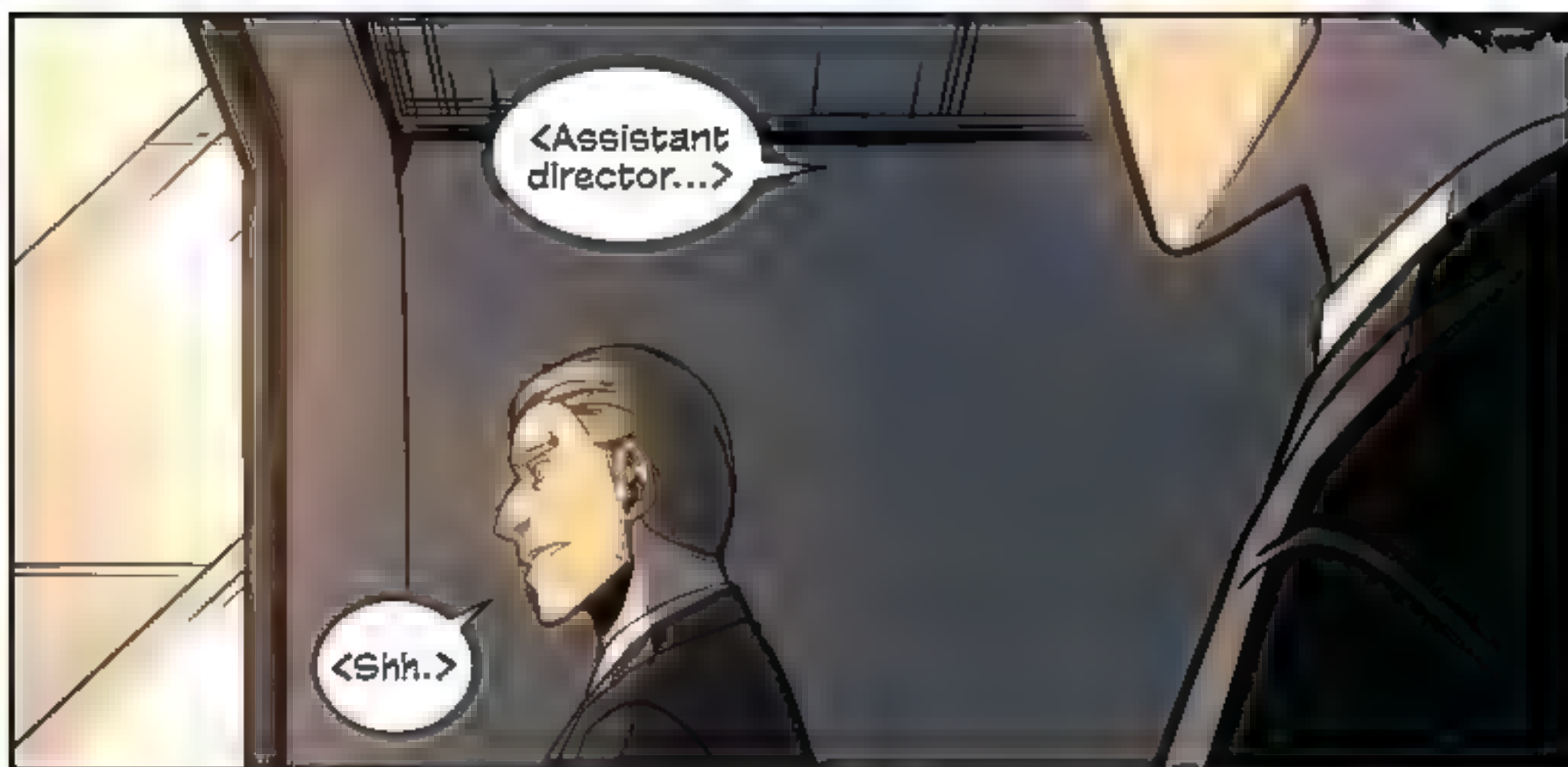














DUNGEONS,
GATES,
AND MAGIC
BEASTS...

...ARE MERE
PRECURSORS
TO THE REAL
WAR THAT IS
COMING.

AND THE POWER
THAT POSES THE
BIGGEST THREAT
HAS RECENTLY
OPENED ITS
EYES.



SO WHY
ARE YOU
HERE?

TO
STOP THE
THREAT.

WHAT IS
THIS BIG
THREAT?

...I CAN'T
SAY.



THE MAN
WHO SAYS HE'S
HERE TO STOP
A THREAT CAN'T
REVEAL WHAT
IT IS?

HAH!

DON'T YOU
WANT SOME HELP,
RATHER THAN
GOING AT
IT ALONE?



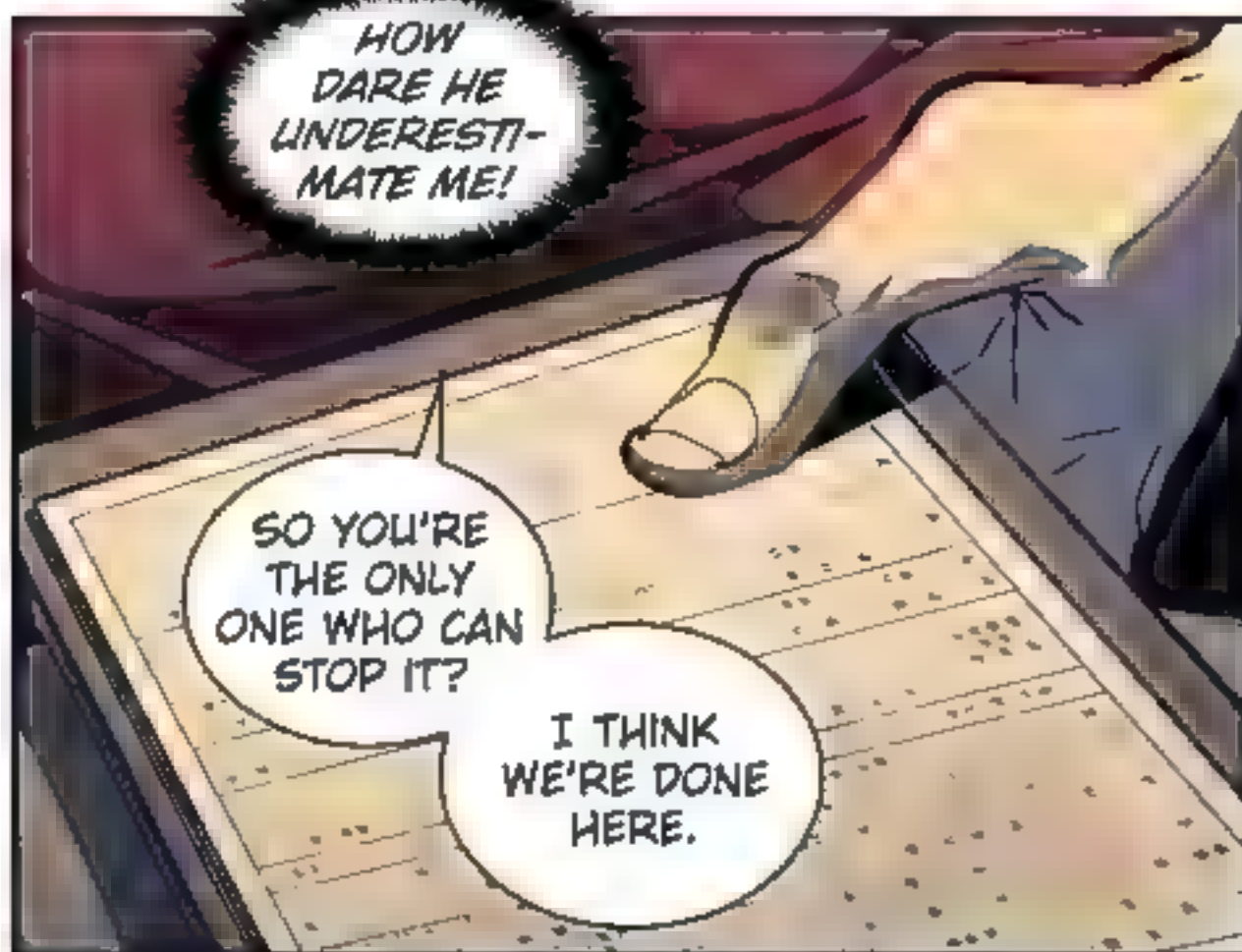
NUMBERS
WILL NOT
MATTER.

AMATEURS
WILL EITHER
BE EATEN OR
ENSLAVED.

YOU KNOW
HOW IT IS,
SINCE YOU'RE
SOMEWHAT
STRONG.



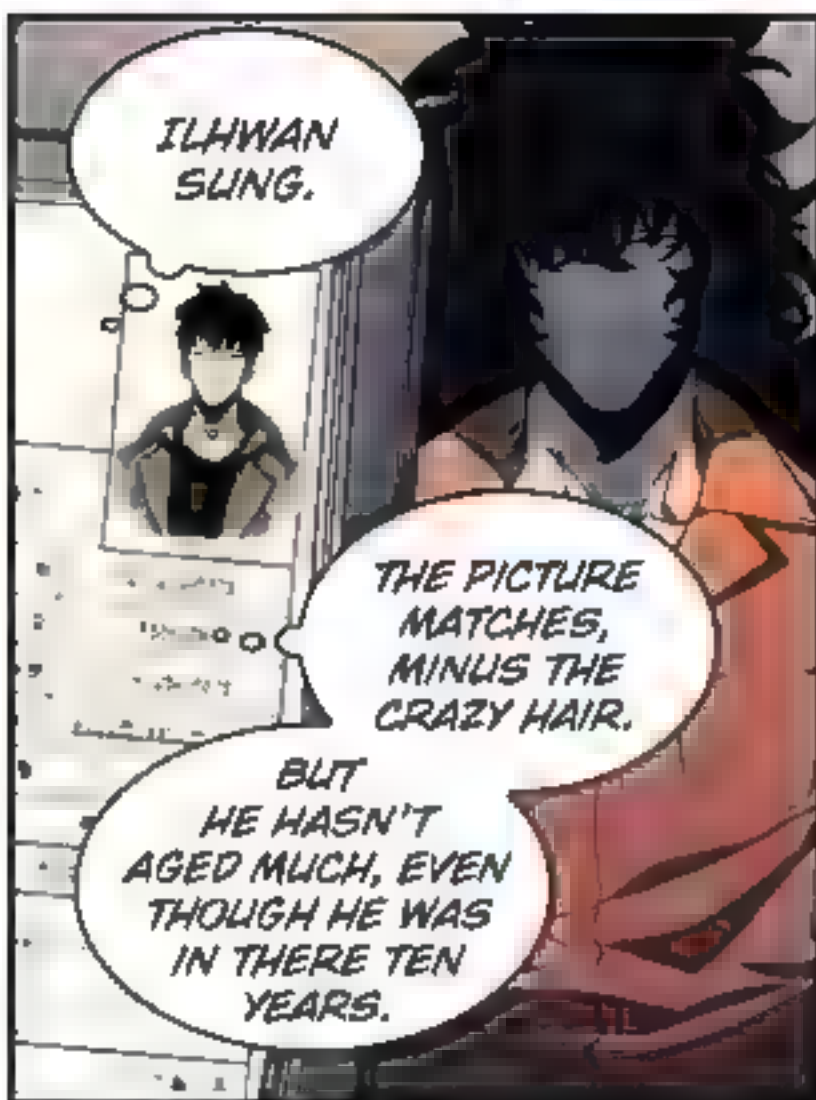
SOME-
WHAT?



HOW
DARE HE
UNDERESTI-
MATE ME!

SO YOU'RE
THE ONLY
ONE WHO CAN
STOP IT?

I THINK
WE'RE DONE
HERE.



ILHWAN
SUNG.

THE PICTURE
MATCHES,
MINUS THE
CRAZY HAIR.

BUT
HE HASN'T
AGED MUCH, EVEN
THOUGH HE WAS
IN THERE TEN
YEARS.



YOUR
RESUME AS A
HUNTER IS QUITE
EXTENSIVE. YOU
WOULD'VE MADE A
KILLING IN TODAY'S
MARKET.

THERE'S A RANK
SYSTEM NOW, SO
HUNTERS OF MY
LEVEL DON'T HAVE
TO WORRY ABOUT
MONEY.

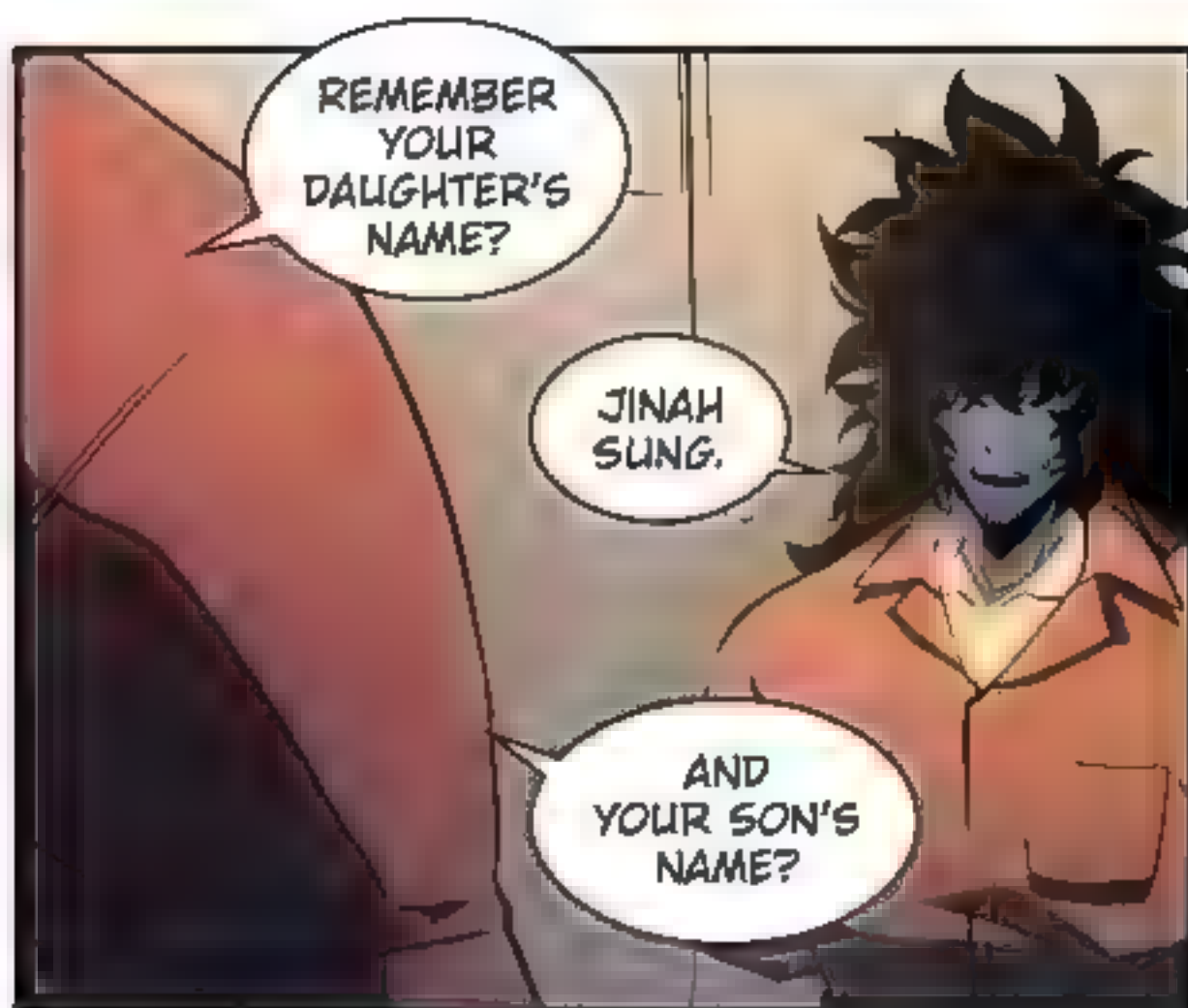
TIMING IS
EVERYTHING.

YOUR
SPOUSE IS
KYUNGHYE
PARK.

YOU
HAVE TWO
CHILDREN.

A SON
NAMED...





JINWOO
SUNG.





IF I DON'T
WANT TO
ANSWER?

I GUESS
I'LL HAVE TO
FORCE YOU TO
TALK.

YOU'VE BEEN
RUDE FROM
THE START.

PERHAPS HEAVEN
IS GIVING ME A
SECOND CHANCE.

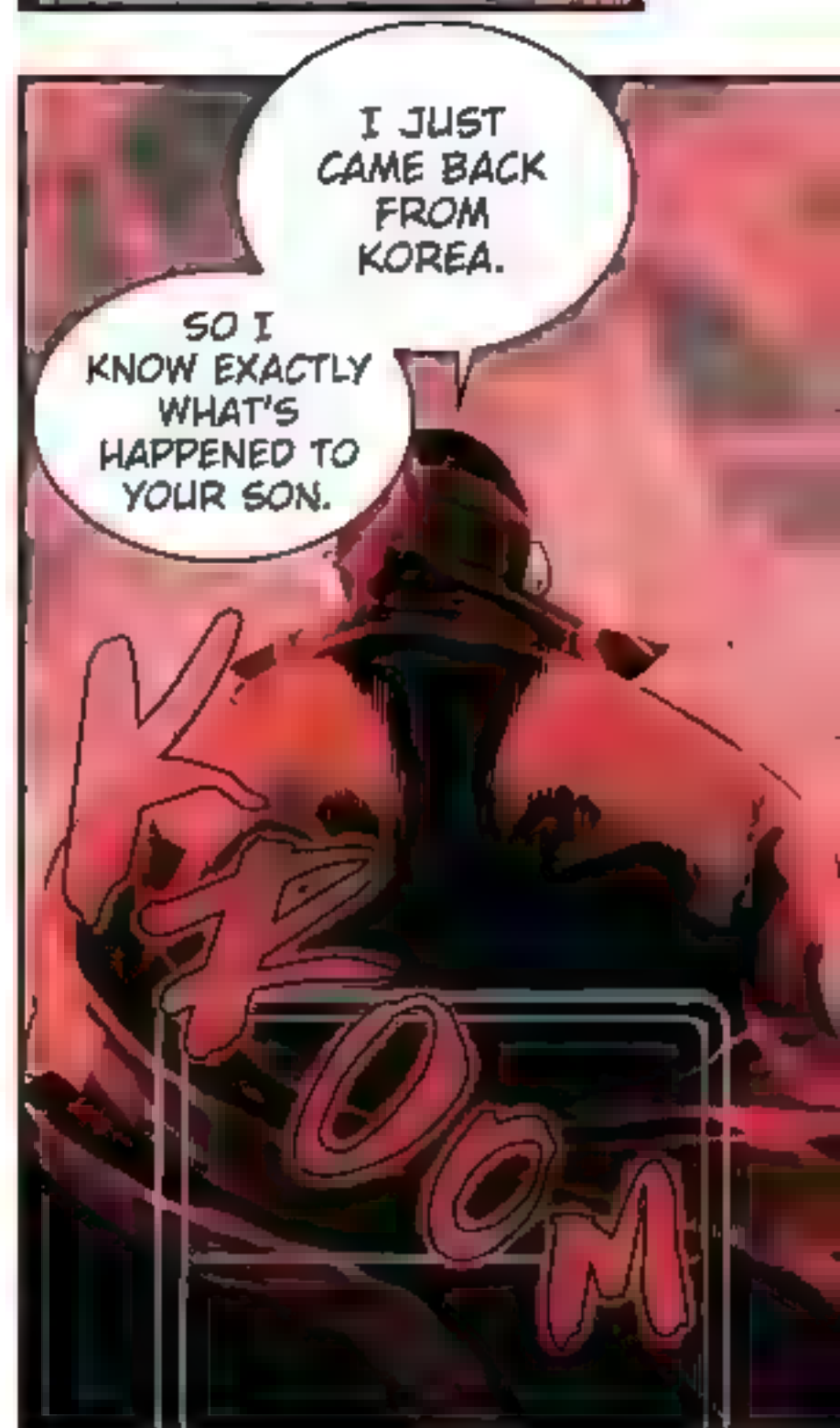


...I SEE.
YOU'RE A
MAGIC BEAST,
THEN.

<Assistant
director,
this man
is a magic
beast.>

<It's
preparing
to attack.
You must
evacuate.>

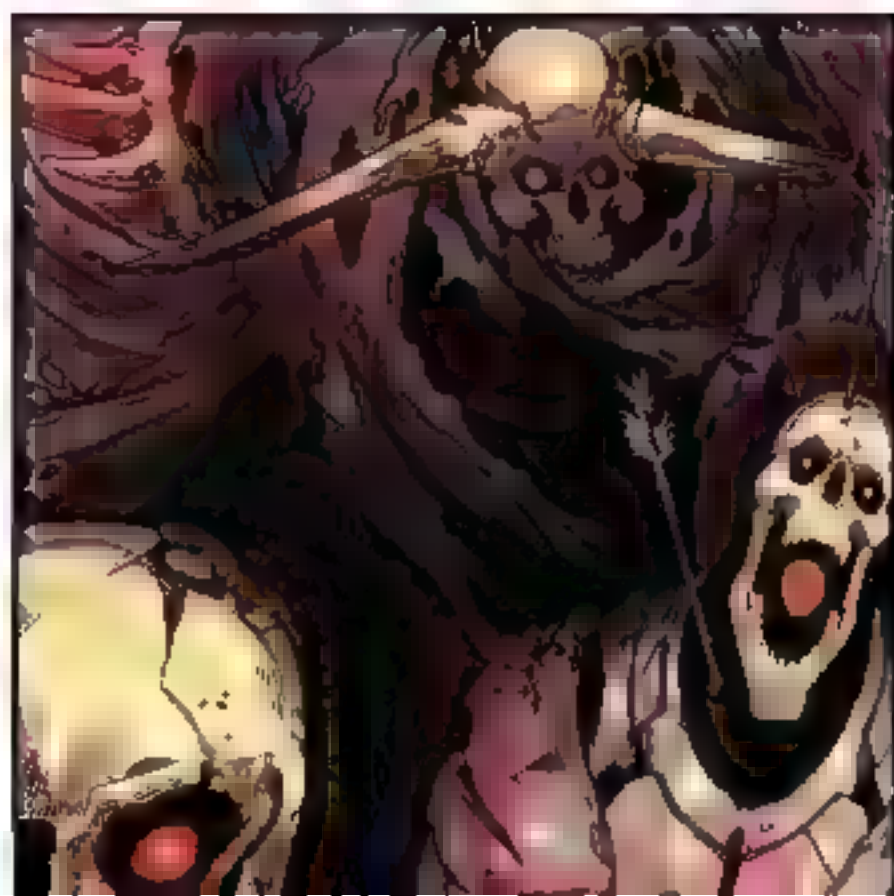
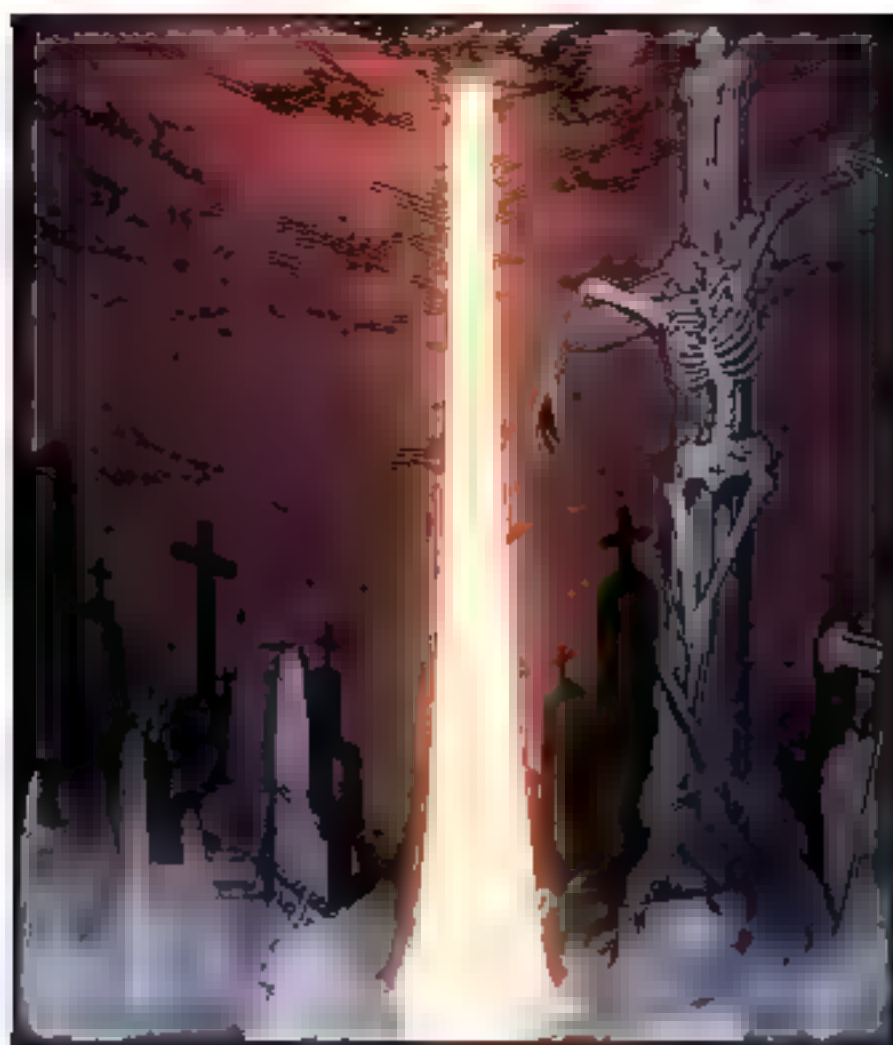
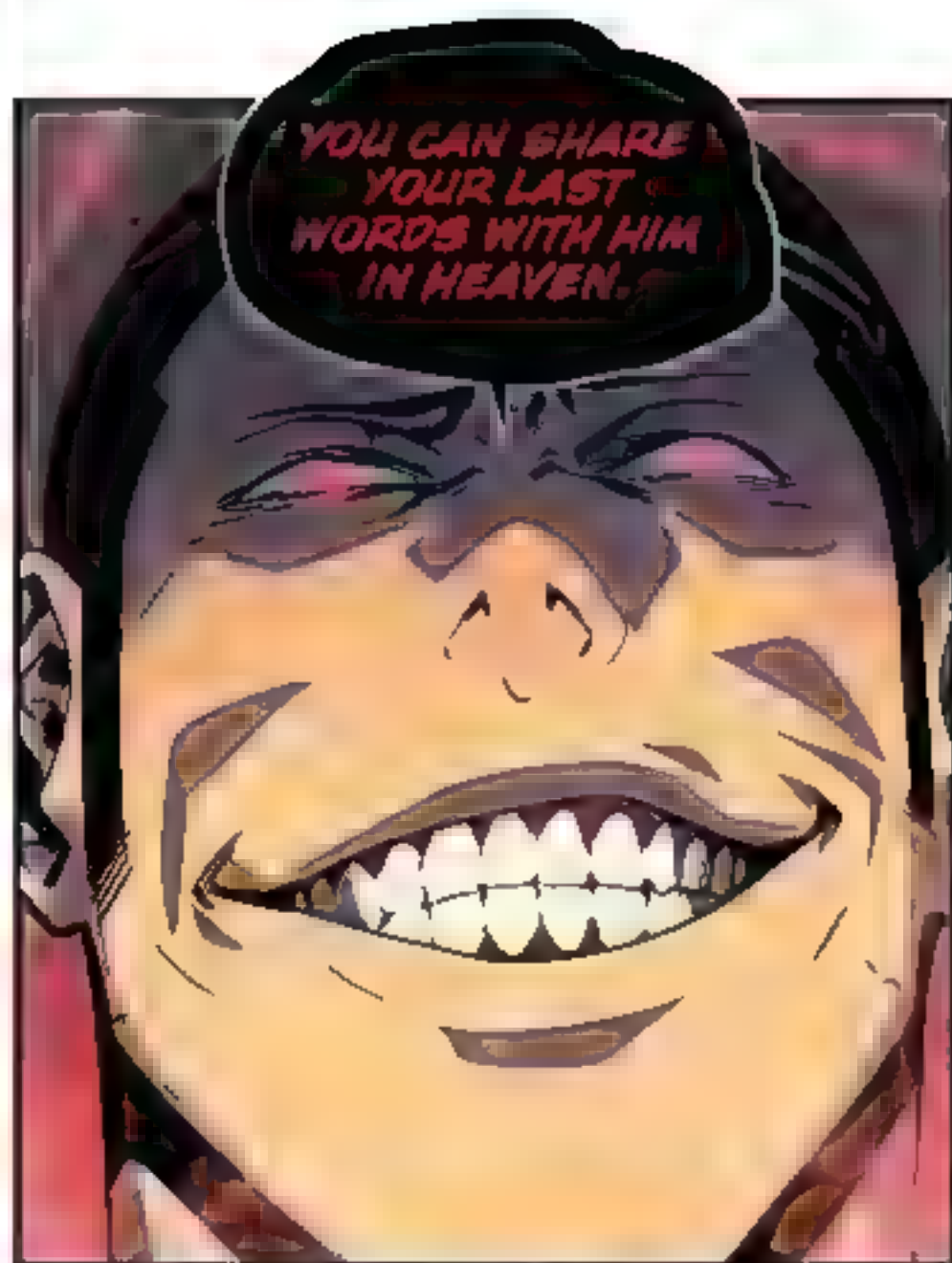
<What?
W-w-
wait!>

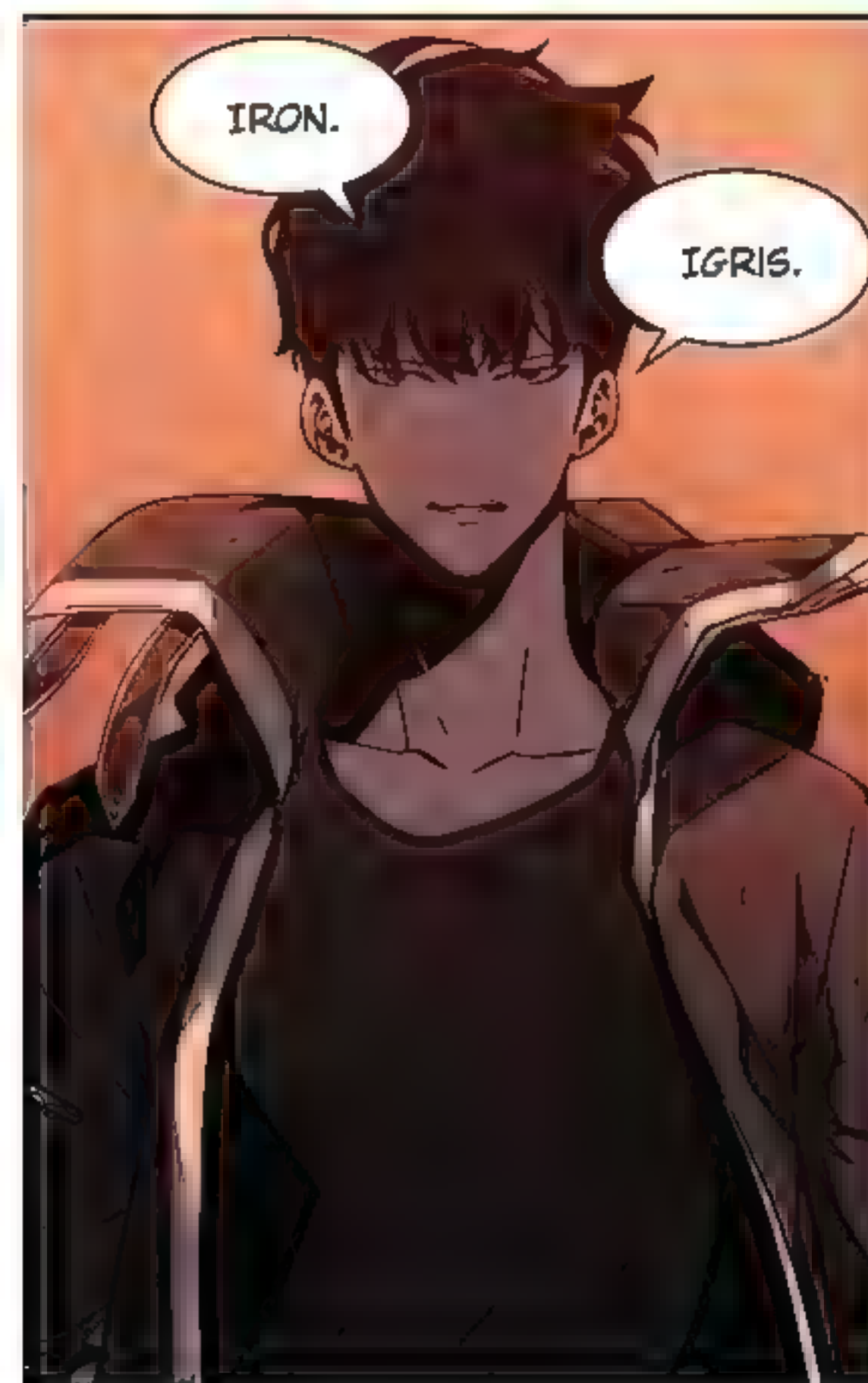
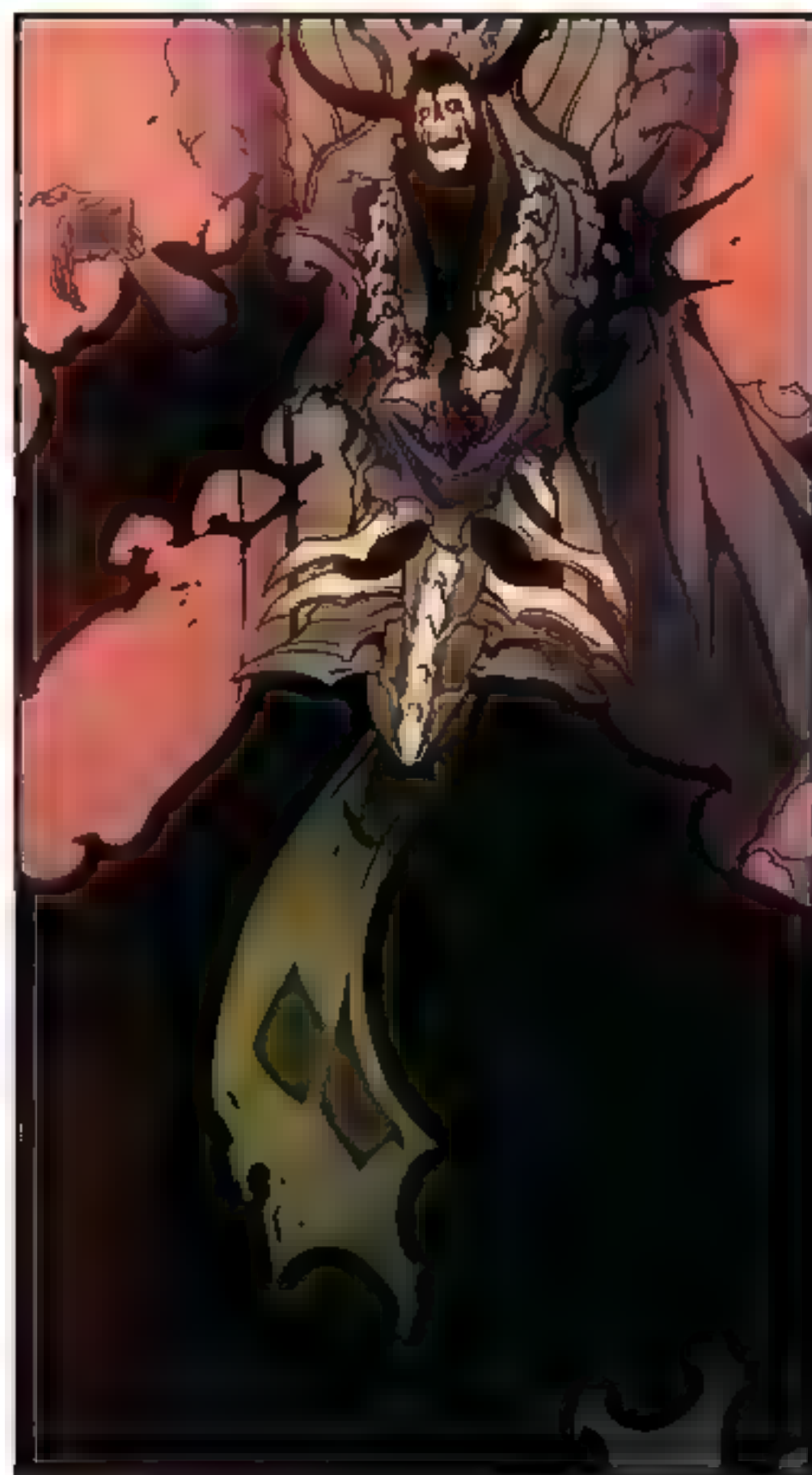
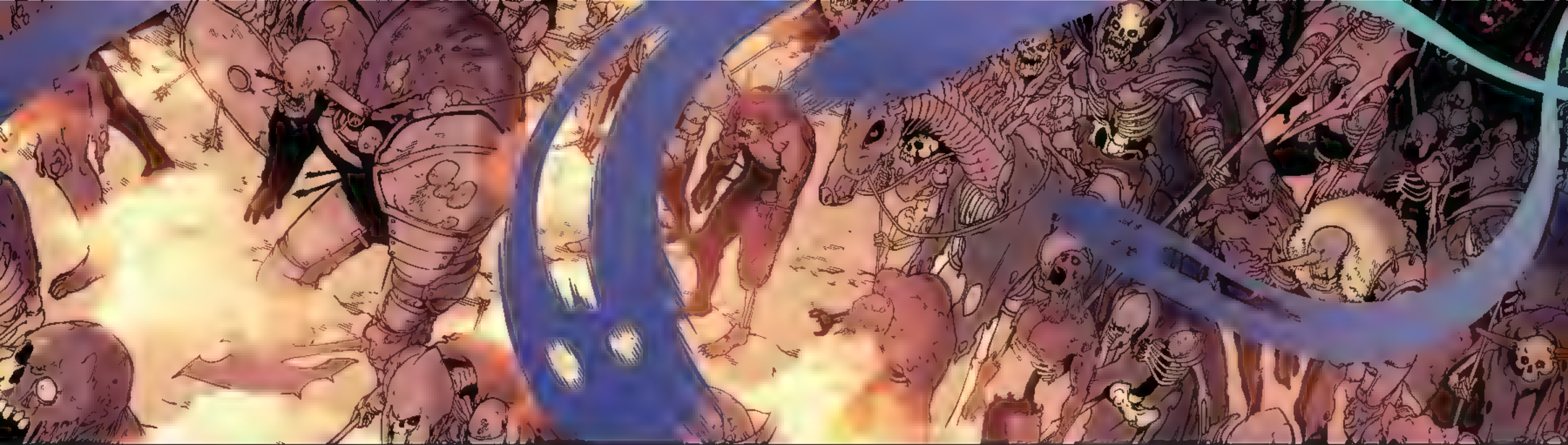


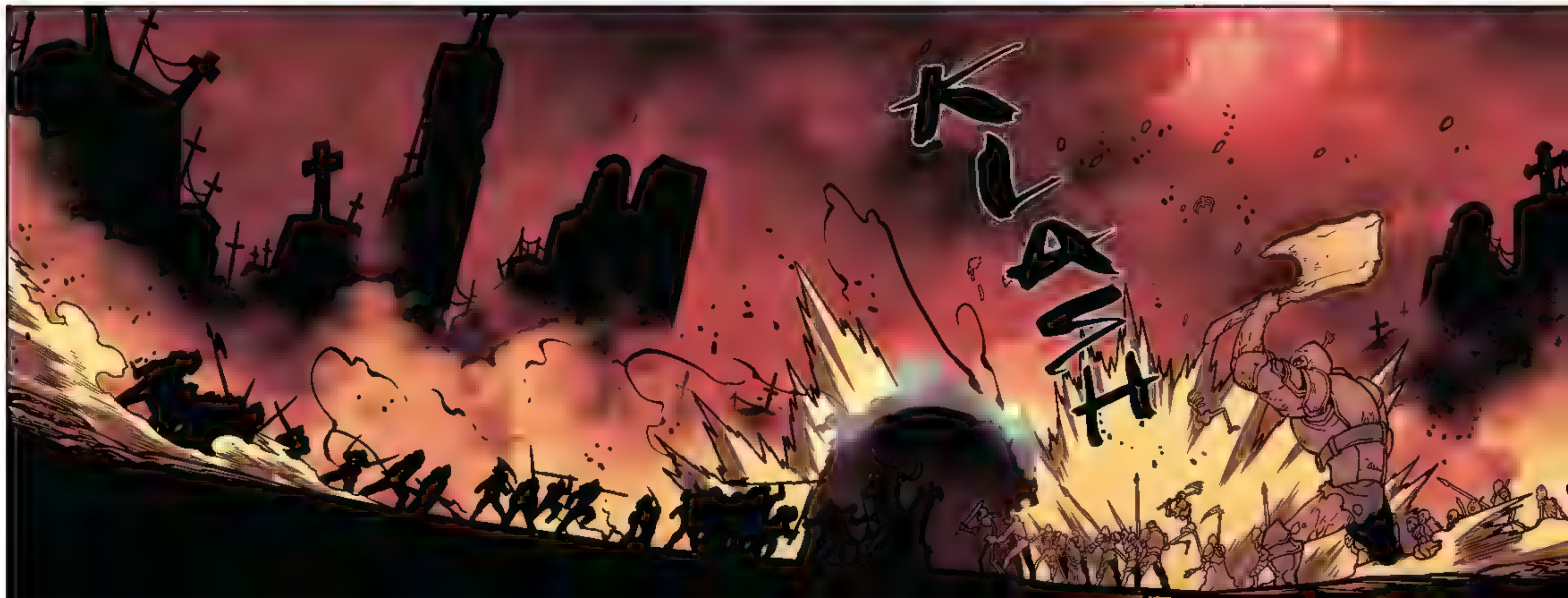
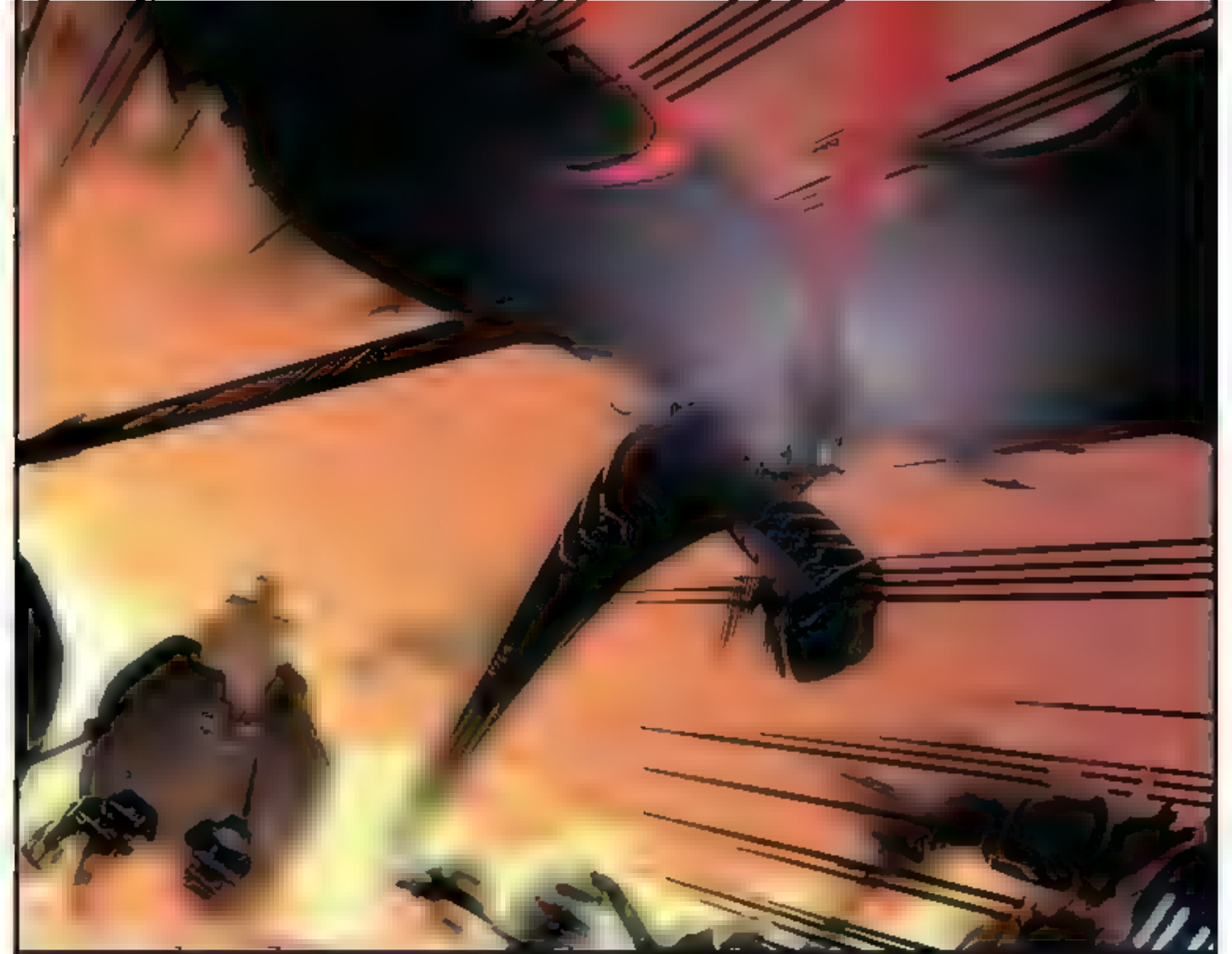
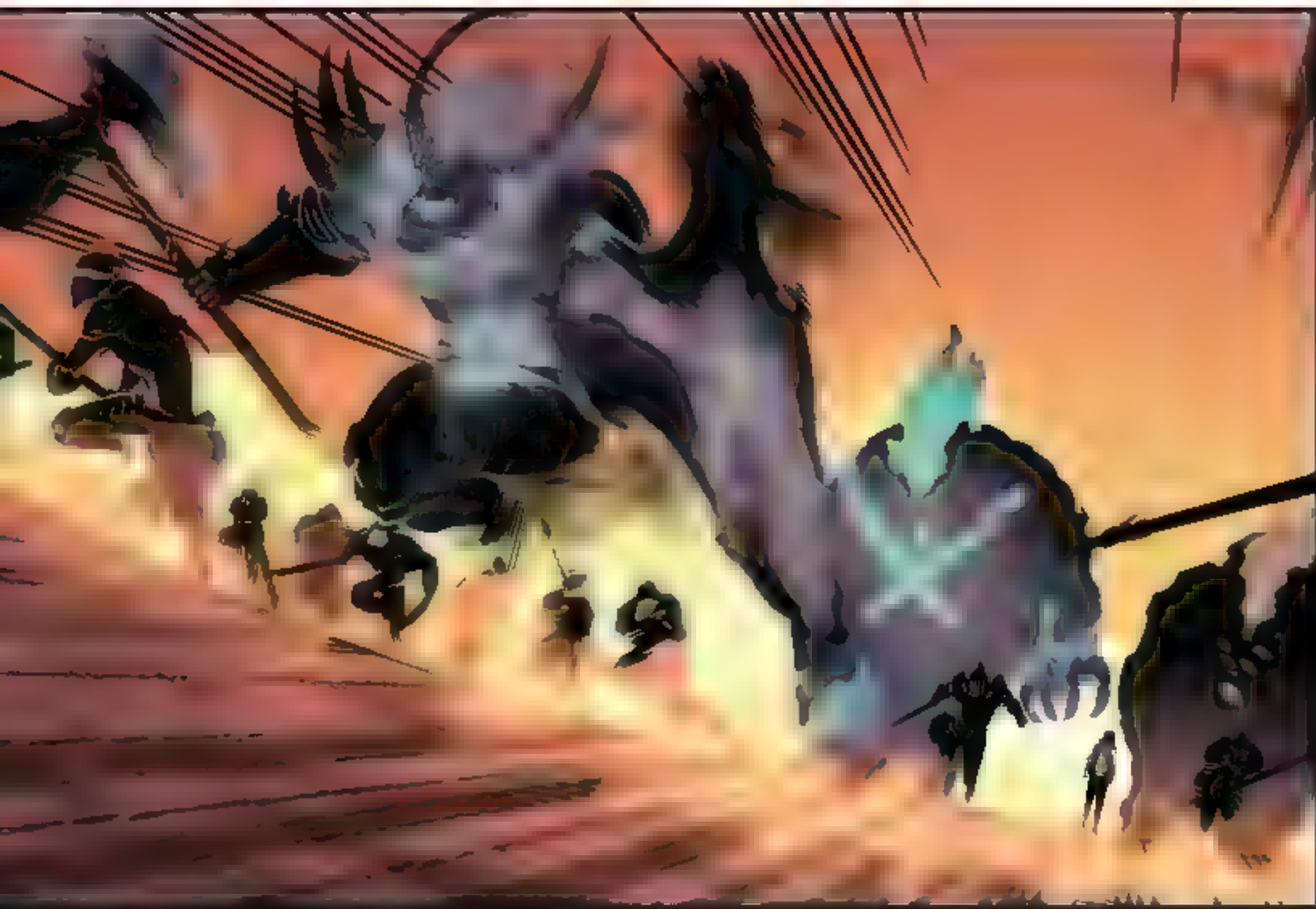
I JUST
CAME BACK
FROM
KOREA.

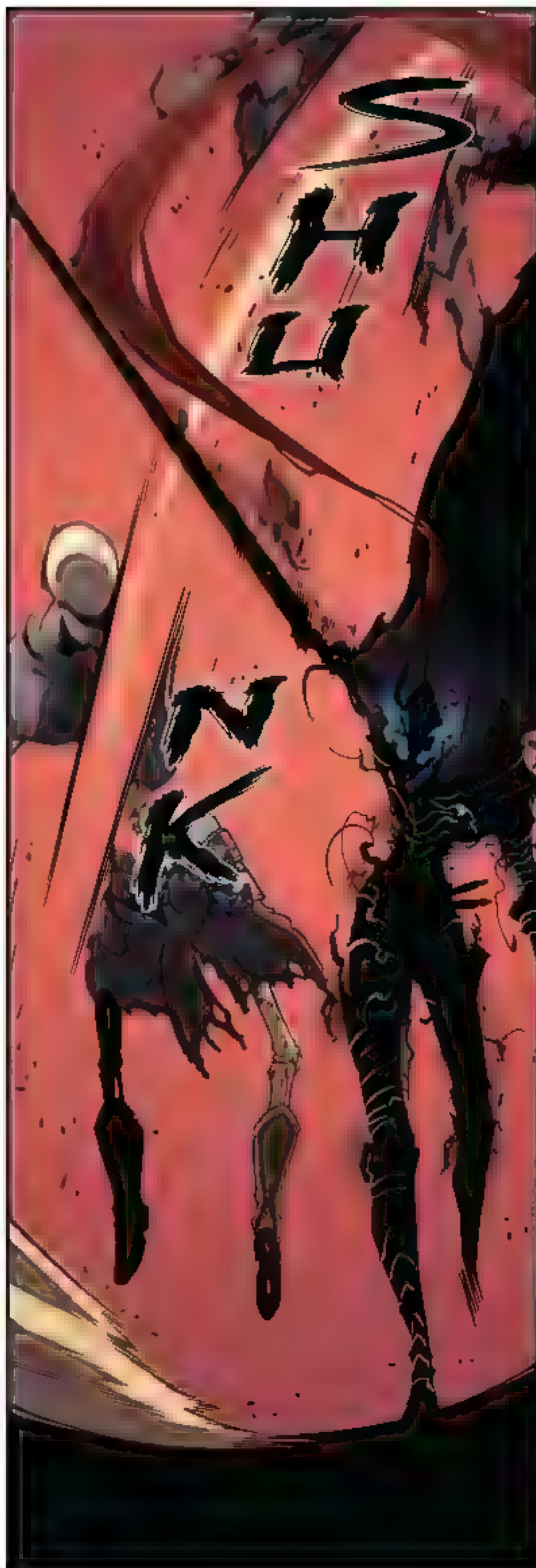
SO I
KNOW EXACTLY
WHAT'S
HAPPENED TO
YOUR SON.

BOOM



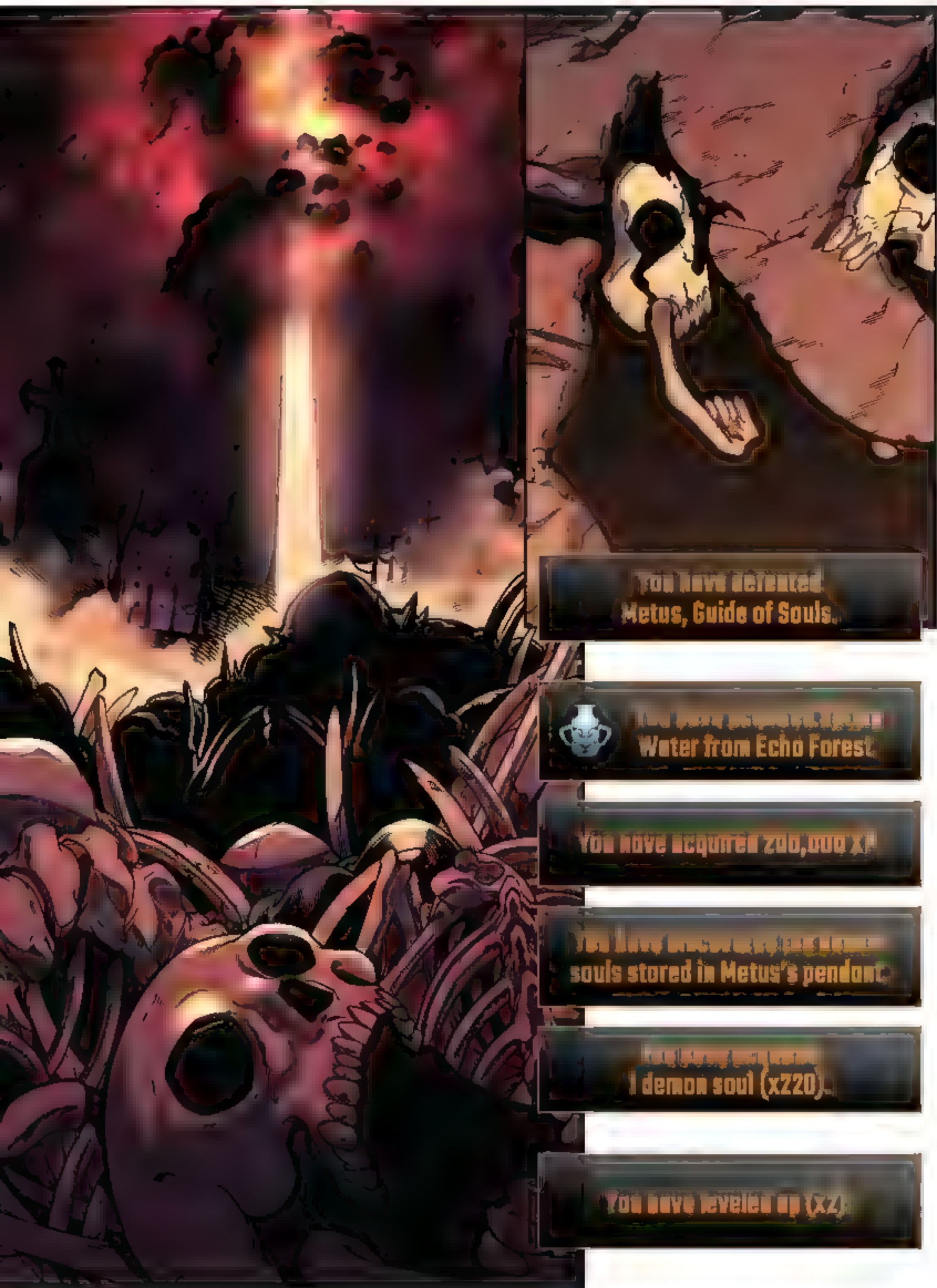












You have defeated
Metus, Guide of Souls.

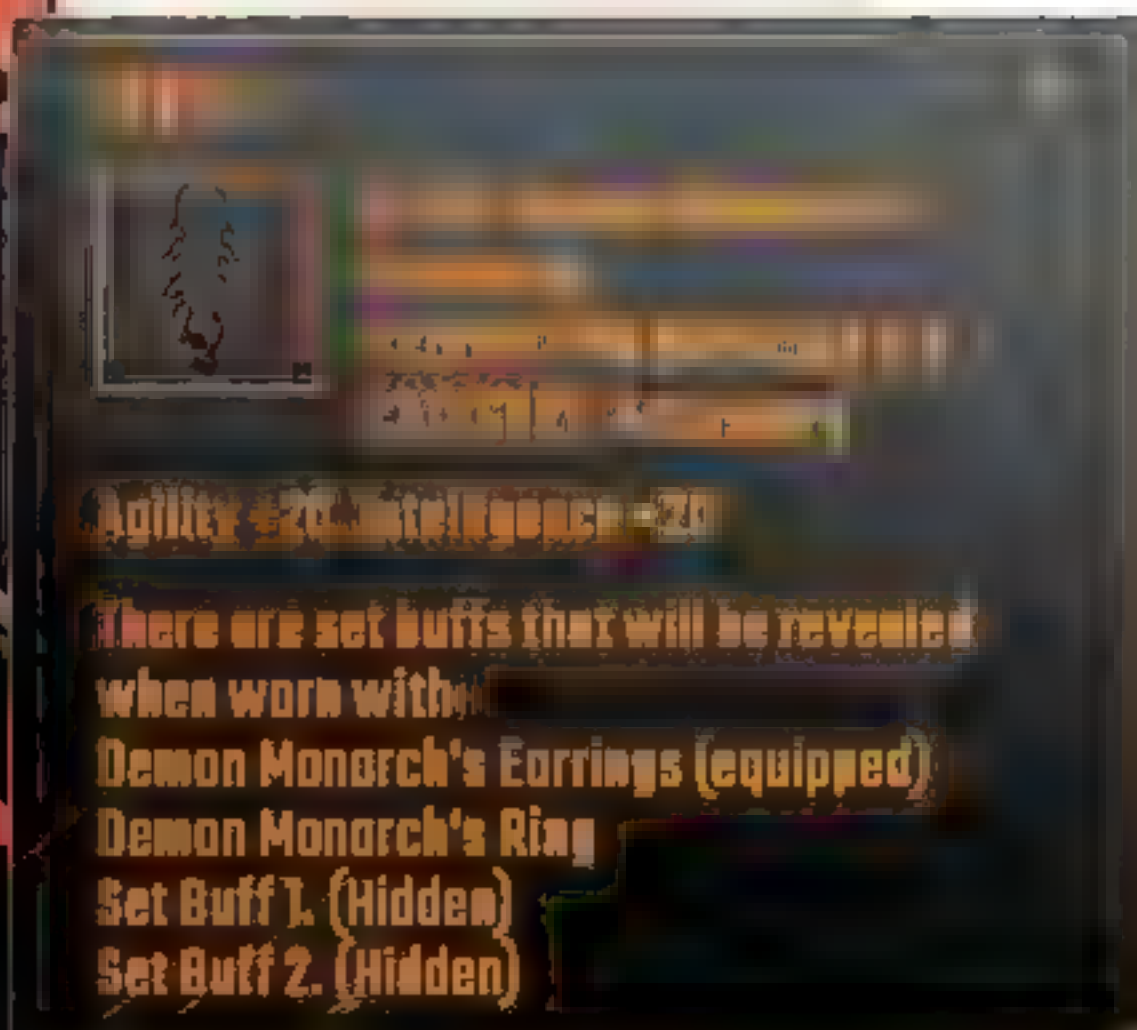
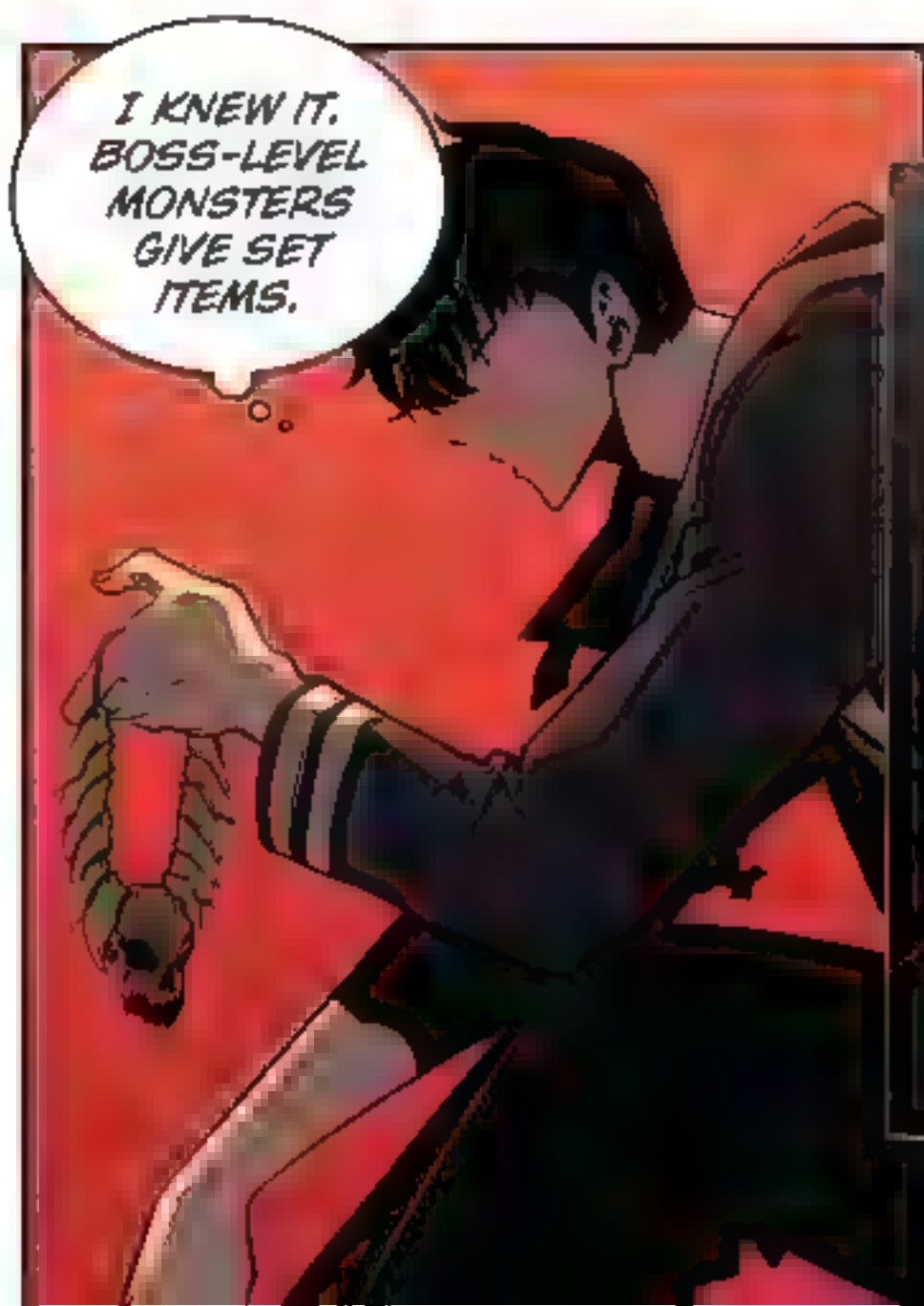
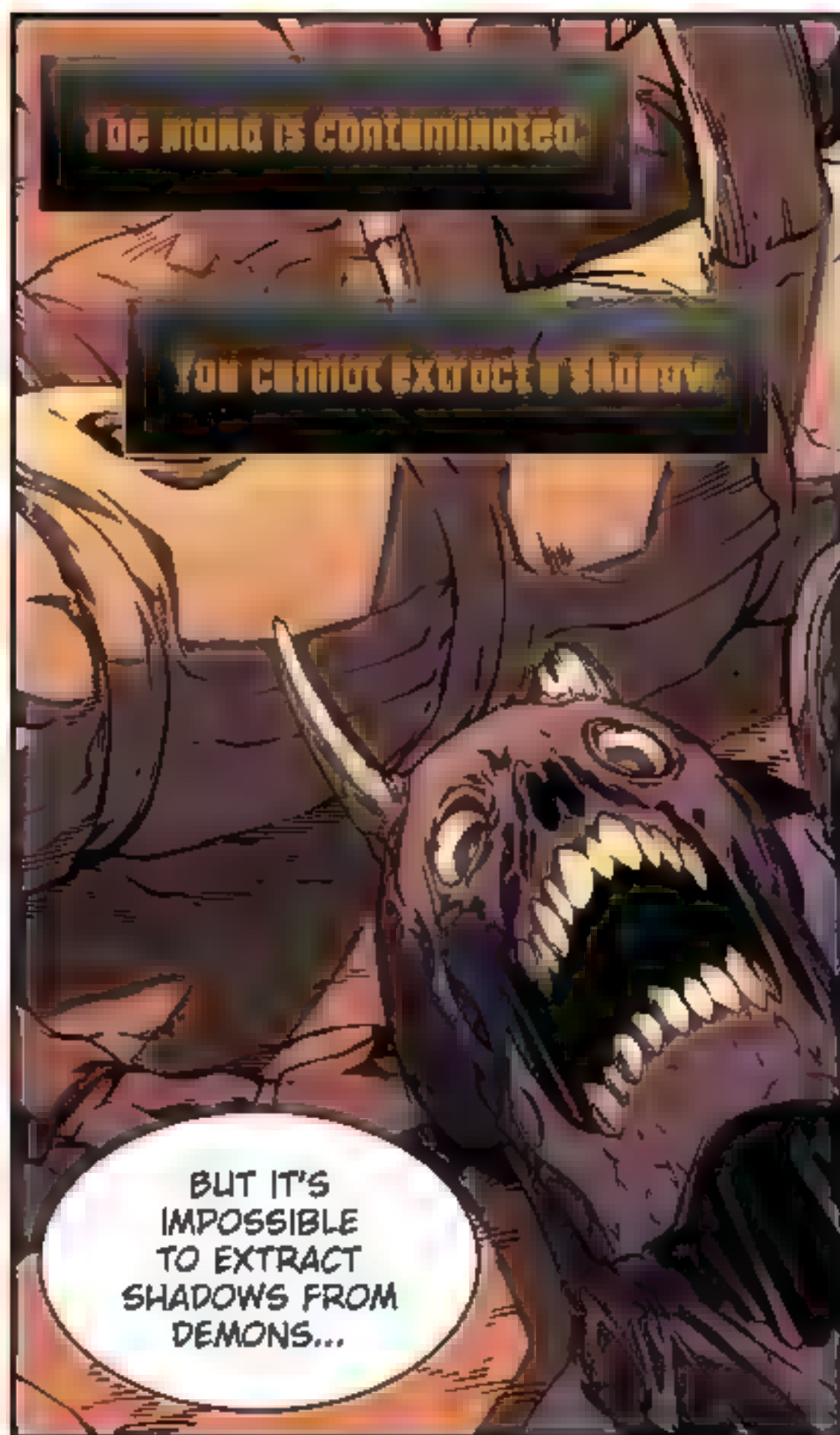
 You have acquired
Water from Echo Forest.

You have acquired 200,000 XP.

You have recovered
souls stored in Metus's pendant.

 You have acquired
1 demon soul (x220).

You have leveled up (x2).





ONLY ONE
BASTARD LEFT
TO COMPLETE
THE SET.

...BUT...



THE SET
BUFF IS THE
SAME AS FIVE
LEVEL-UPS!

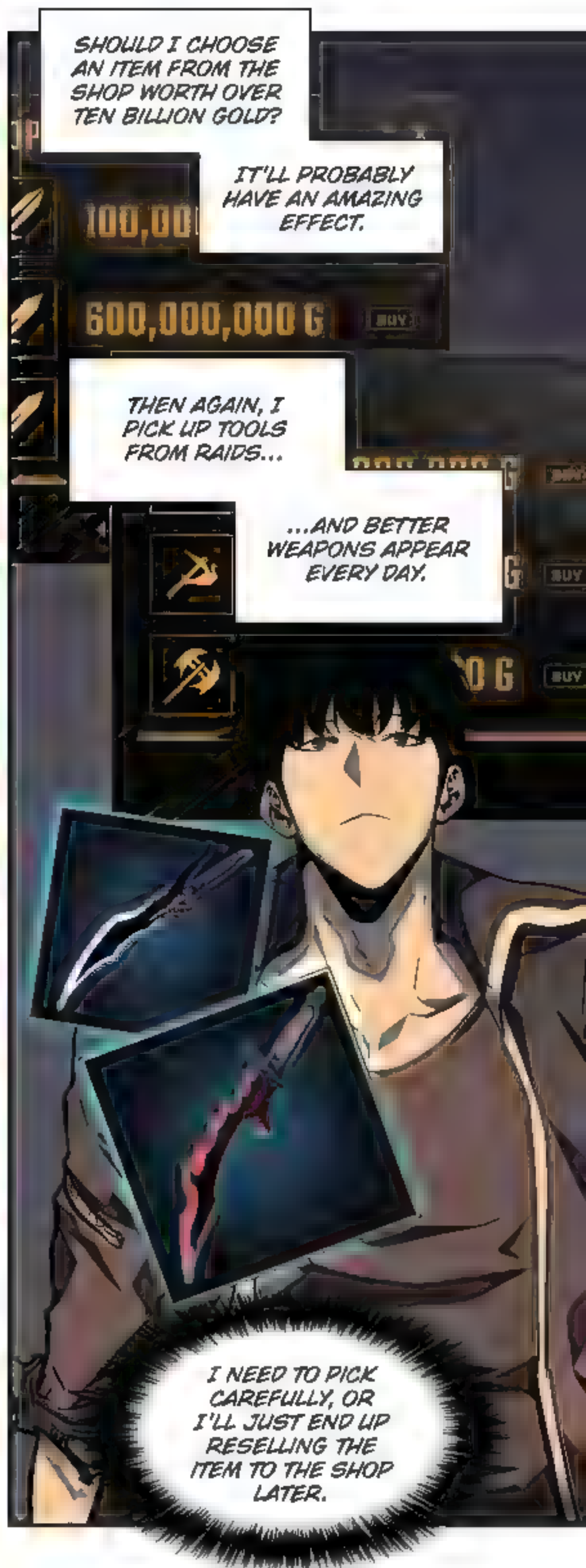
Set Buff 1. All stats +5
Set Buff 2. (Hidden)

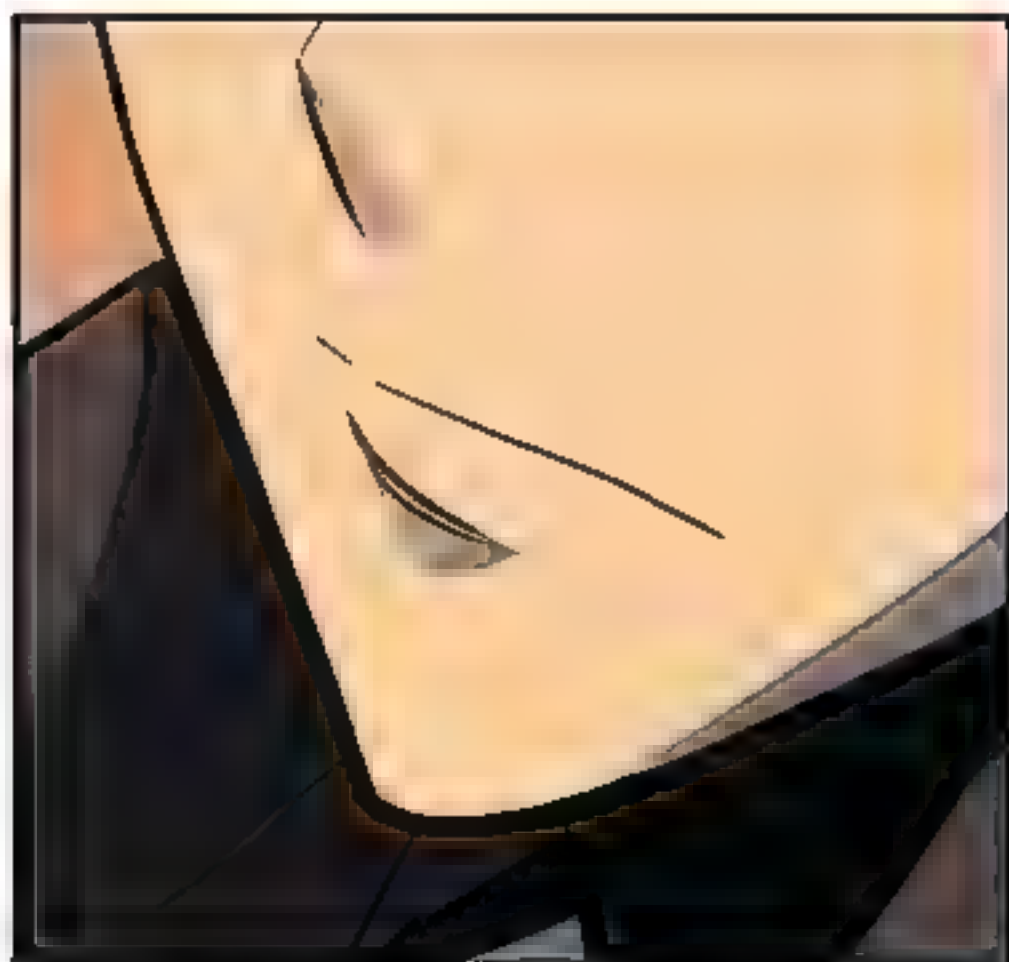
ONLY
ONE ITEM
LEFT...

THAT
MEANS THERE
ARE THREE
BOSS-LEVEL
MONSTERS.

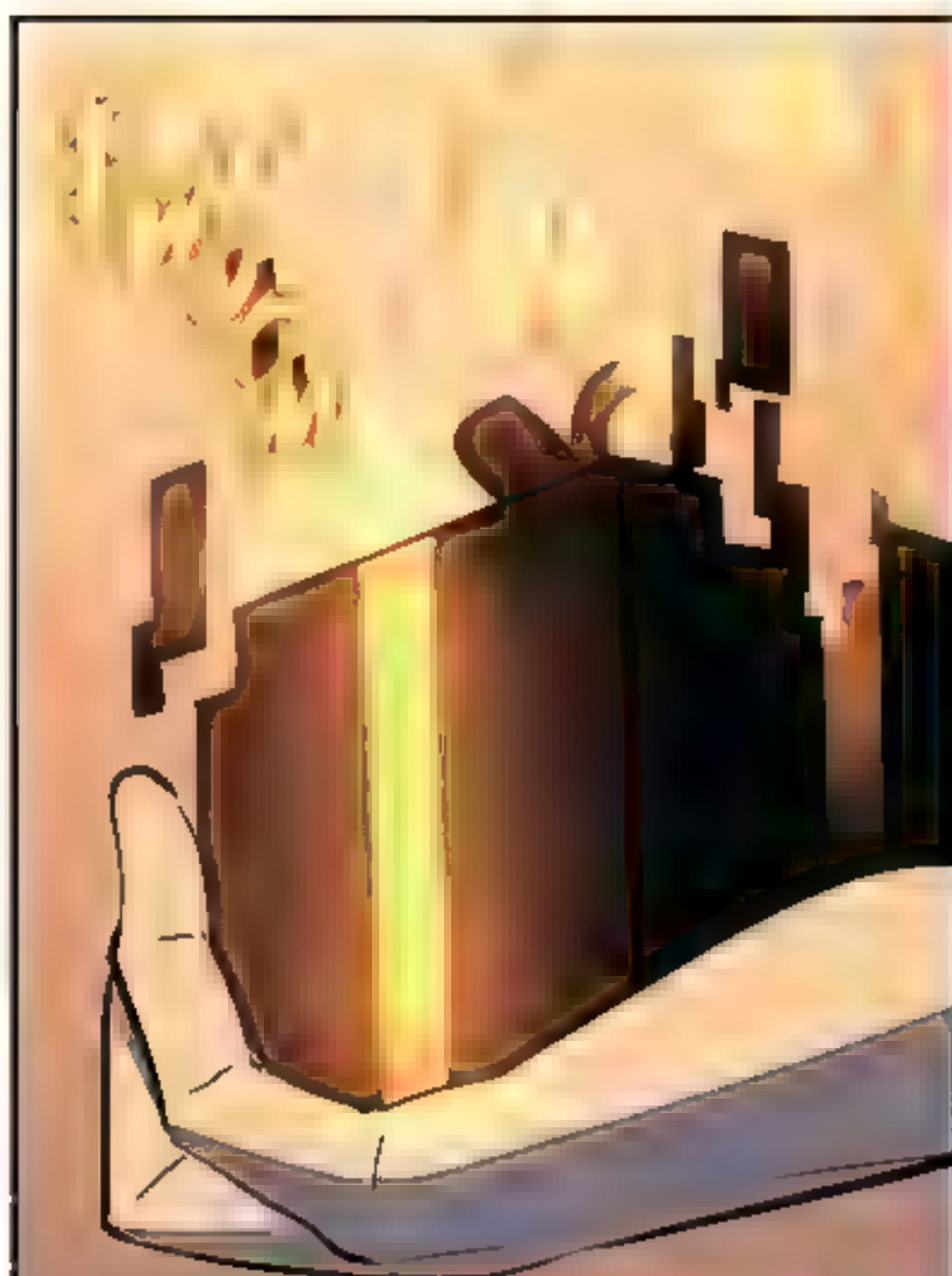


...THE
QUEST IS
OVER.





Which item would
you like?

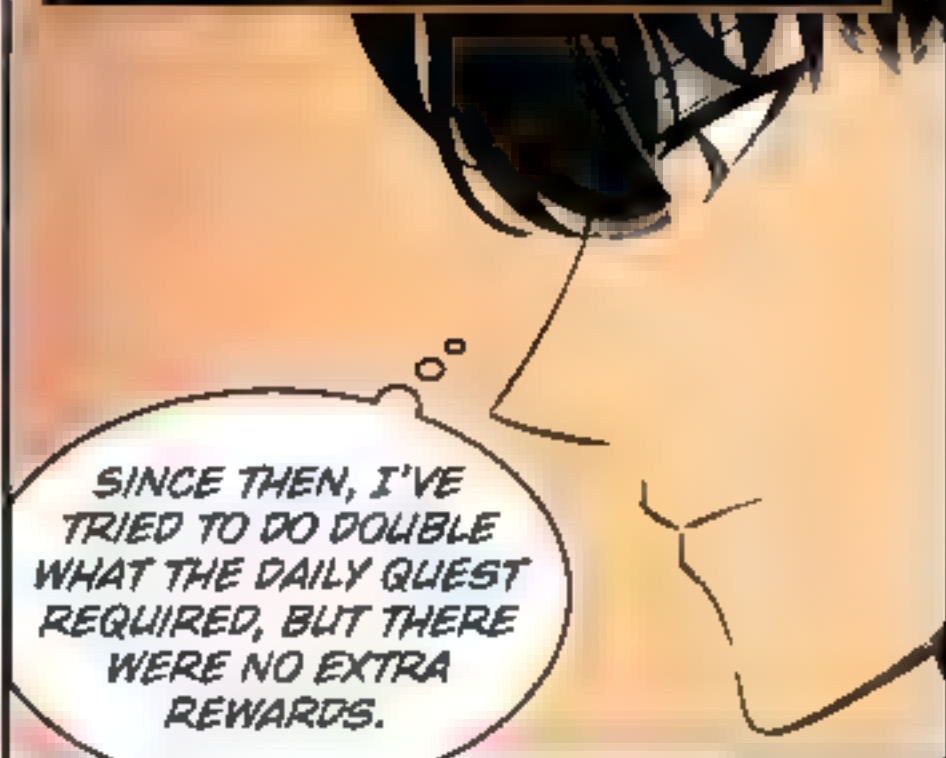


You have selected:
[Item: Cursed Mystery Box]

LAST TIME, I HAD TO
CHOOSE BETWEEN
THE BLESSED
MYSTERY BOX AND
CURSED MYSTERY
BOX.

[Blessed Mystery Box]
It will supply an item
the Player wants.

[Cursed Mystery Box]
It will supply an item
the Player needs.



I GOT THE KEY TO
THE DEMON'S CASTLE
FROM THE BLESSED
MYSTERY BOX.

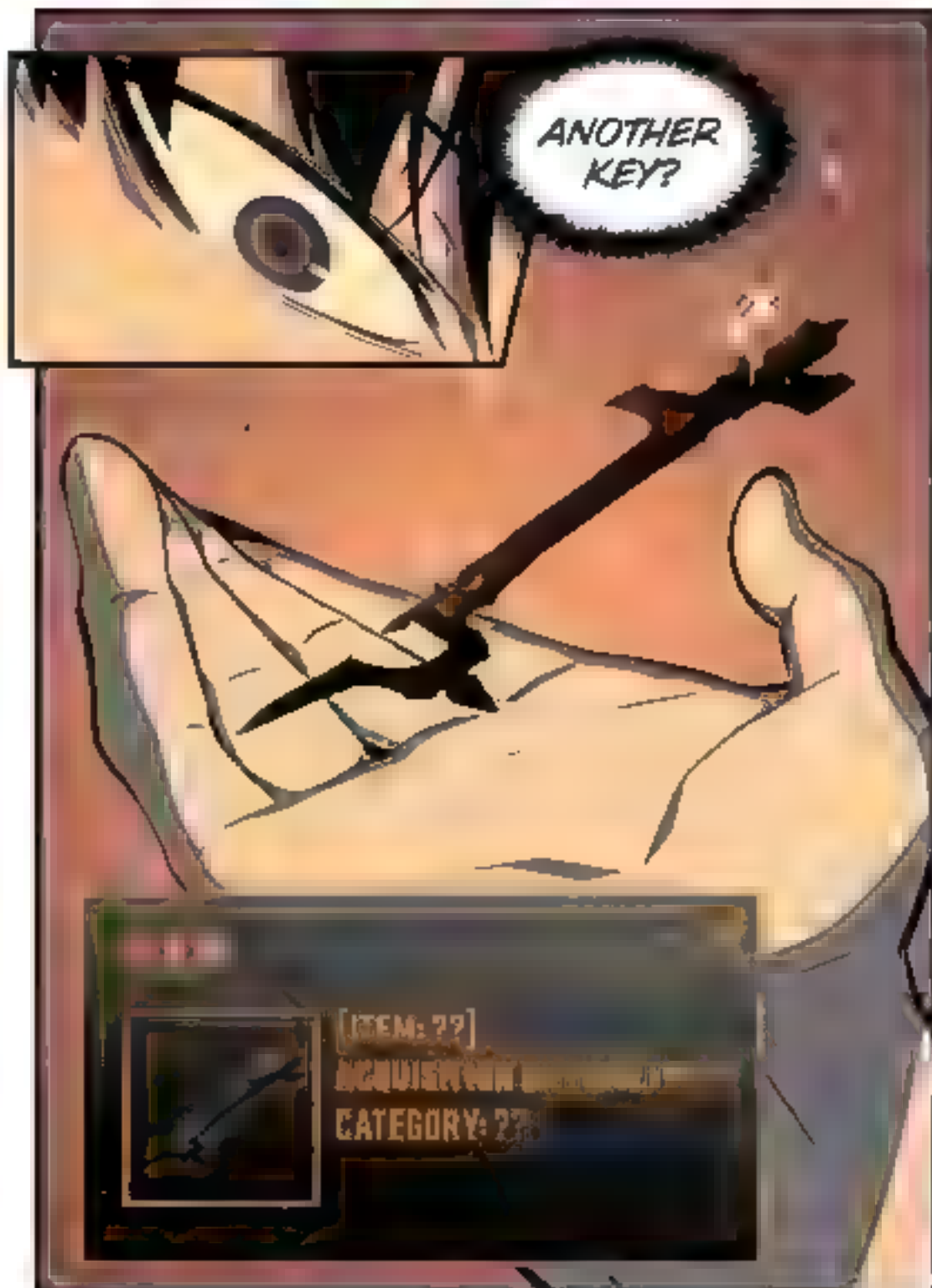
THAT CHOICE
ALLOWED ME TO
LEVEL UP AND
ACQUIRE SOME
RARE ITEMS.



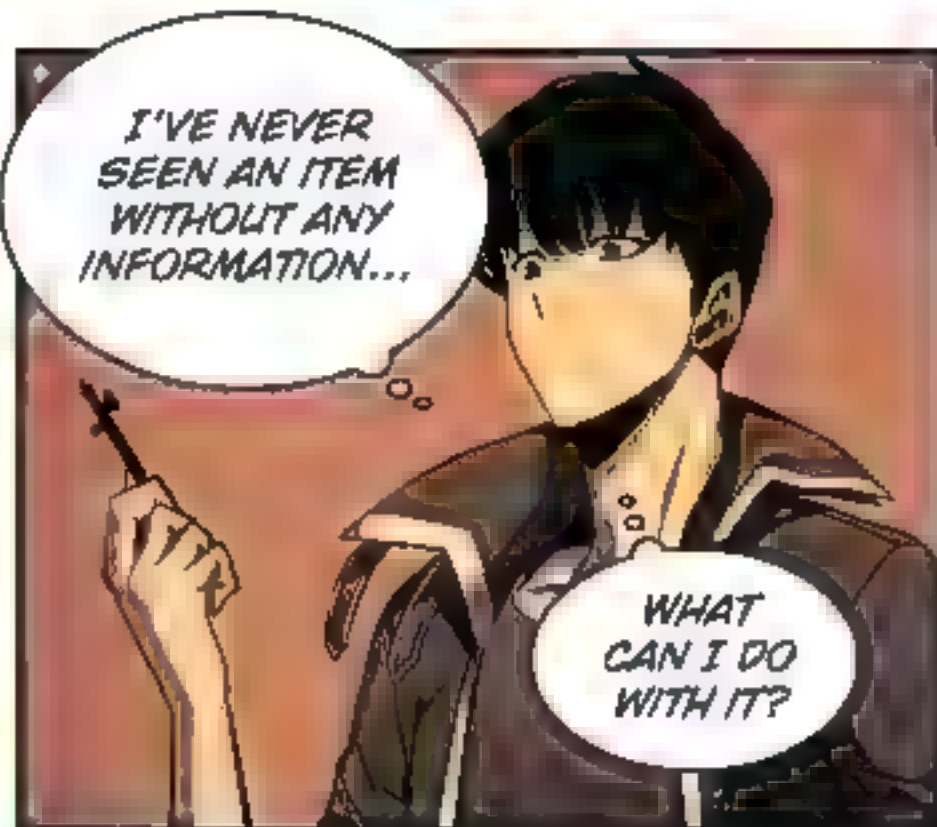
SO
OBVIOUSLY, I'M
CURIOUS ABOUT
WHAT'S IN THE
CURSED MYSTERY
BOX!



ANOTHER
KEY?



I'VE NEVER
SEEN AN ITEM
WITHOUT ANY
INFORMATION...

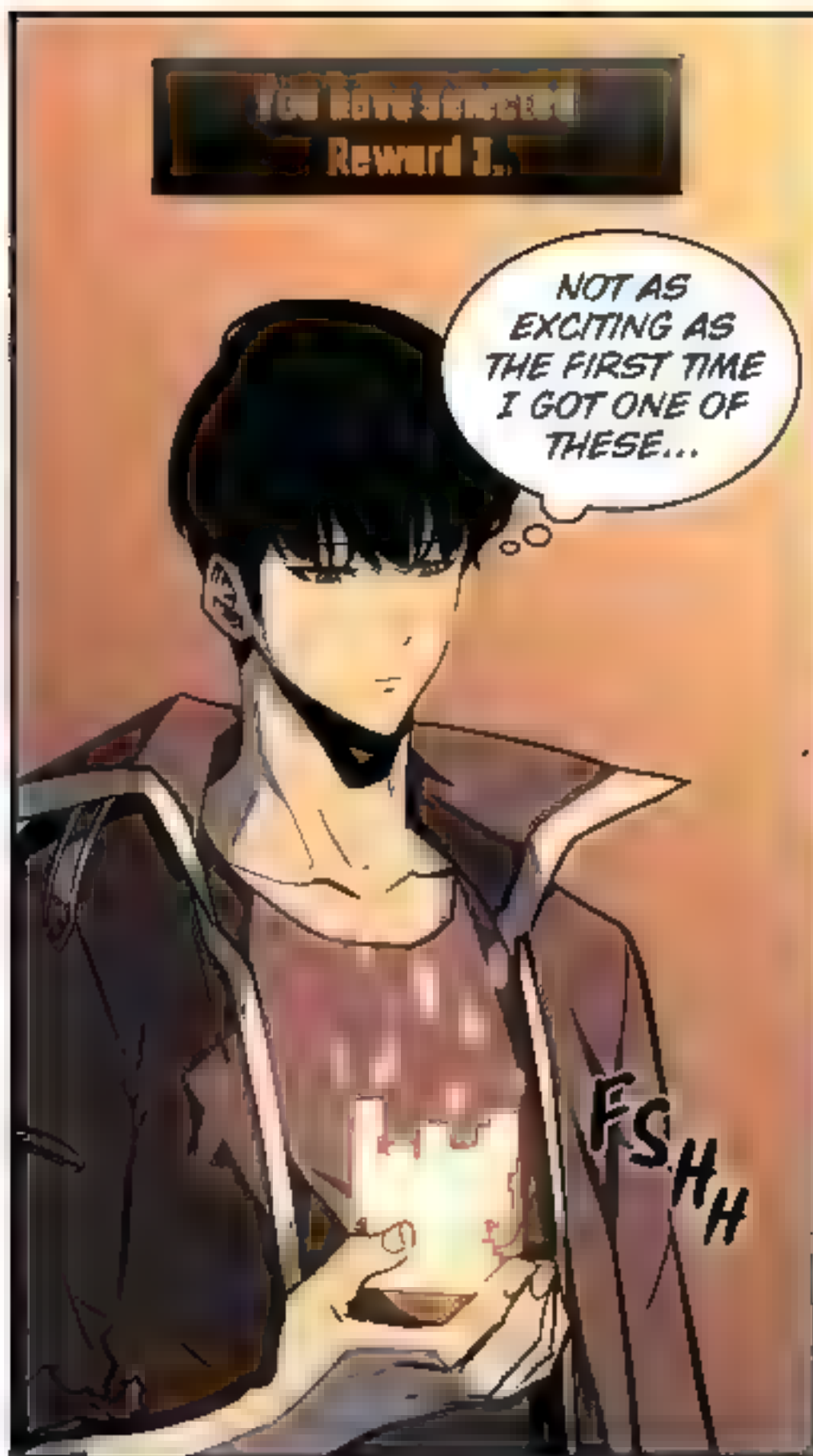
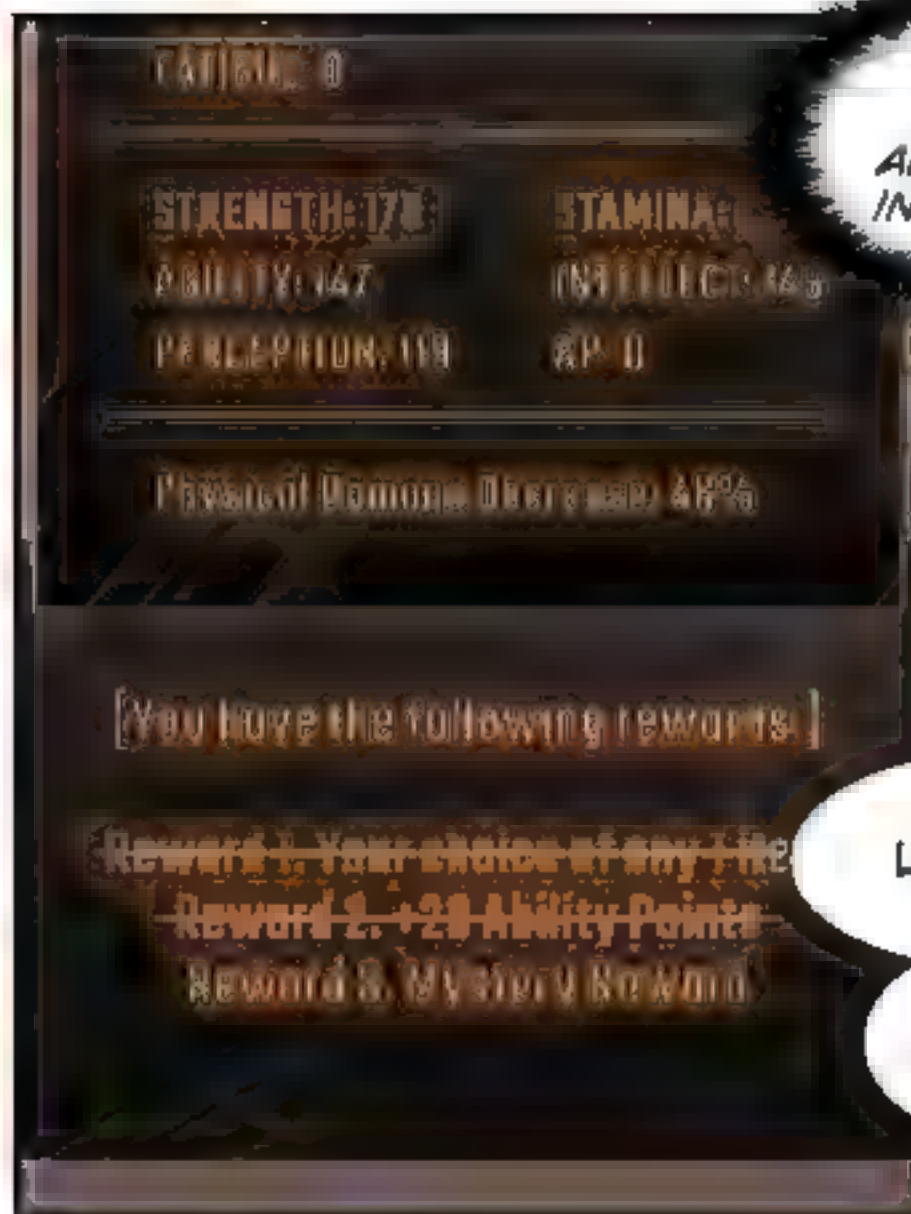
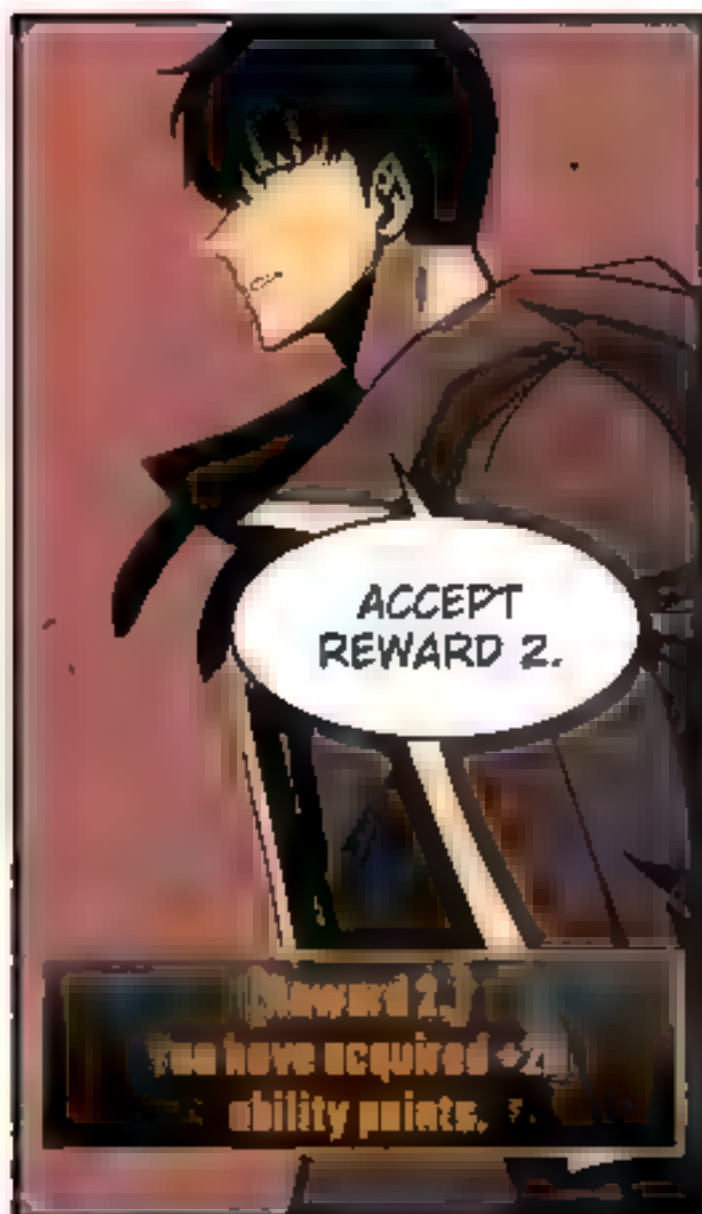


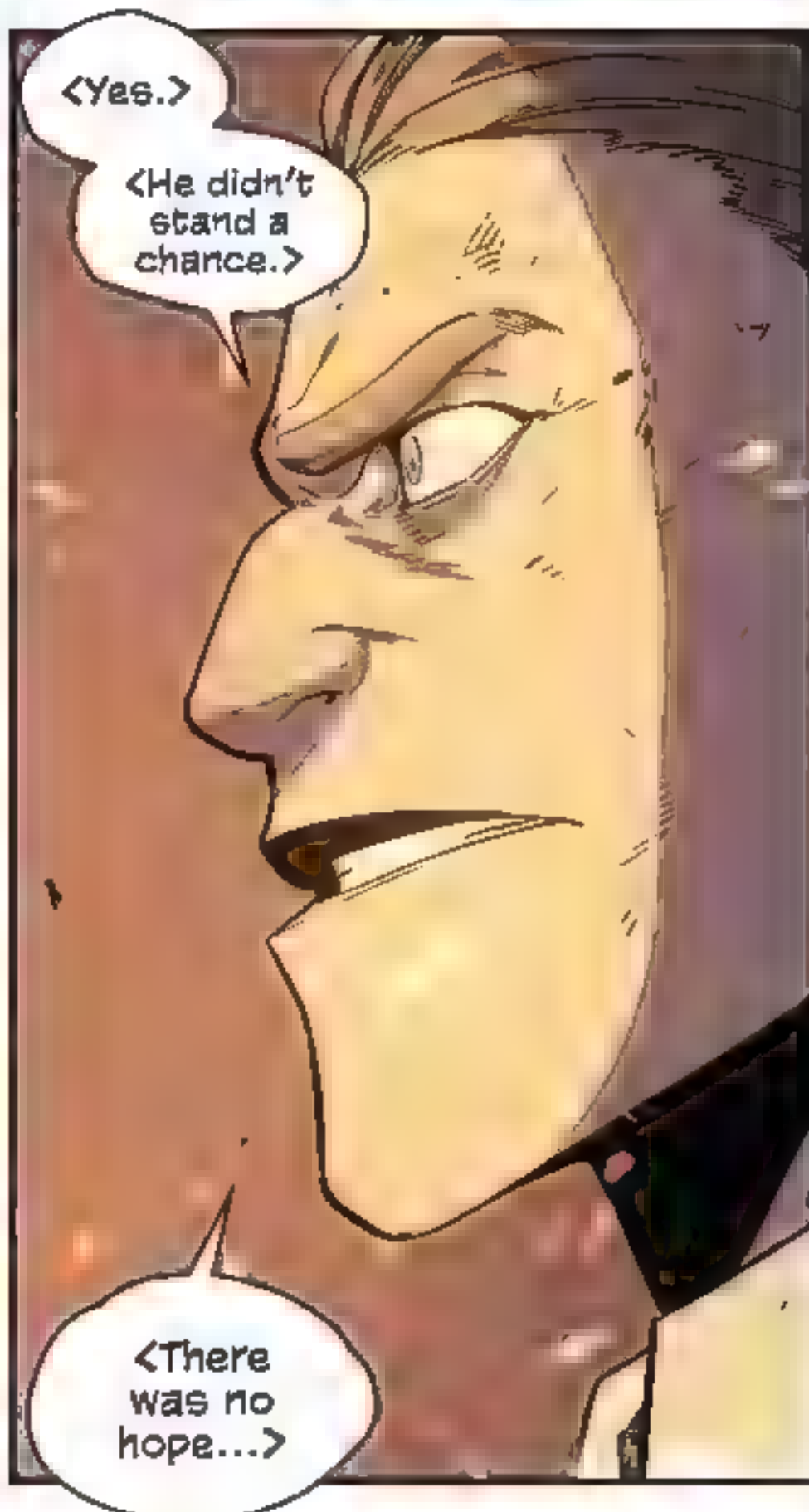
WHAT
CAN I DO
WITH IT?

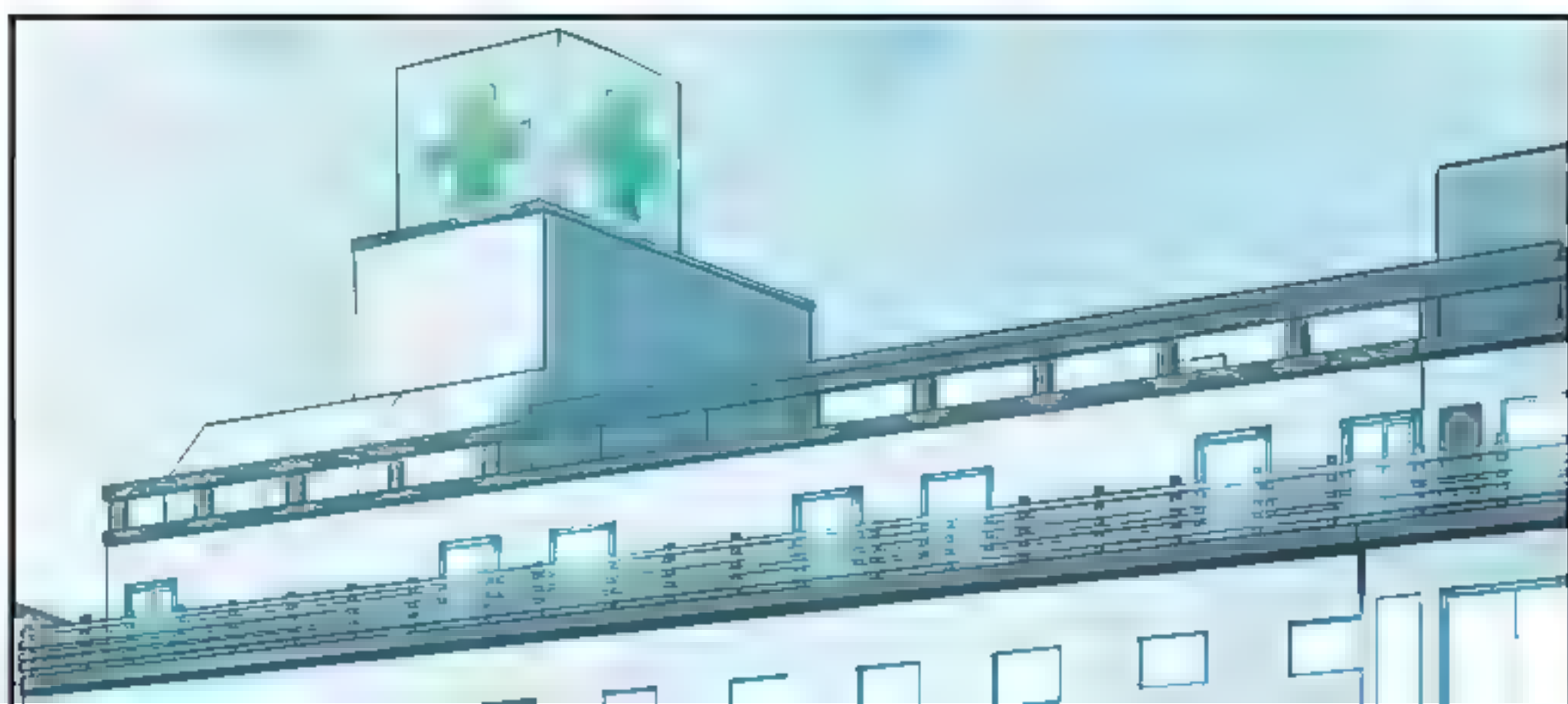
I GUESS
IT'LL COME
IN HANDY AT
SOME POINT.

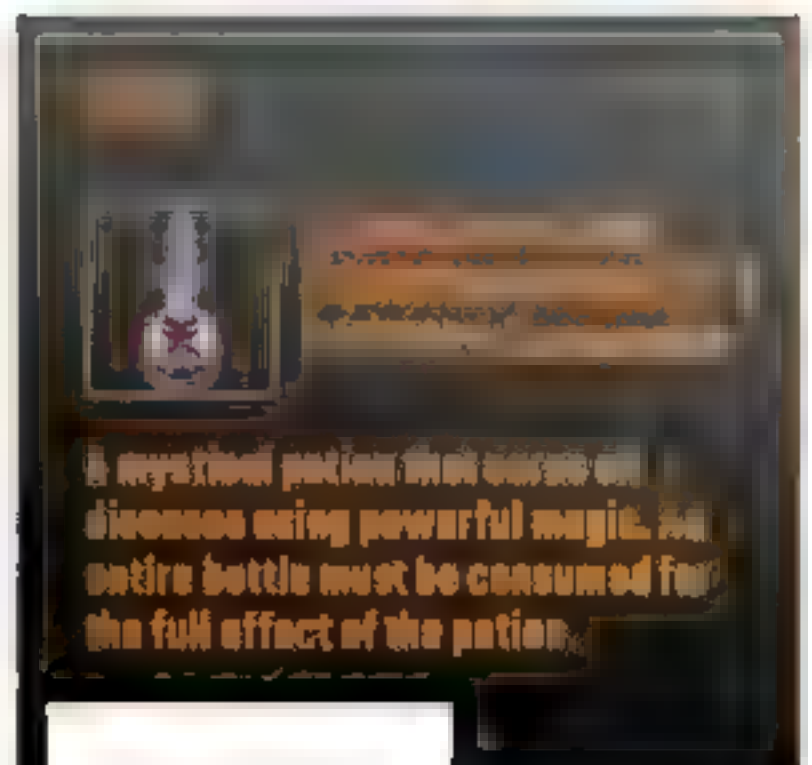
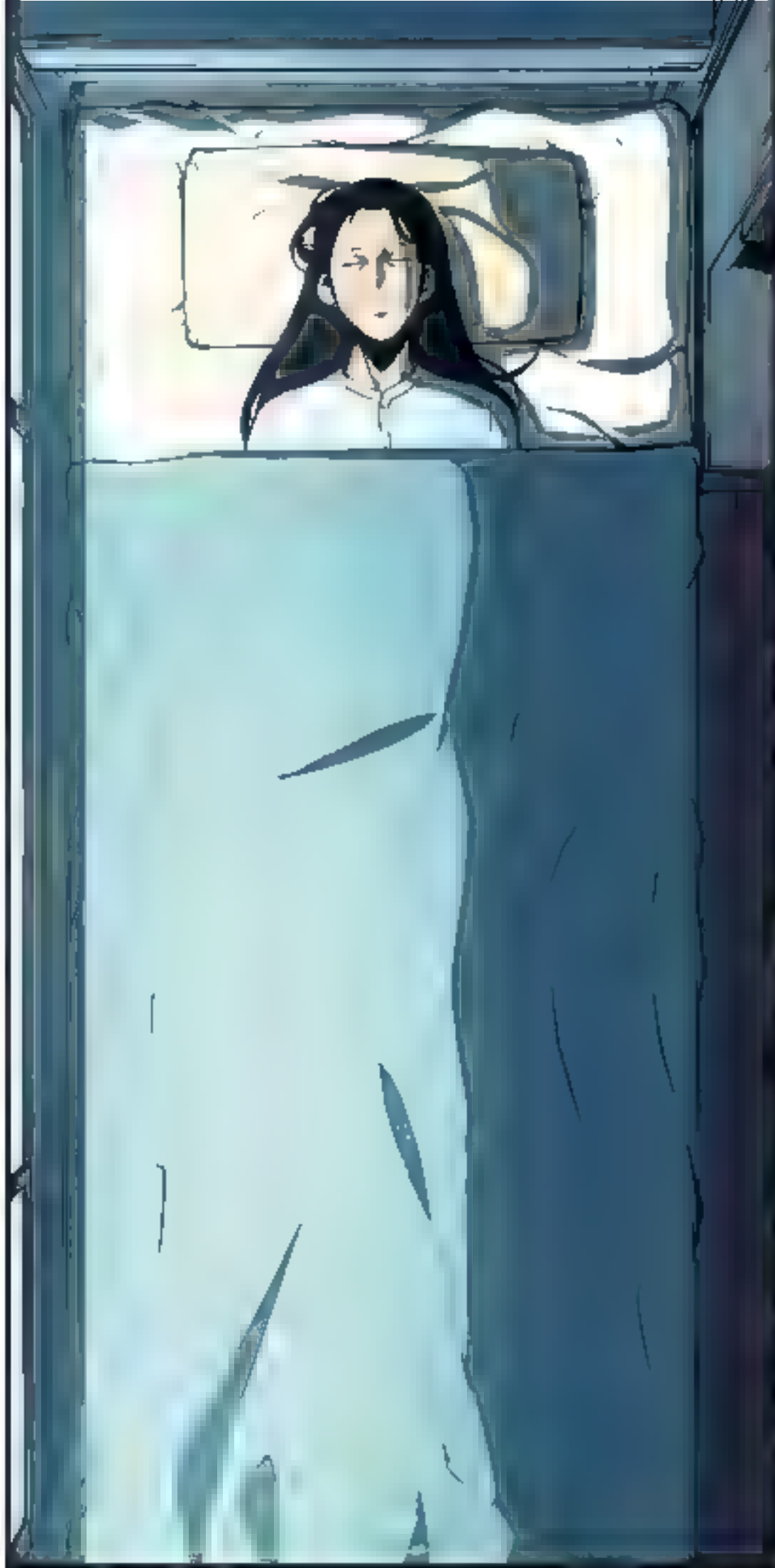


IT SAID THE
CURSED MYSTERY
BOX WILL SUPPLY
WHAT I NEED.



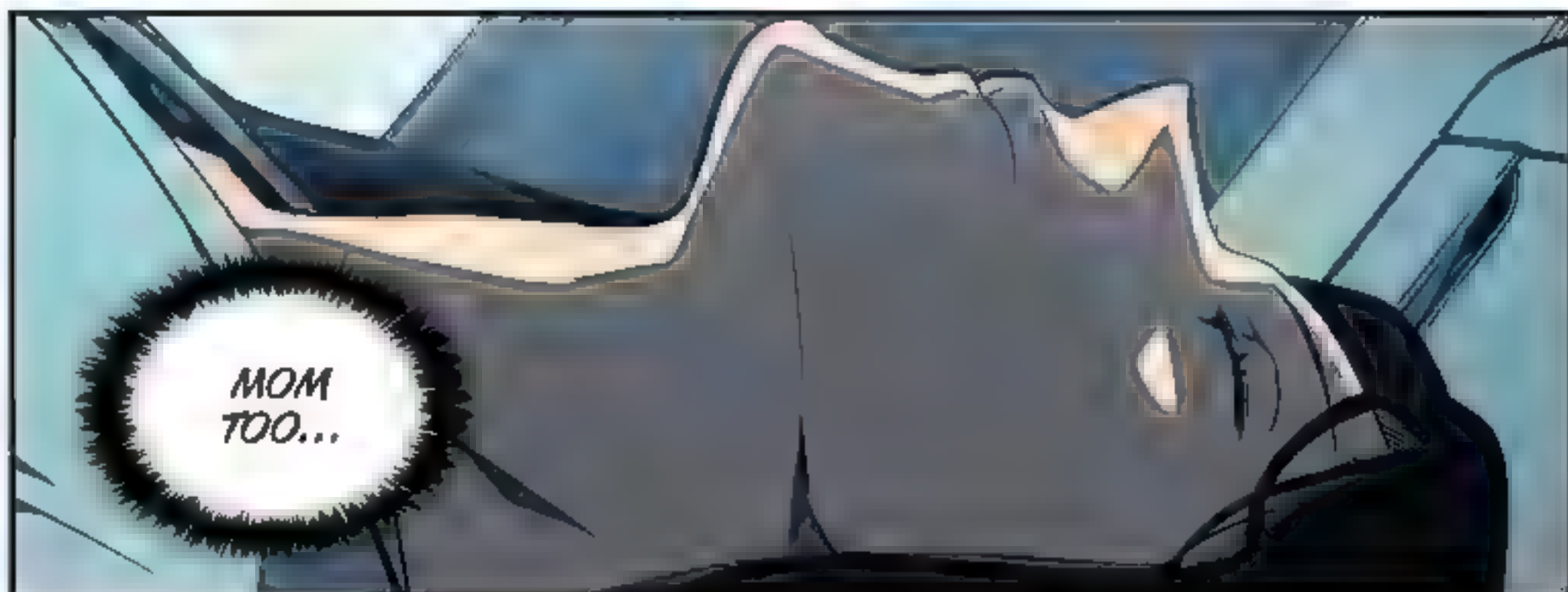






THE THIRD
REWARD—

AN ITEM
THAT CAN
HEAL ALL...



MOM
TOO...

THREE ITEMS
ARE NEEDED
TO CRAFT
ELIXIR OF LIFE.

Consumable: Elixir of Life (2/3)

I WAS ABLE TO
GET WORLD TREE
FRAGMENT FROM
KILLING VULCAN ON
THE 50TH FLOOR.

I GOT SPRING WATER
FROM ECHO FOREST
BY DEFEATING METUS
ON THE 75TH FLOOR.

AND
FINALLY...

...PURIFIED
BLOOD OF
THE DEMON
MONARCH.

I HAVEN'T
GOTTEN IT YET,
BUT IT'S OBVIOUS
WHERE I'LL
FIND IT.

THE
HIGHEST
FLOOR.

THE FINAL
BOSS OF THE
DEMON'S CASTLE
ON THE LAST
FLOOR—

IN OTHER
WORDS, I'LL HAVE
ALL THE INGREDIENTS
FOR ELIXIR OF
LIFE ONCE I CLEAR
THE DEMON'S
CASTLE.



I LEVELED
UP SIXTEEN TIMES
DURING MY WEEK
INSIDE THE DEMON'S
CASTLE.

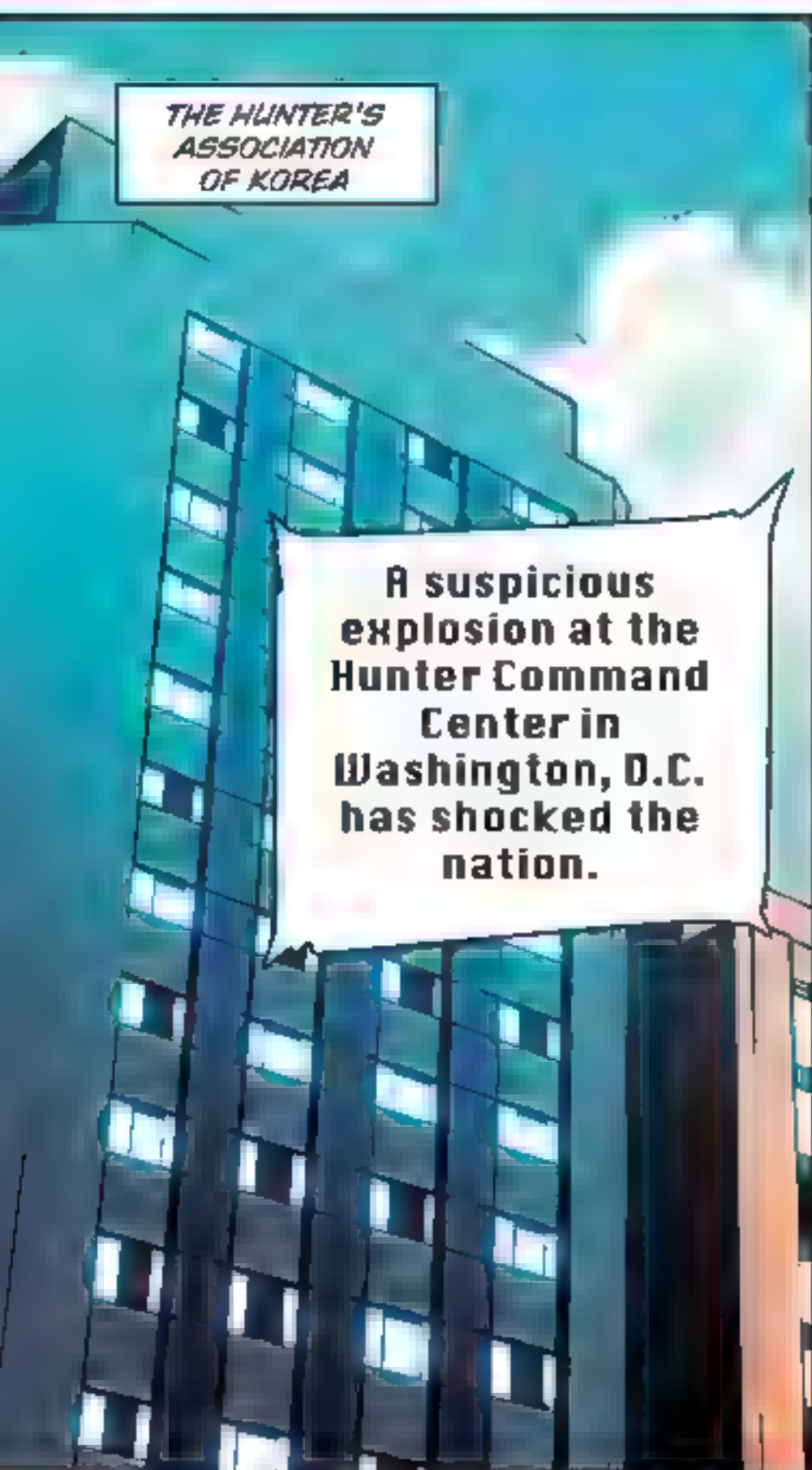
I'M NOT
AFRAID OF
ANYTHING NOW
I'M S-RANK.



PLEASE
WAIT FOR
ME, MOM.

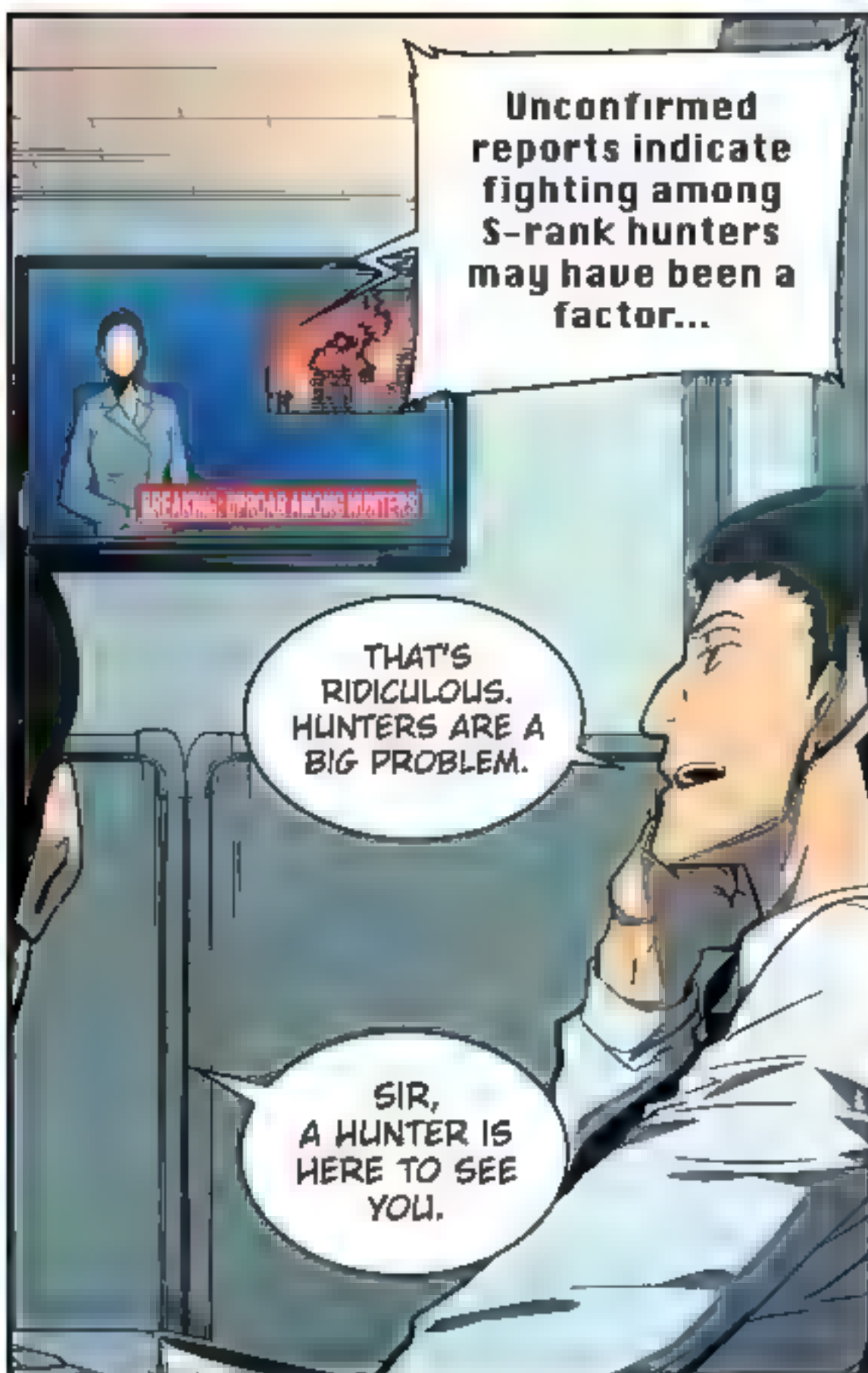
SOON...

...I NEED TO
STOP FAKING
I'M A LOW-
RANK.



THE HUNTER'S
ASSOCIATION
OF KOREA

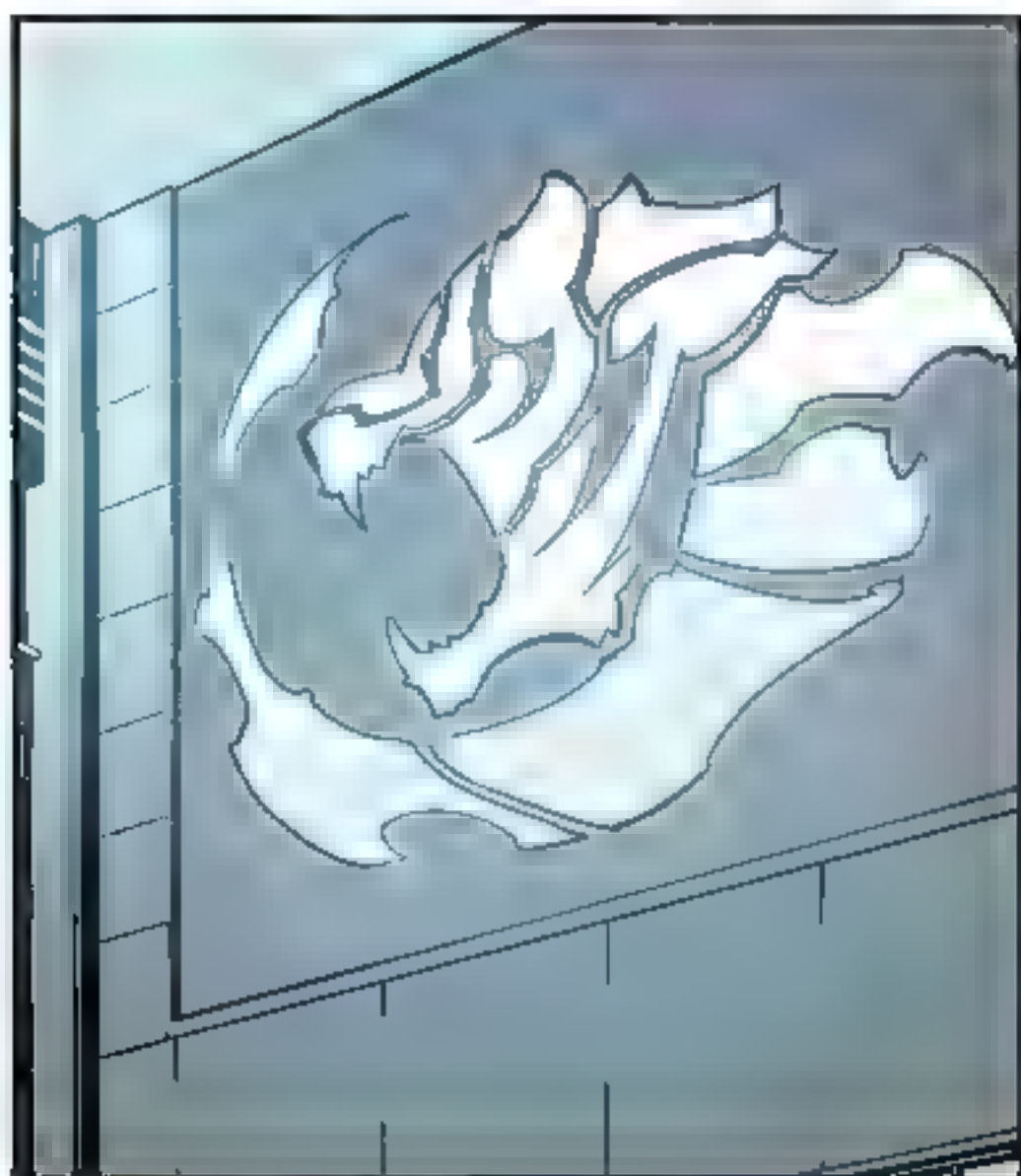
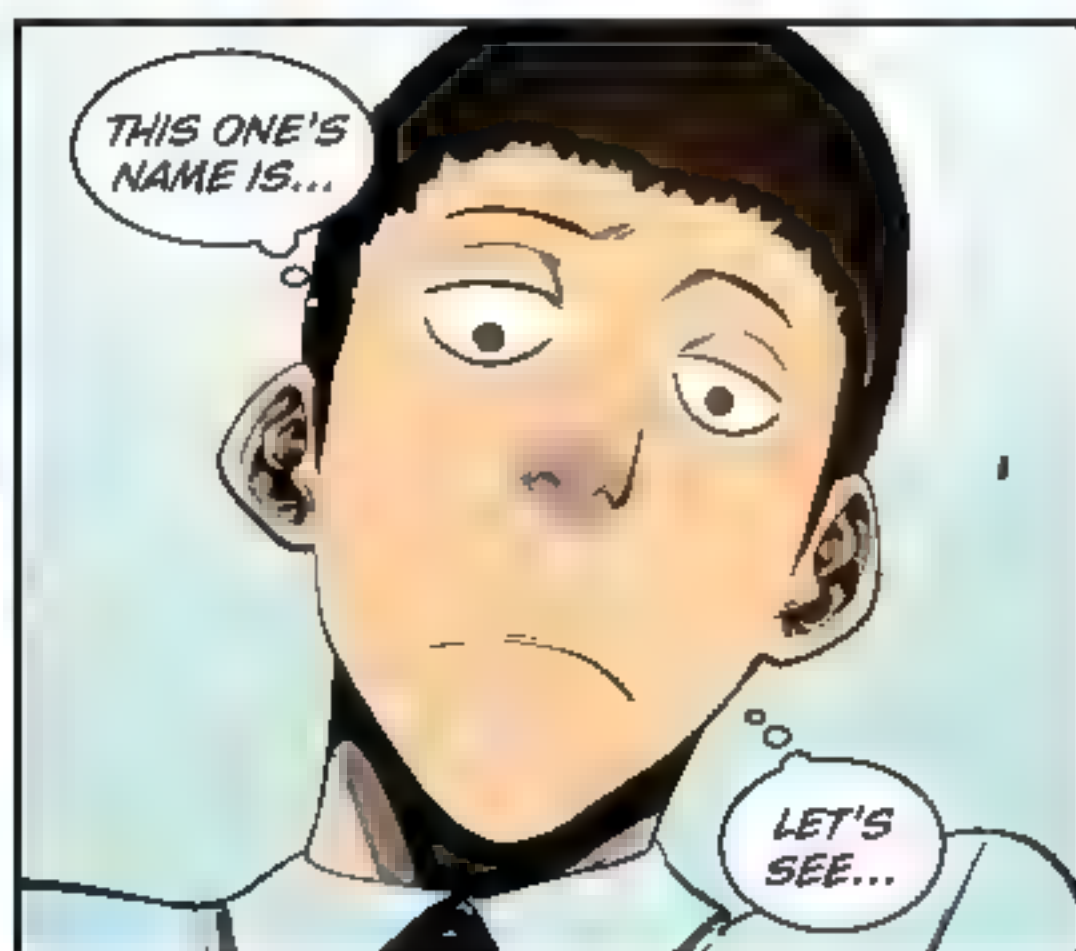
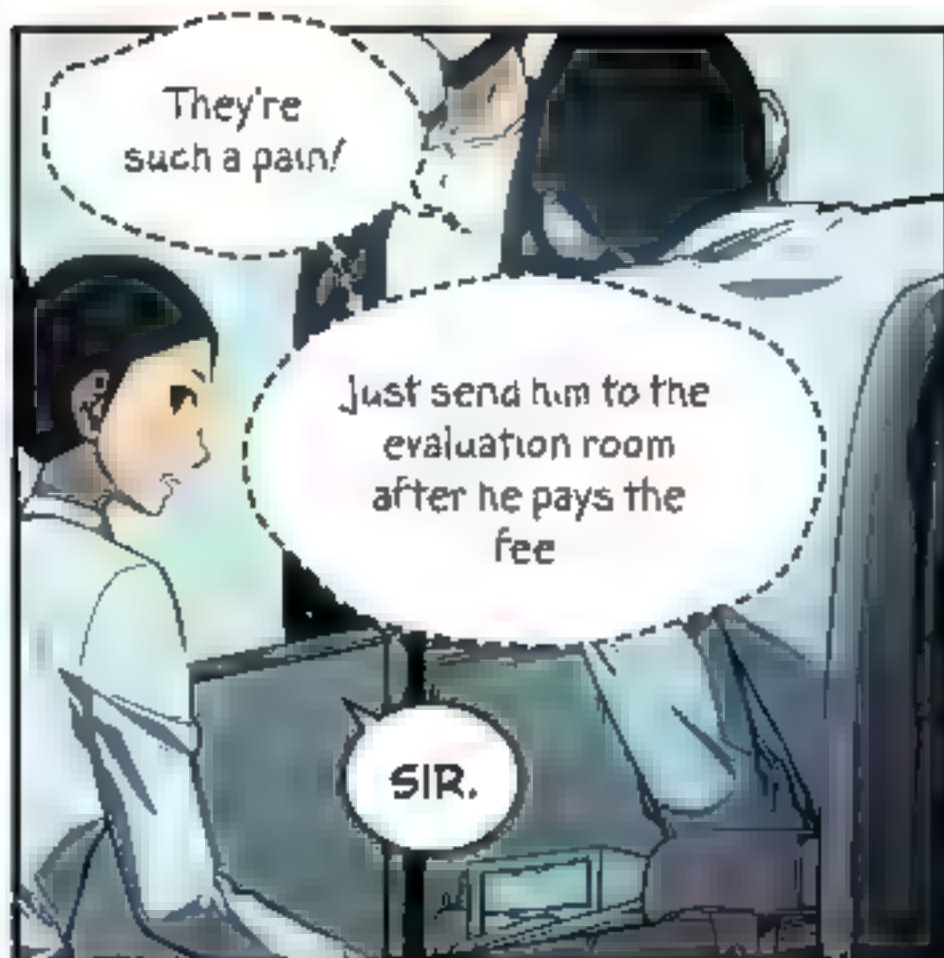
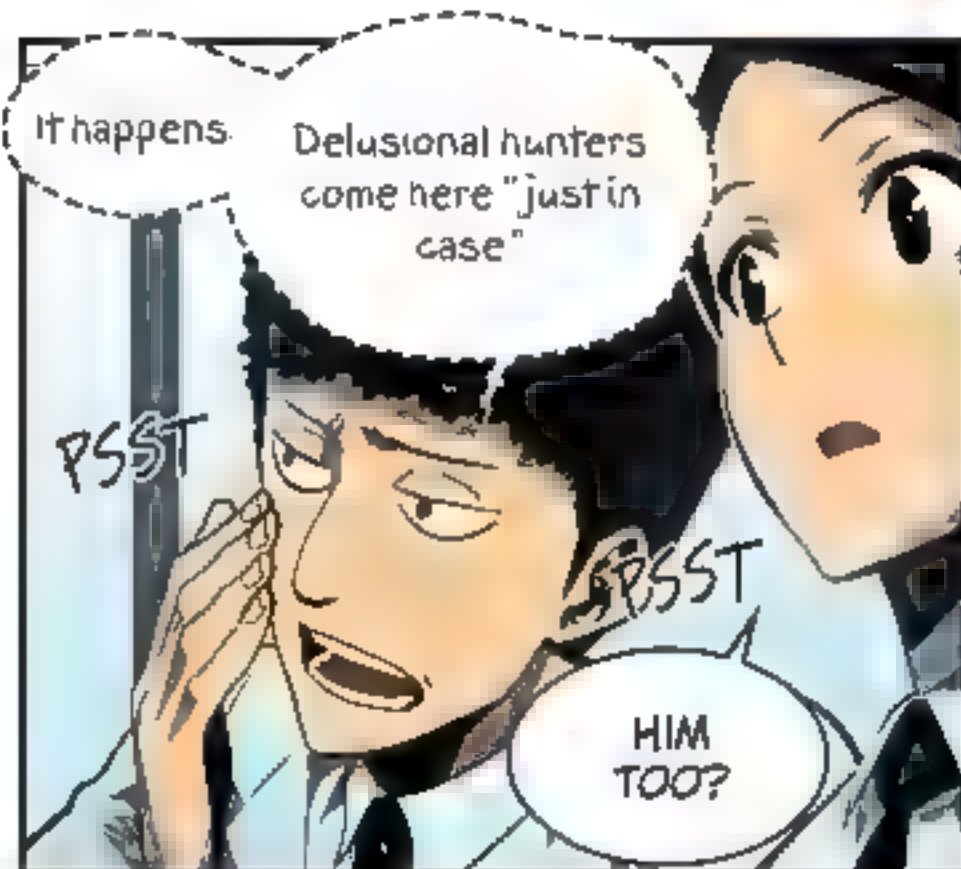
A suspicious
explosion at the
Hunter Command
Center in
Washington, D.C.
has shocked the
nation.



Unconfirmed
reports indicate
fighting among
S-rank hunters
may have been a
factor...

THAT'S
RIDICULOUS.
HUNTERS ARE A
BIG PROBLEM.

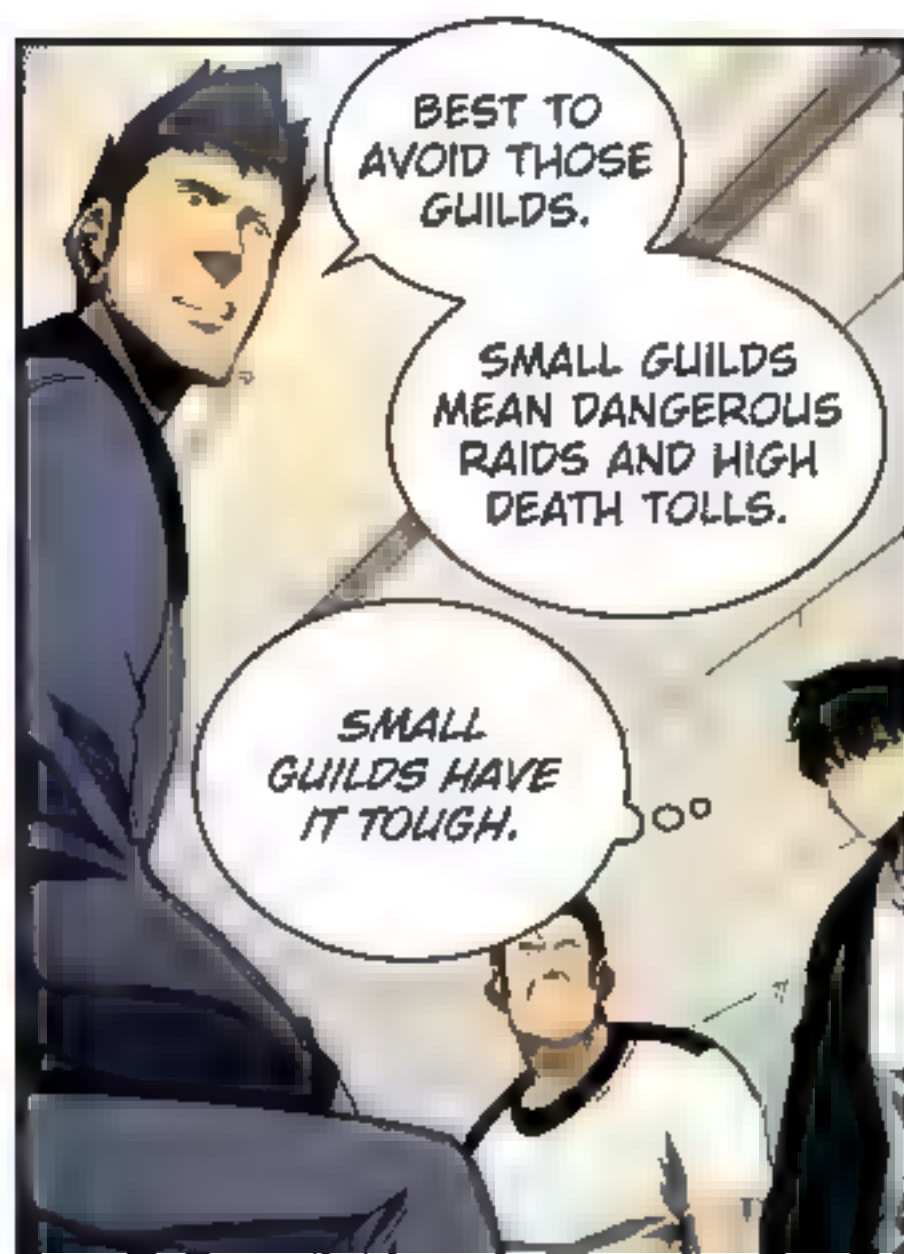
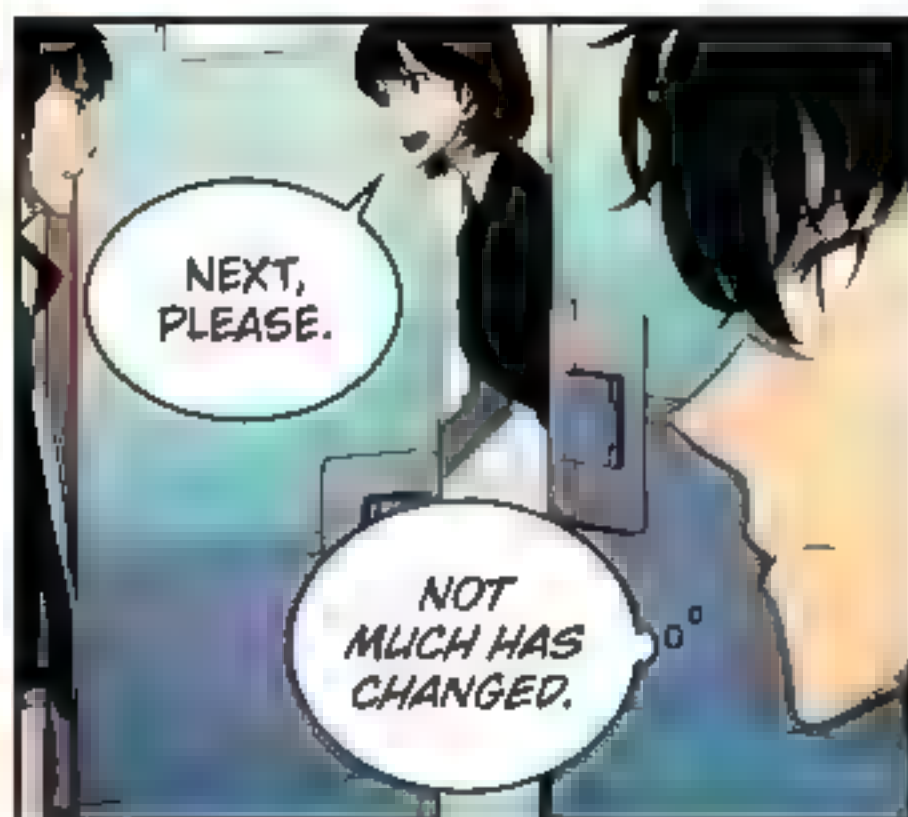
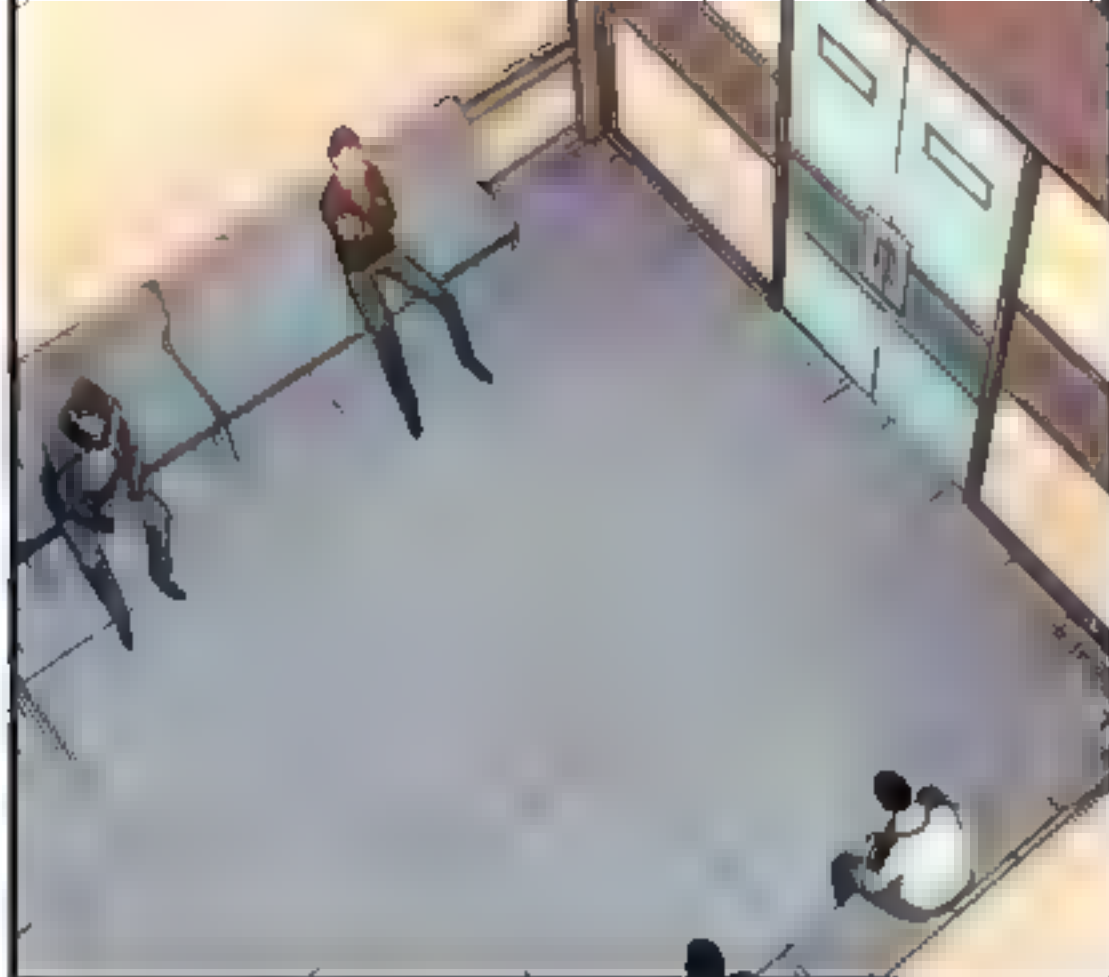
SIR,
A HUNTER IS
HERE TO SEE
YOU.

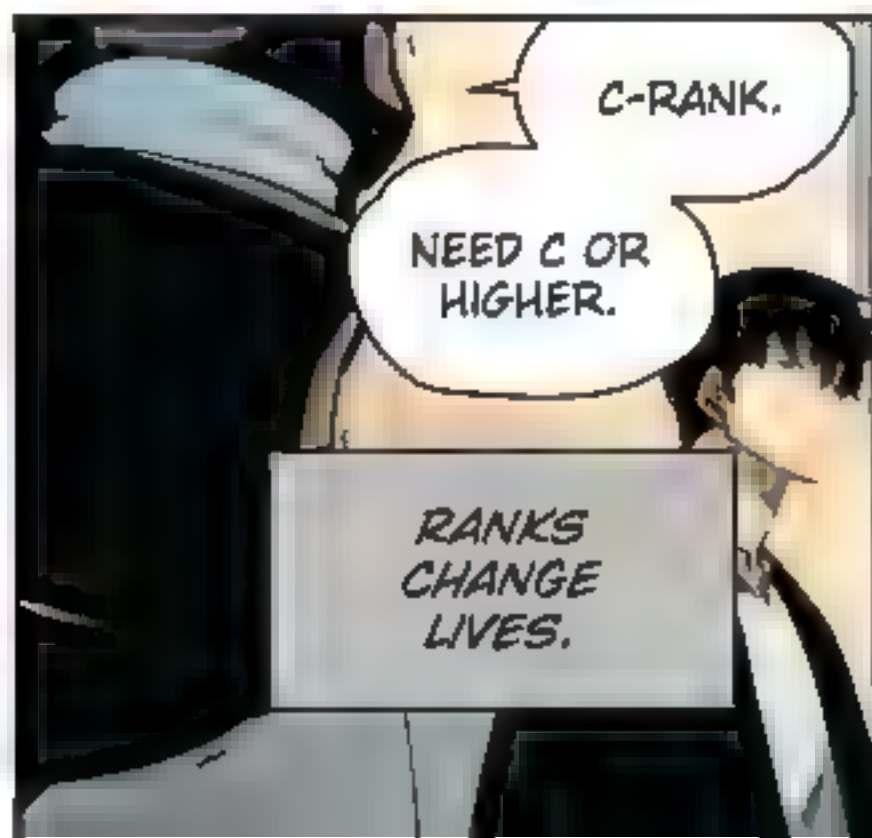
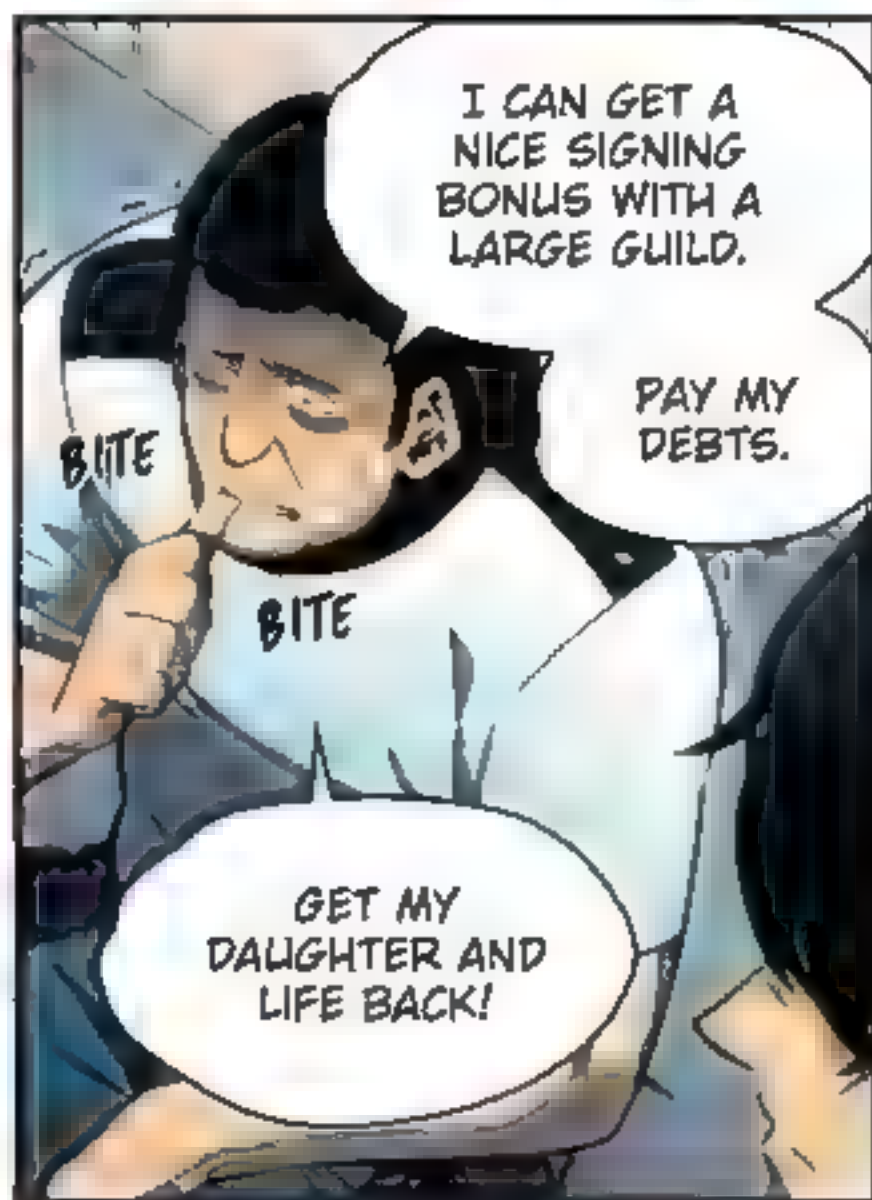
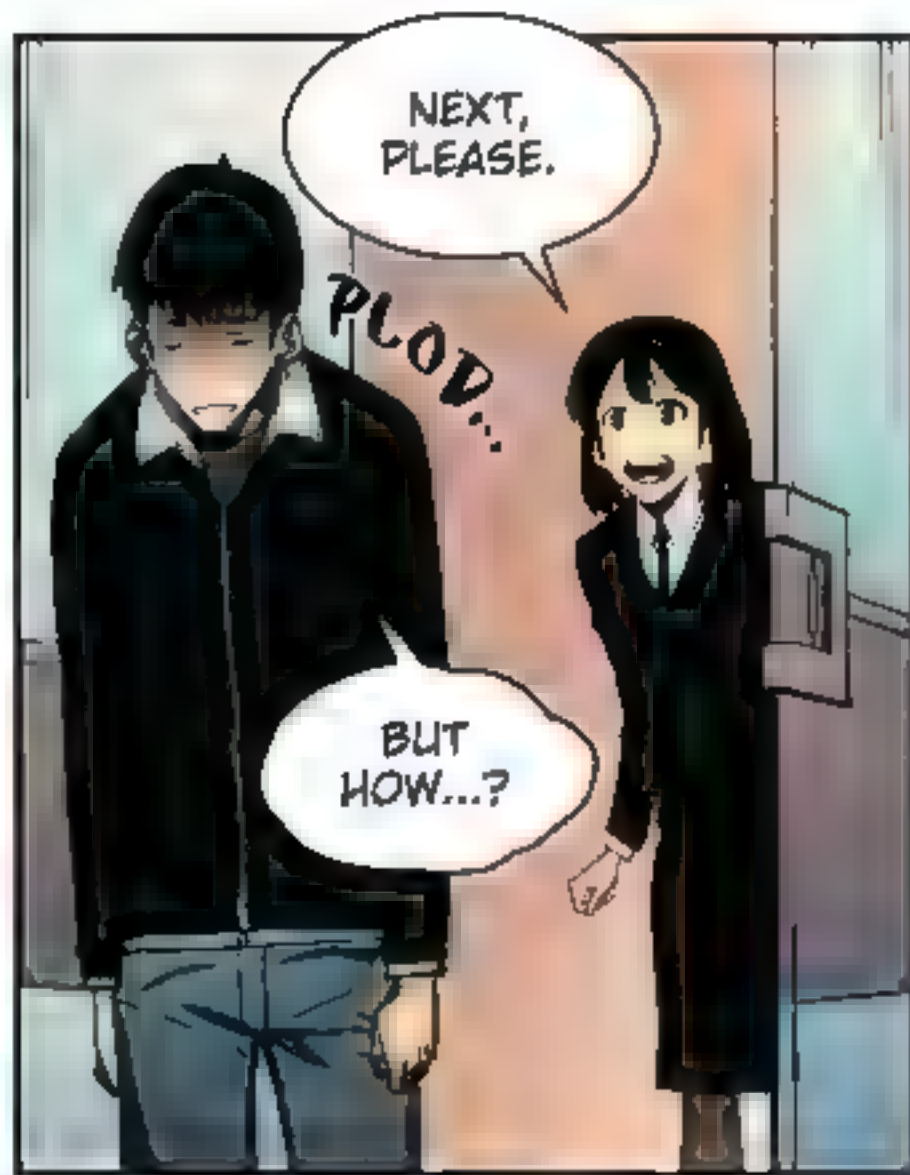


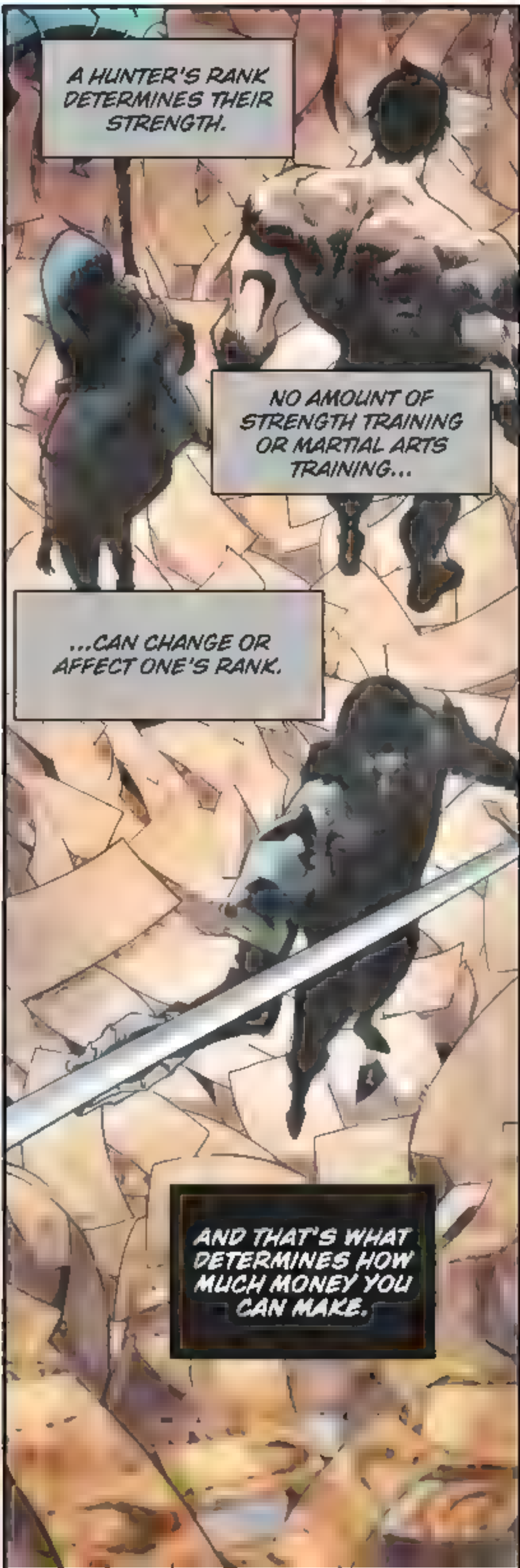


HUNTER
SUNG...







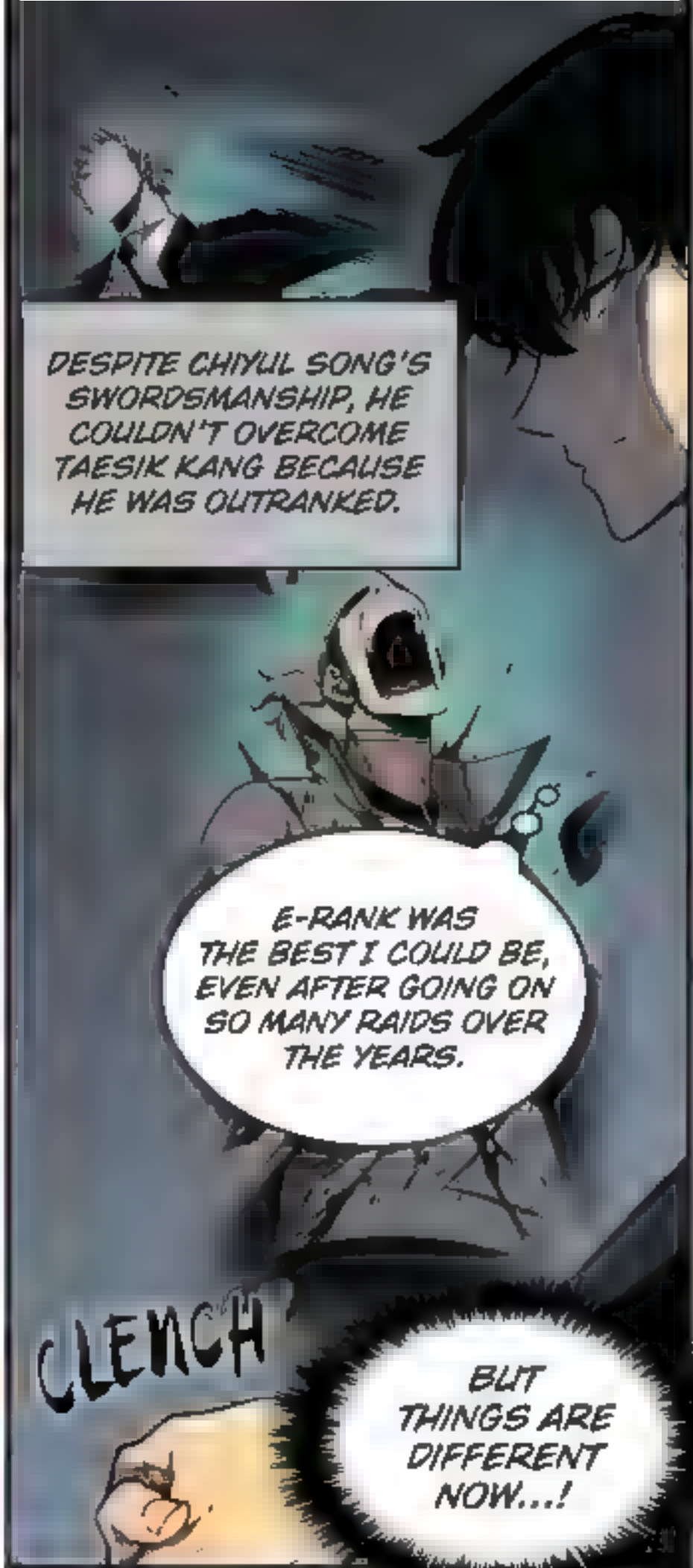


A HUNTER'S RANK
DETERMINES THEIR
STRENGTH.

NO AMOUNT OF
STRENGTH TRAINING
OR MARTIAL ARTS
TRAINING...

...CAN CHANGE OR
AFFECT ONE'S RANK.

AND THAT'S WHAT
DETERMINES HOW
MUCH MONEY YOU
CAN MAKE.



DESPITE CHIYUL SONG'S
SWORDSMANSHIP, HE
COULDN'T OVERCOME
TAESIK KANG BECAUSE
HE WAS OUTRANKED.

E-RANK WAS
THE BEST I COULD BE,
EVEN AFTER GOING ON
SO MANY RAIDS OVER
THE YEARS.

CLENCH

BUT
THINGS ARE
DIFFERENT
NOW...!



GLOOM...



SURE, THANKS.

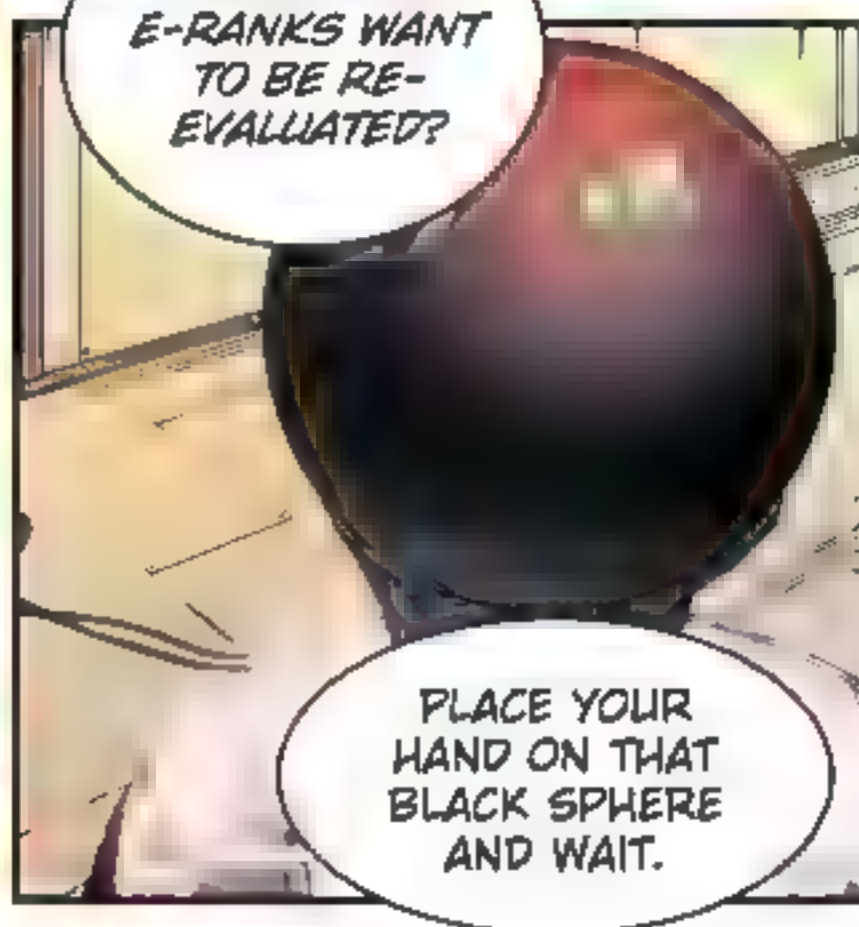


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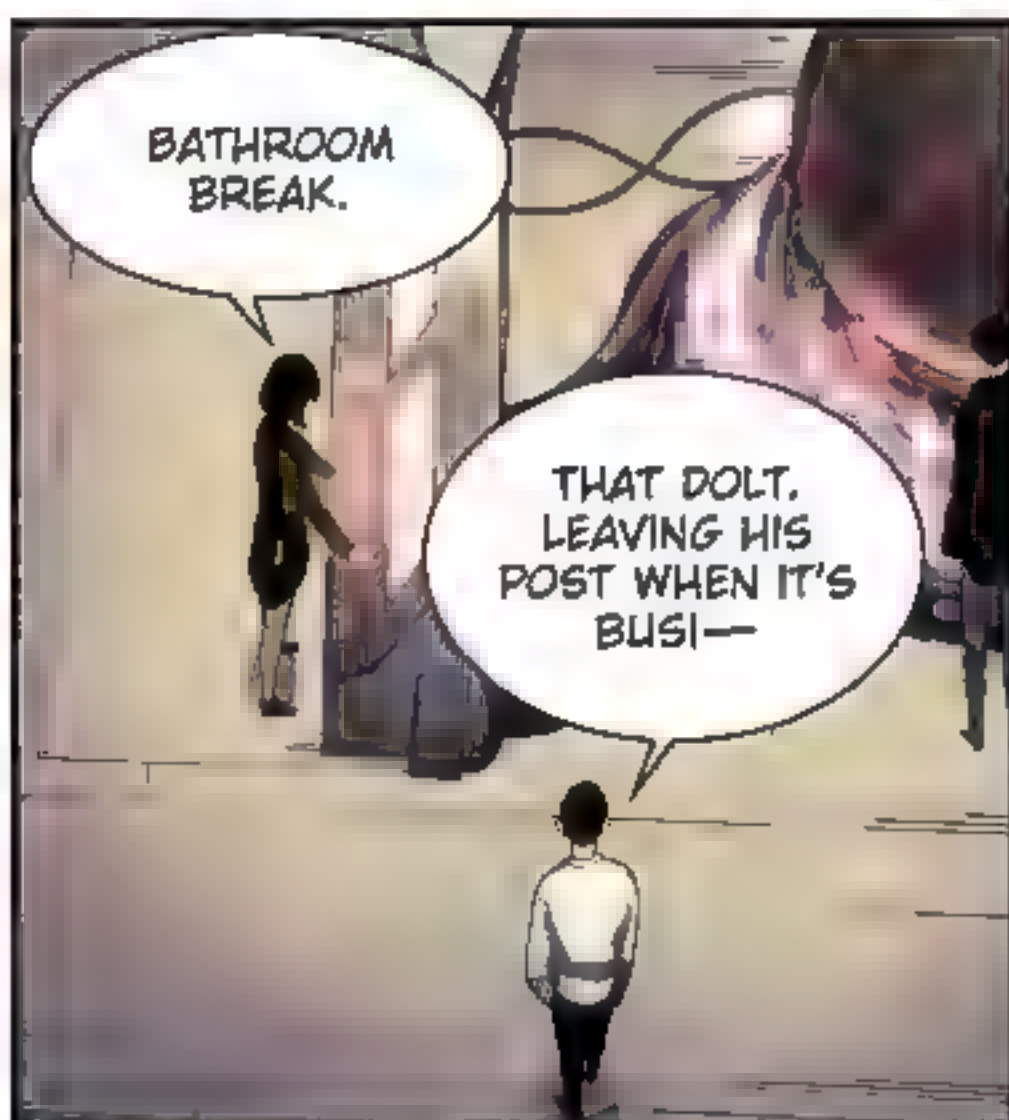
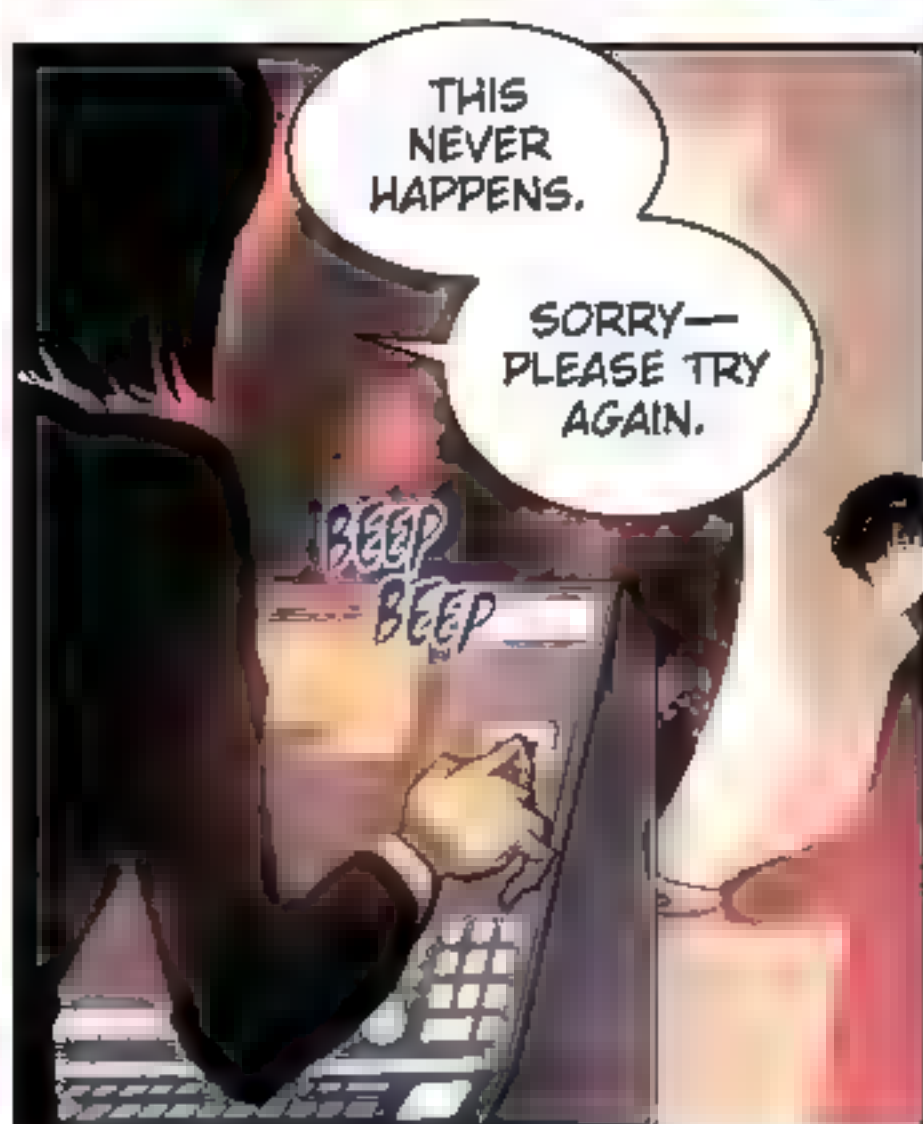


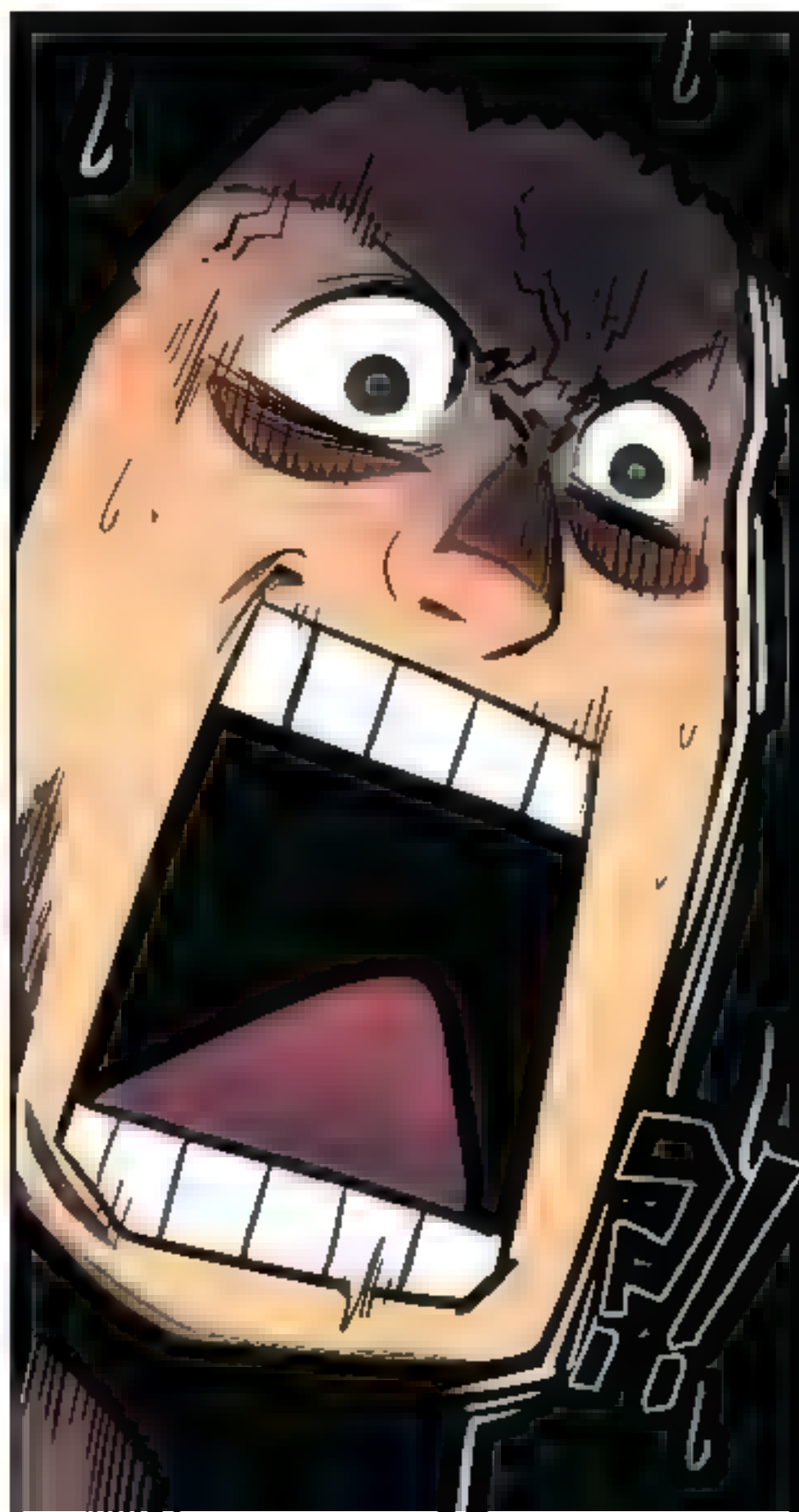
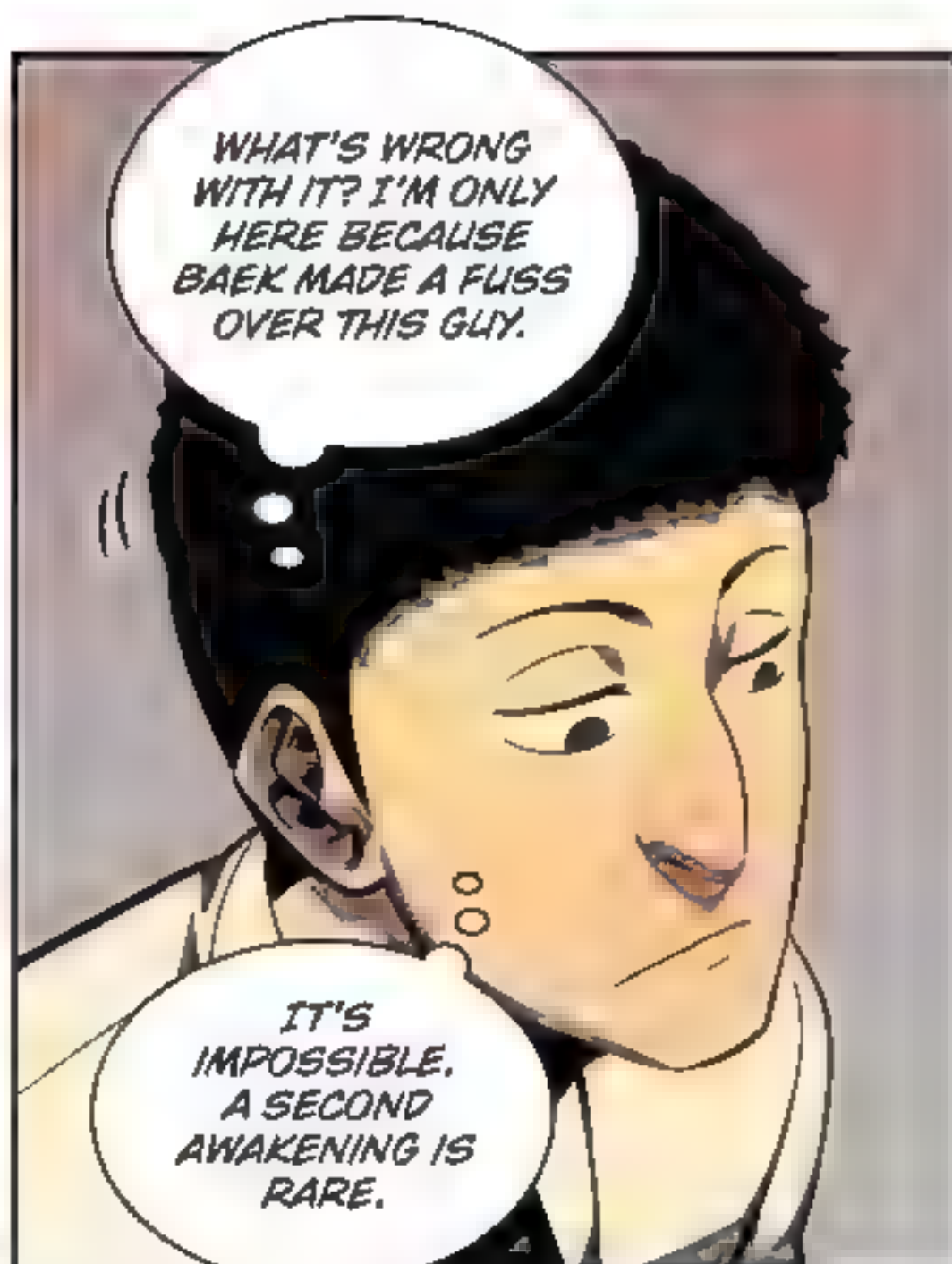
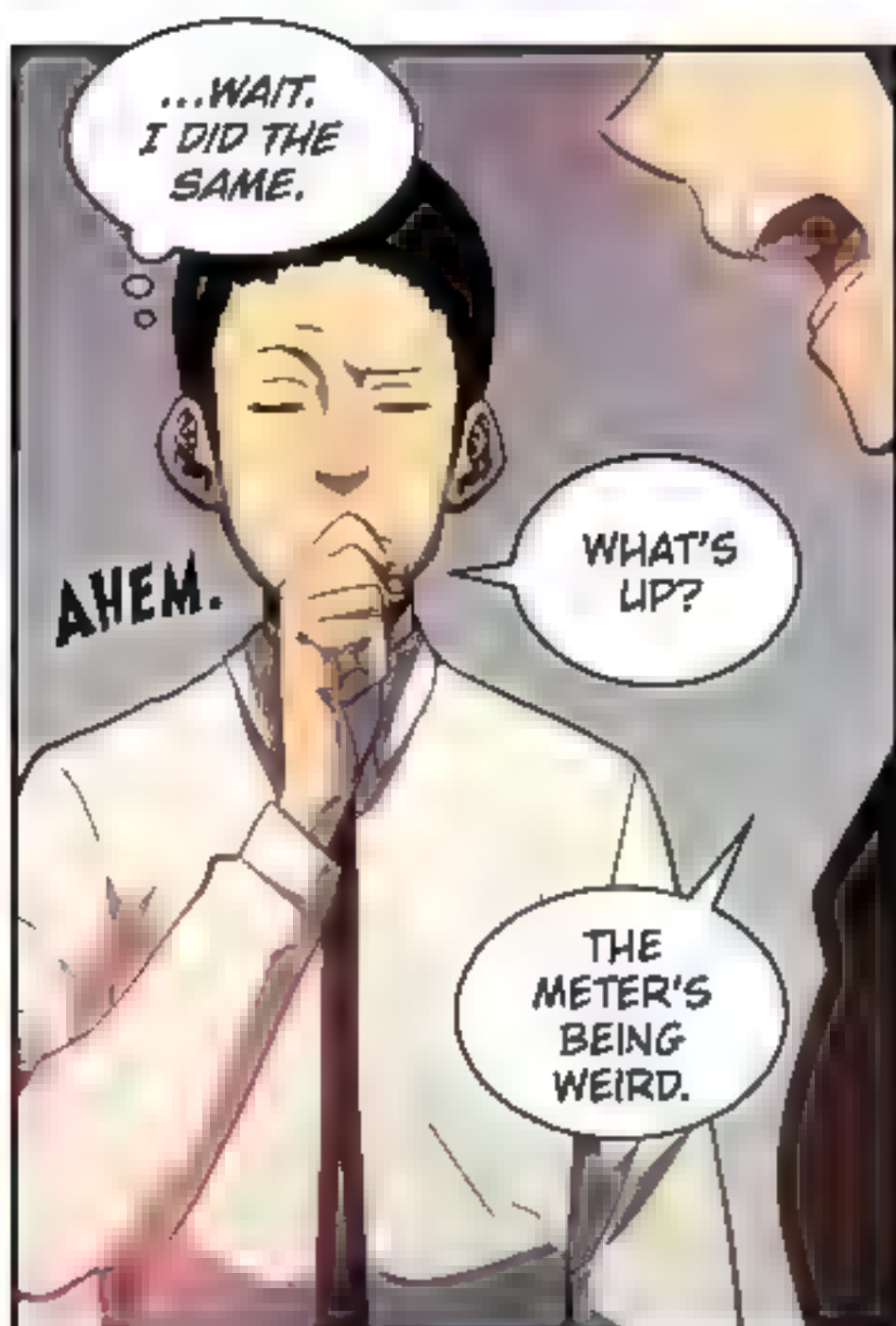
RE-EVALUATION?

YES.



PLACE YOUR HAND ON THAT BLACK SPHERE AND WAIT.







HOW LONG HAVE YOU WORKED HERE?

ABOUT SIX MONTHS...

DID I DO SOMETHING WRONG?

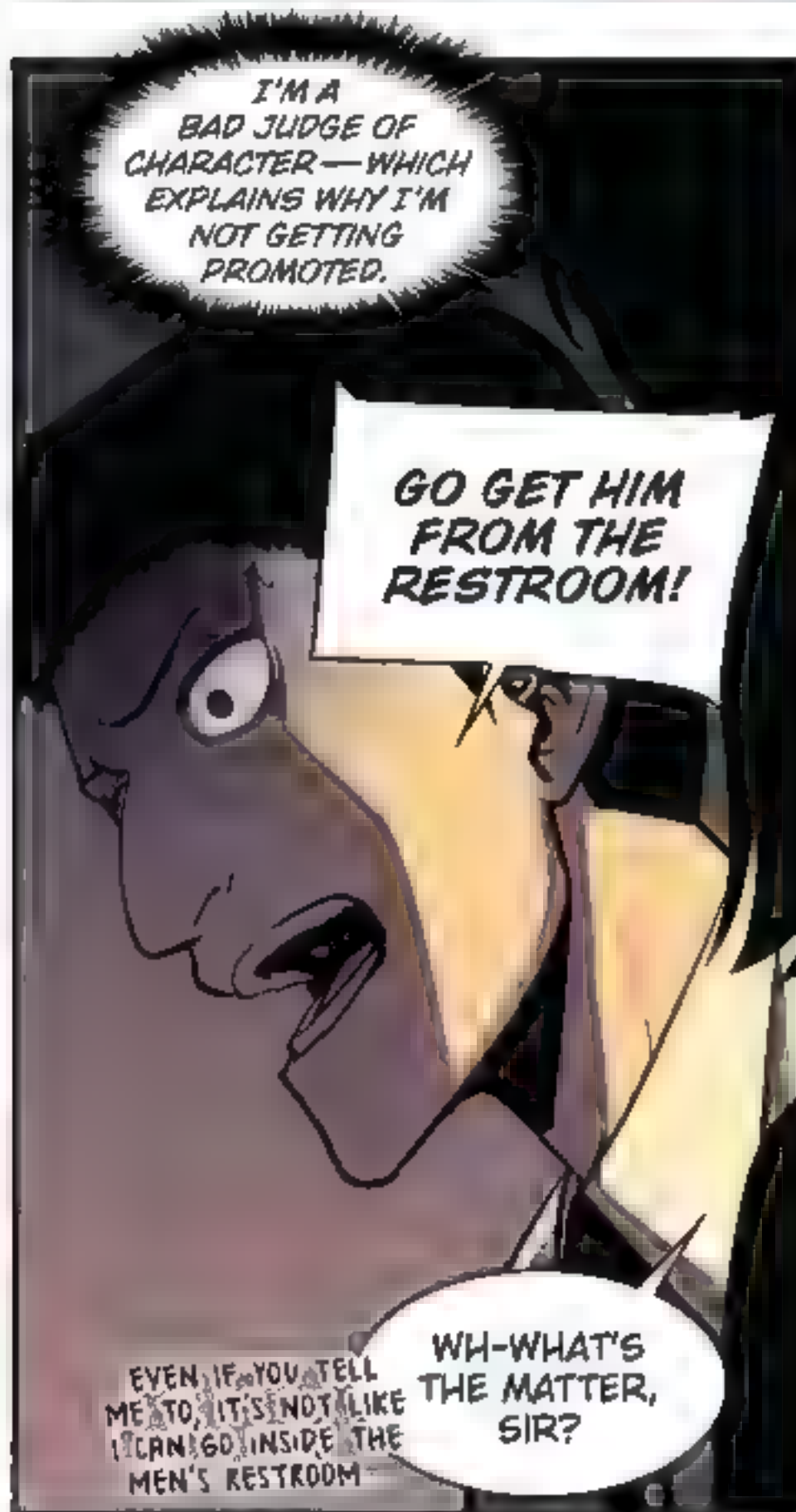


SHE HAS NO IDEA...

THIS HASN'T HAPPENED SINCE HAEIN CHA TWO YEARS AGO.

NO, JUST GET CHANGSIK TO COME HERE NOW.

WHAT?



I'M A BAD JUDGE OF CHARACTER — WHICH EXPLAINS WHY I'M NOT GETTING PROMOTED.

GO GET HIM FROM THE RESTROOM!

WH-WHAT'S THE MATTER, SIR?

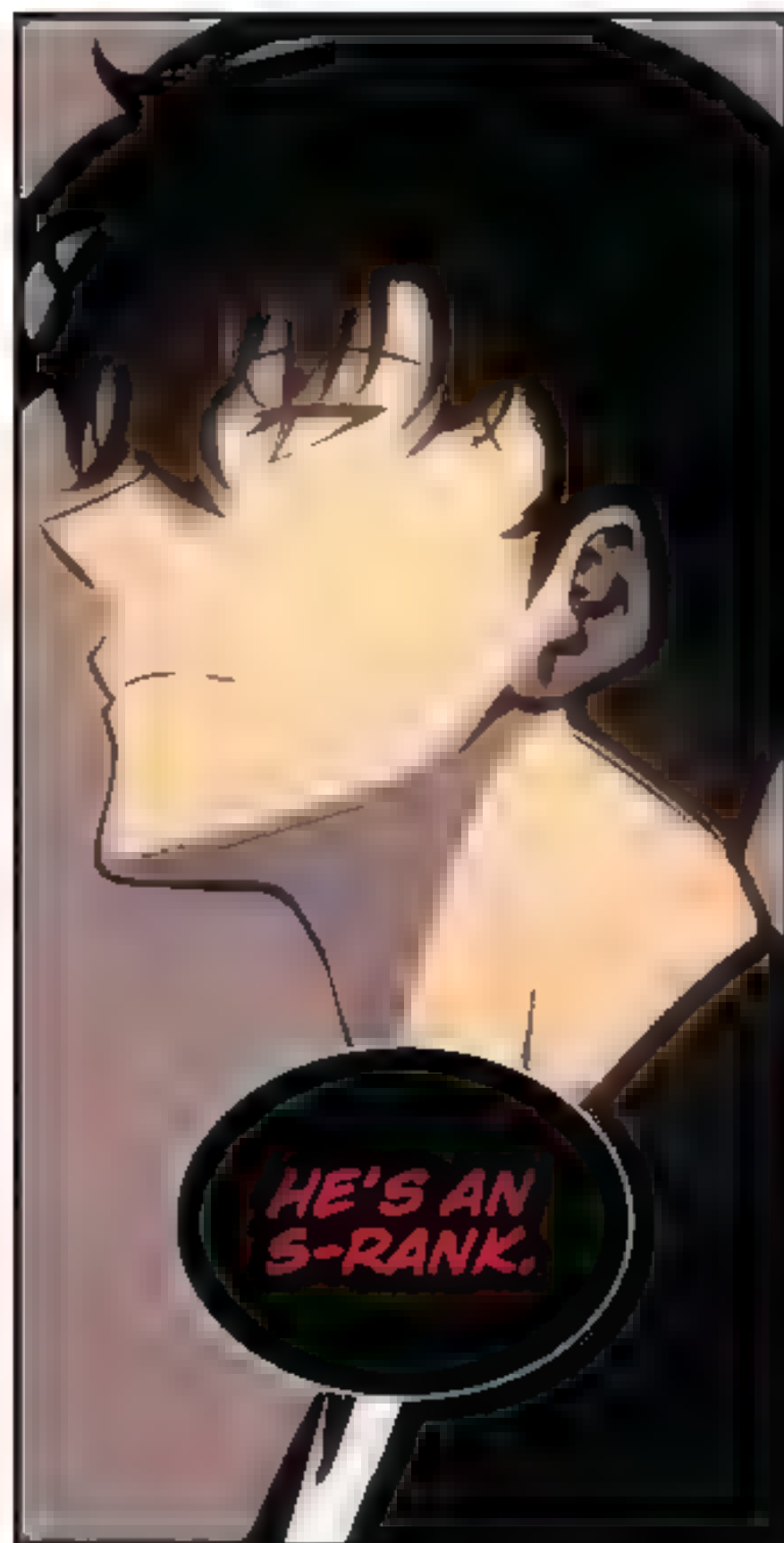
EVEN IF YOU TELL ME TO, IT'S NOT LIKE I CAN GO INSIDE THE MEN'S RESTROOM

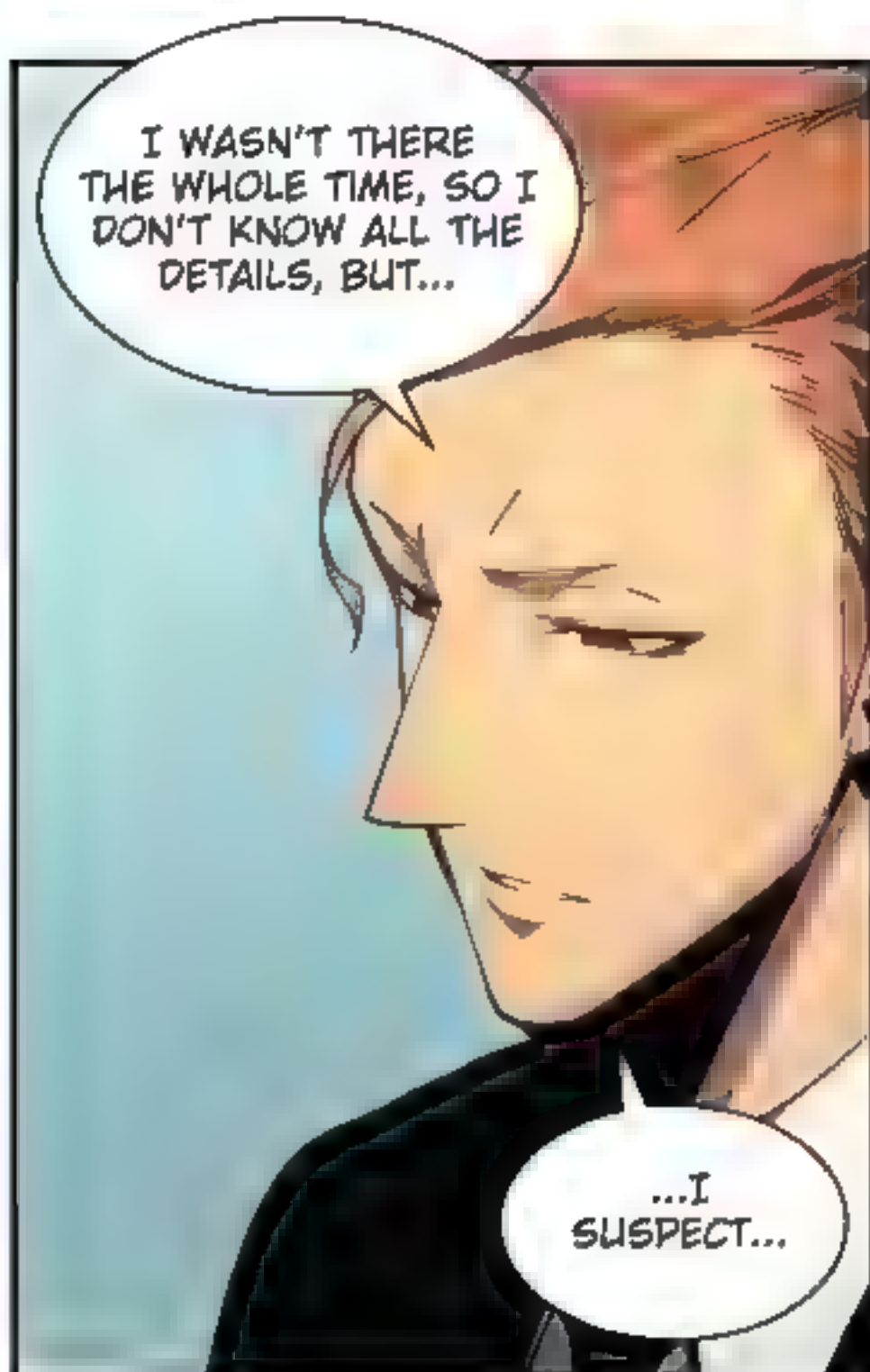
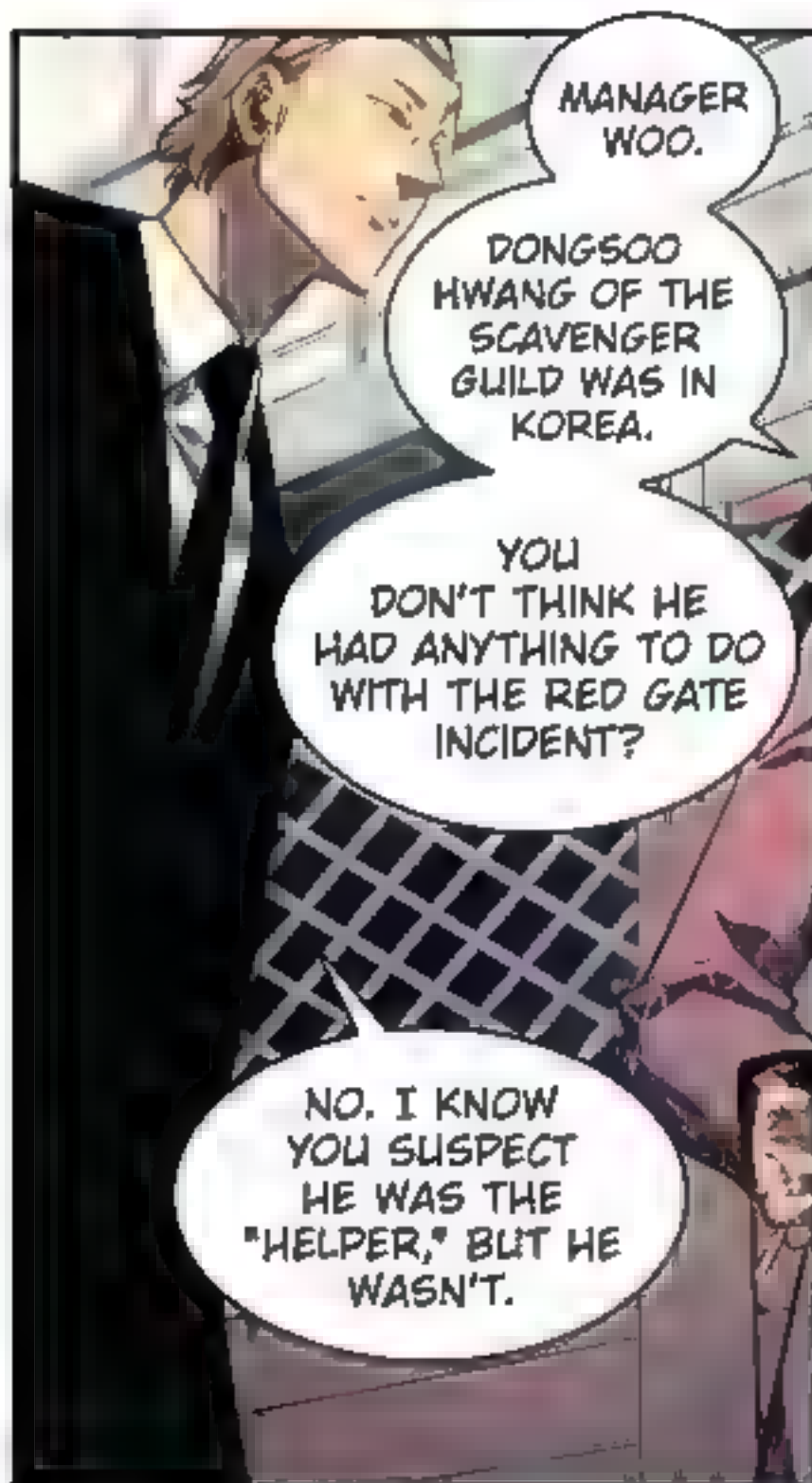


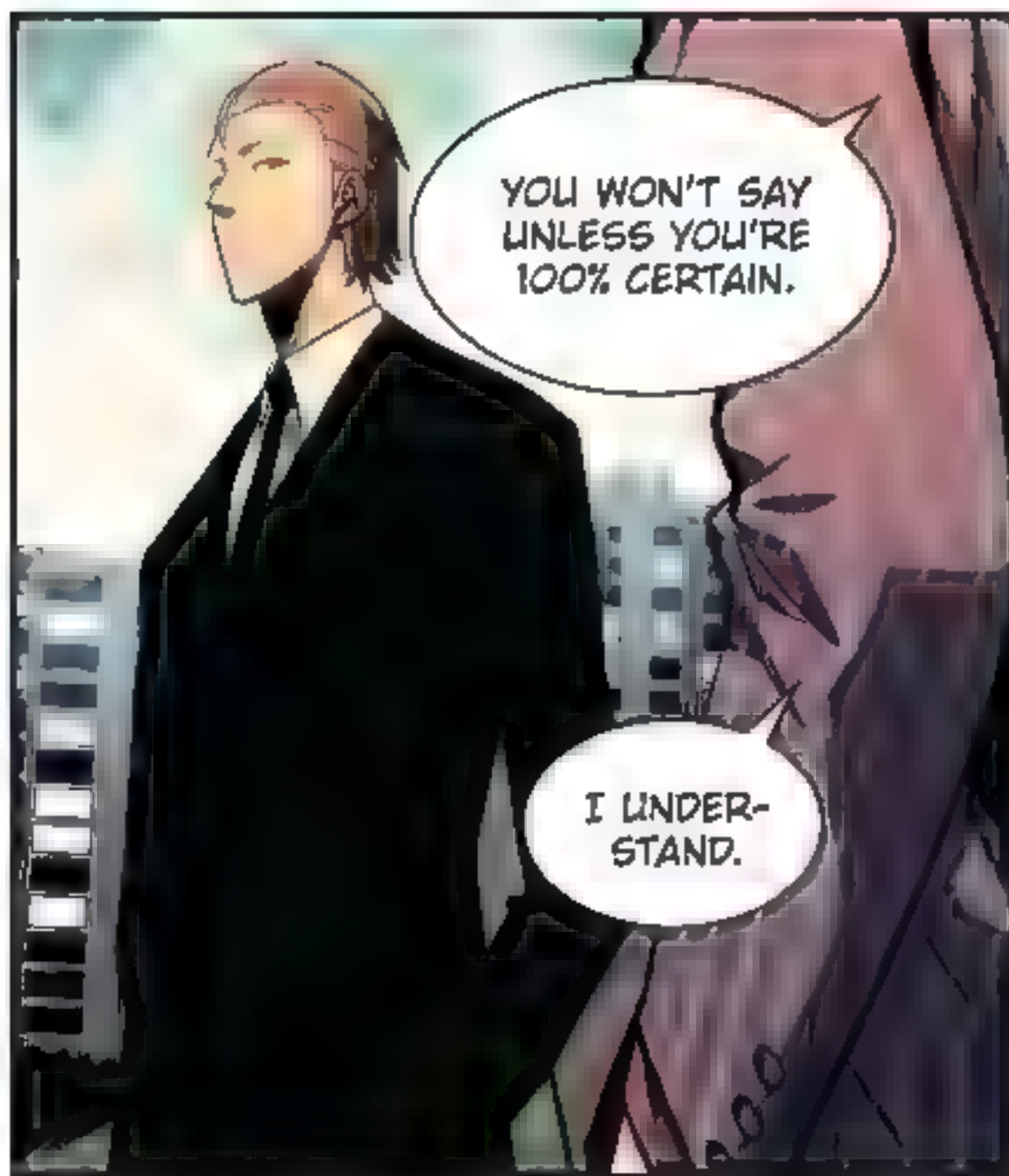
THIS ISN'T AN ERROR! IT MEANS IT'S UNMEASURABLE!

IT MEANS WE CAN'T MEASURE HIS MAGIC POWER WITH OUR MANA METER!

WHAT? THEN—

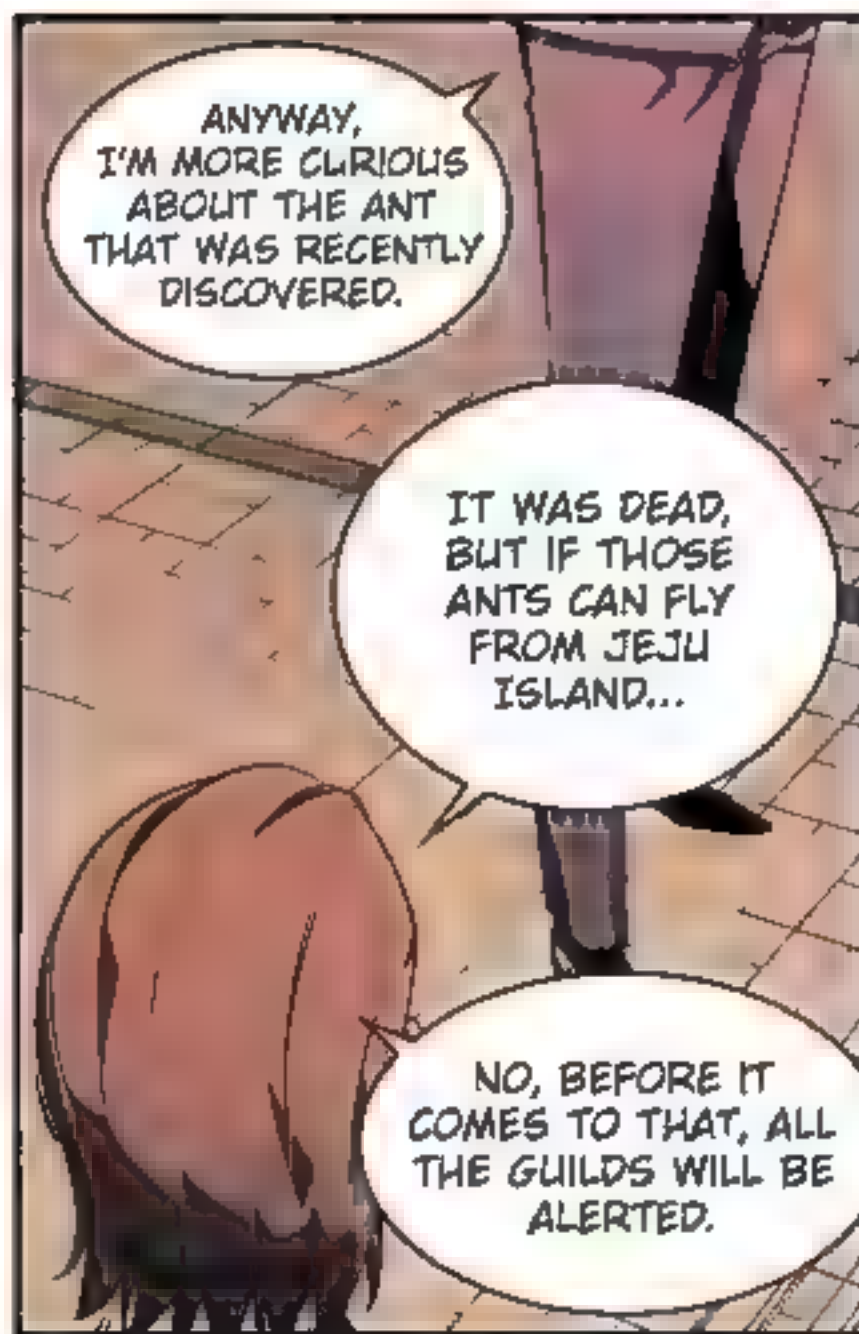






YOU WON'T SAY
UNLESS YOU'RE
100% CERTAIN.

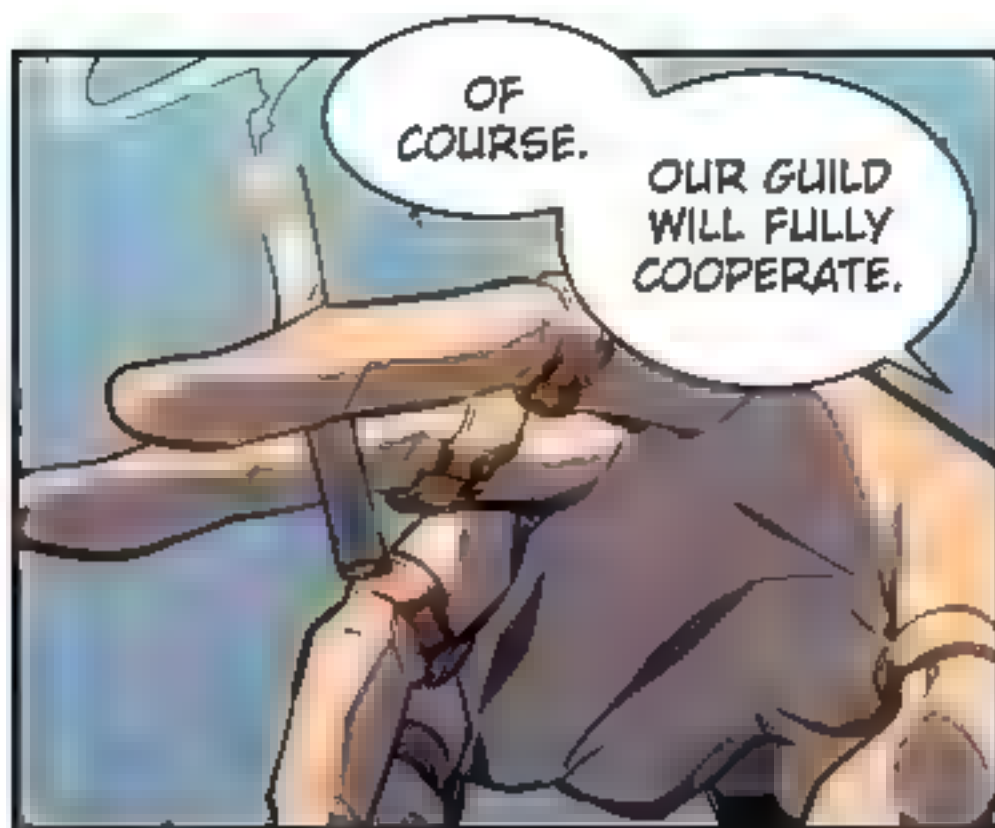
I UNDER-
STAND.



ANYWAY,
I'M MORE CURIOUS
ABOUT THE ANT
THAT WAS RECENTLY
DISCOVERED.

IT WAS DEAD,
BUT IF THOSE
ANTS CAN FLY
FROM JEJU
ISLAND...

NO, BEFORE IT
COMES TO THAT, ALL
THE GUILDS WILL BE
ALERTED.



OF
COURSE.

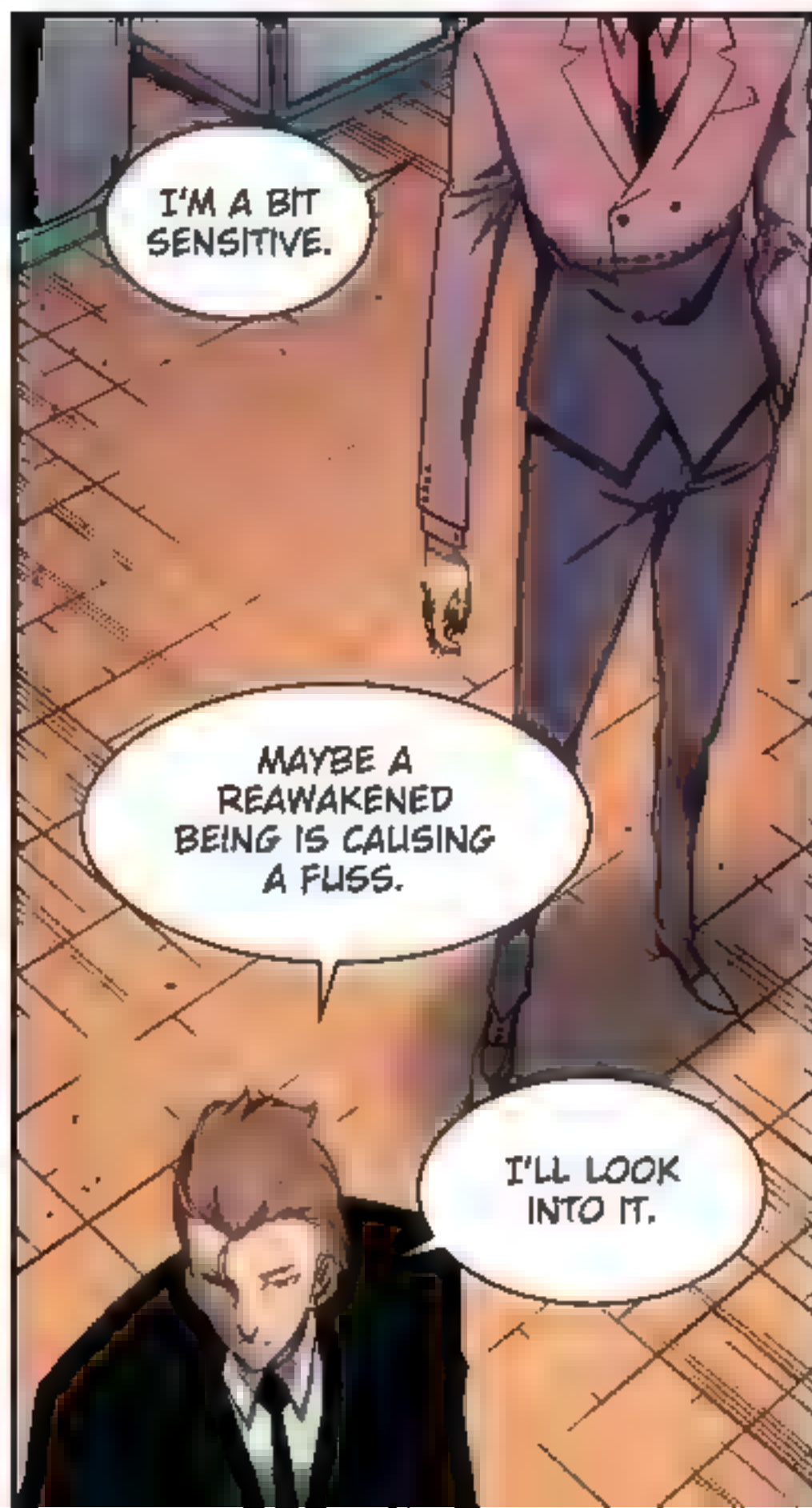
OUR GUILD
WILL FULLY
COOPERATE.



SO WHAT'S
GOING ON IN
BUILDING B?

BUILDING
B?

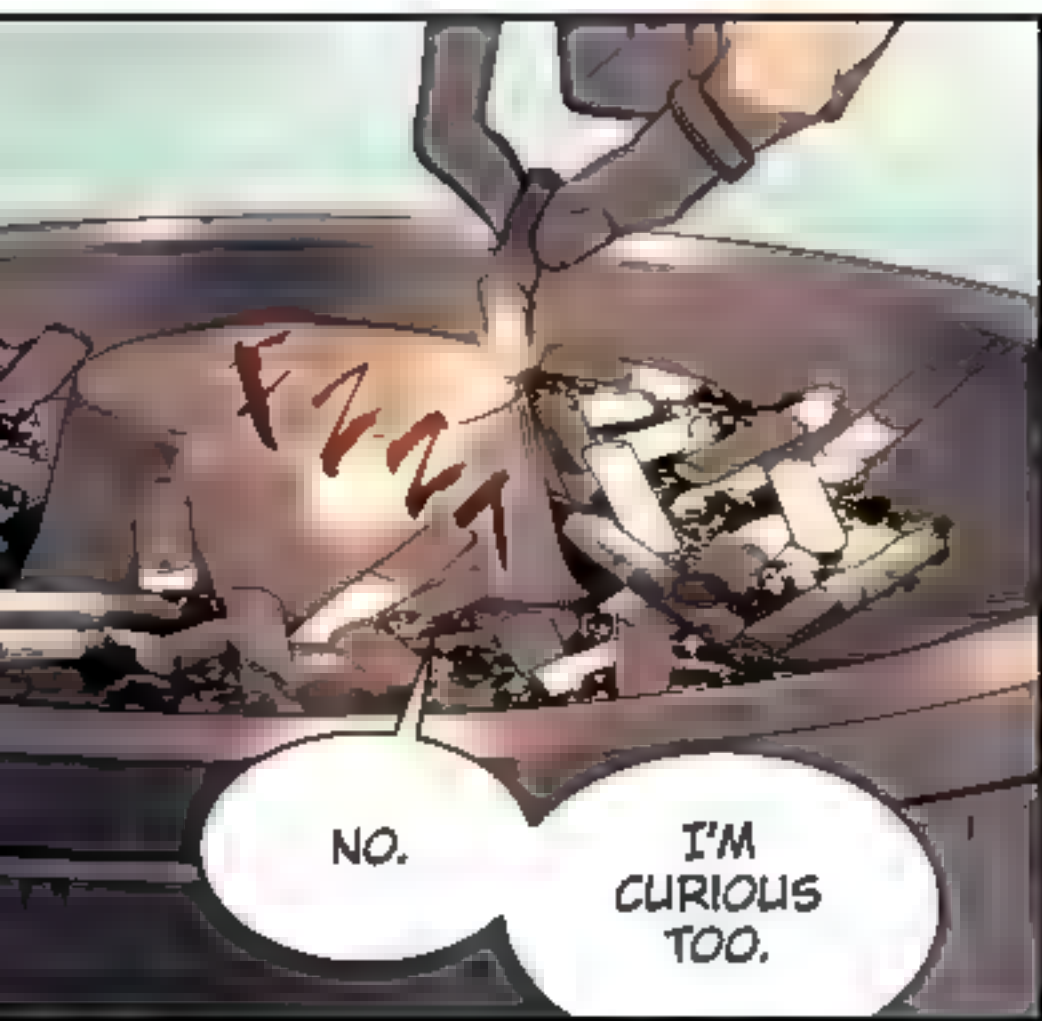
I HAVEN'T
HEARD...



I'M A BIT
SENSITIVE.

MAYBE A
REAWAKENED
BEING IS CAUSING
A FUSS.

I'LL LOOK
INTO IT.



NO.

I'M
CURIOUS
TOO.



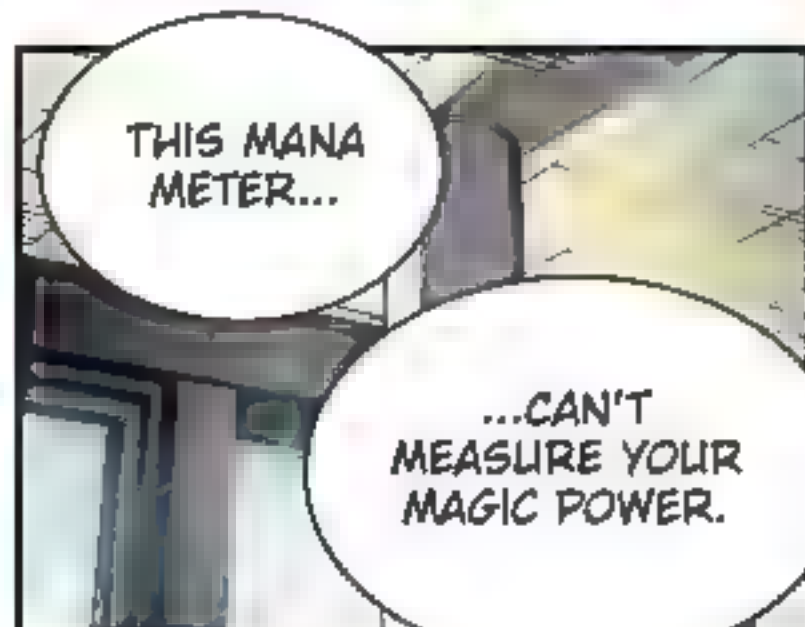
DID
HE SENSE
SOMETHING
AGAIN?



I KEEP
FORGETTING WHO
THIS MAN IS...

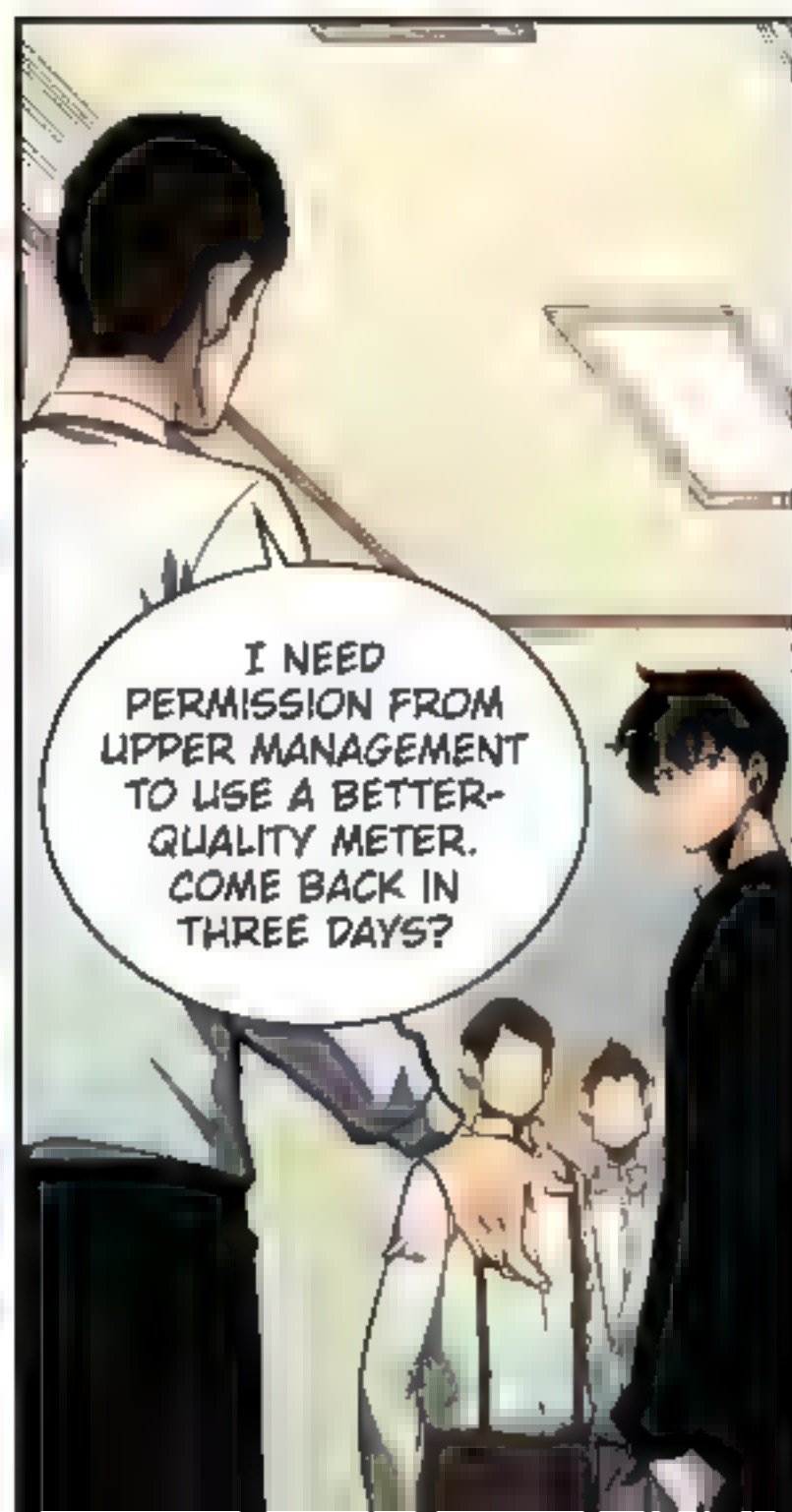
...BECAUSE
OF HIS KIND-
LOOKING FACE.

I'LL GO
WITH YOU.



THIS MANA
METER...

...CAN'T
MEASURE YOUR
MAGIC POWER.



I NEED
PERMISSION FROM
UPPER MANAGEMENT
TO USE A BETTER-
QUALITY METER.
COME BACK IN
THREE DAYS?





**J-JONGIN
CHOI!**

**WHAT'S THE
MAN THEY CALL
"THE ULTIMATE
WEAPON" DOING
HERE?!**

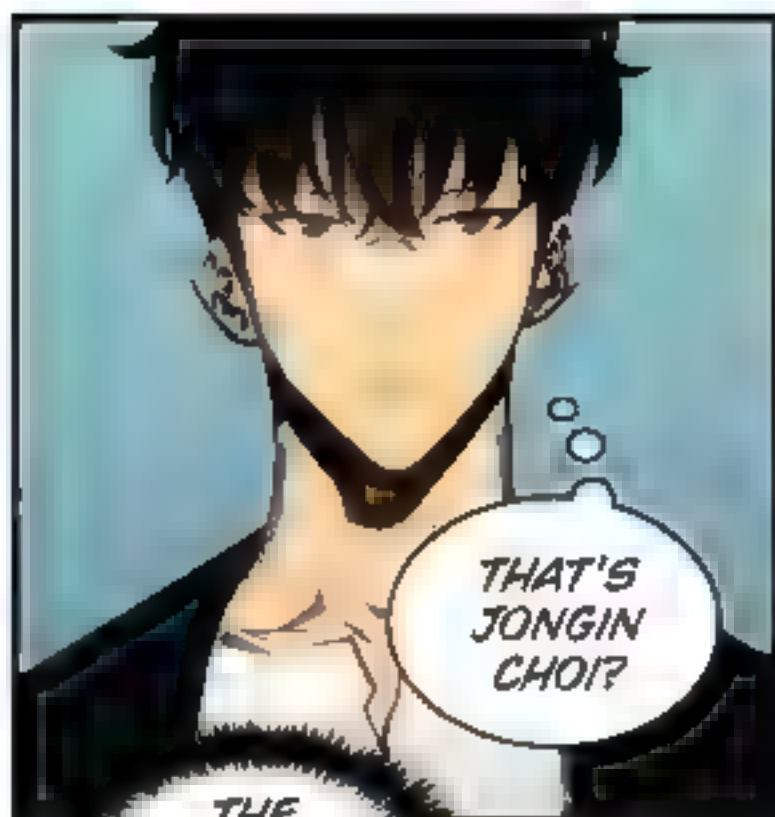


**JONGIN CHOI
(S-RANK),
GUILD MASTER OF THE
HUNTERS GUILD**



HUNTERS

- A guild based in Seoul.
- The only top guild in Korea with two S-rank hunters.



THAT'S
JONGIN
CHOI?



THE
NUMBER
ONE FIRE
MAGE.

THEY SAY HE
CAN BLOW UP A
BUILDING WITH
ONE SPELL.

THE
ULTIMATE
HUNTER.



THE EXACT
OPPOSITE
OF MY
NICKNAME

HA-HA...



IS THAT GUY
JOINING THE
HUNTERS
ALREADY?

MURMUR

HOW DID THE
HUNTERS GUILD
FIND OUT ABOUT
HIM?

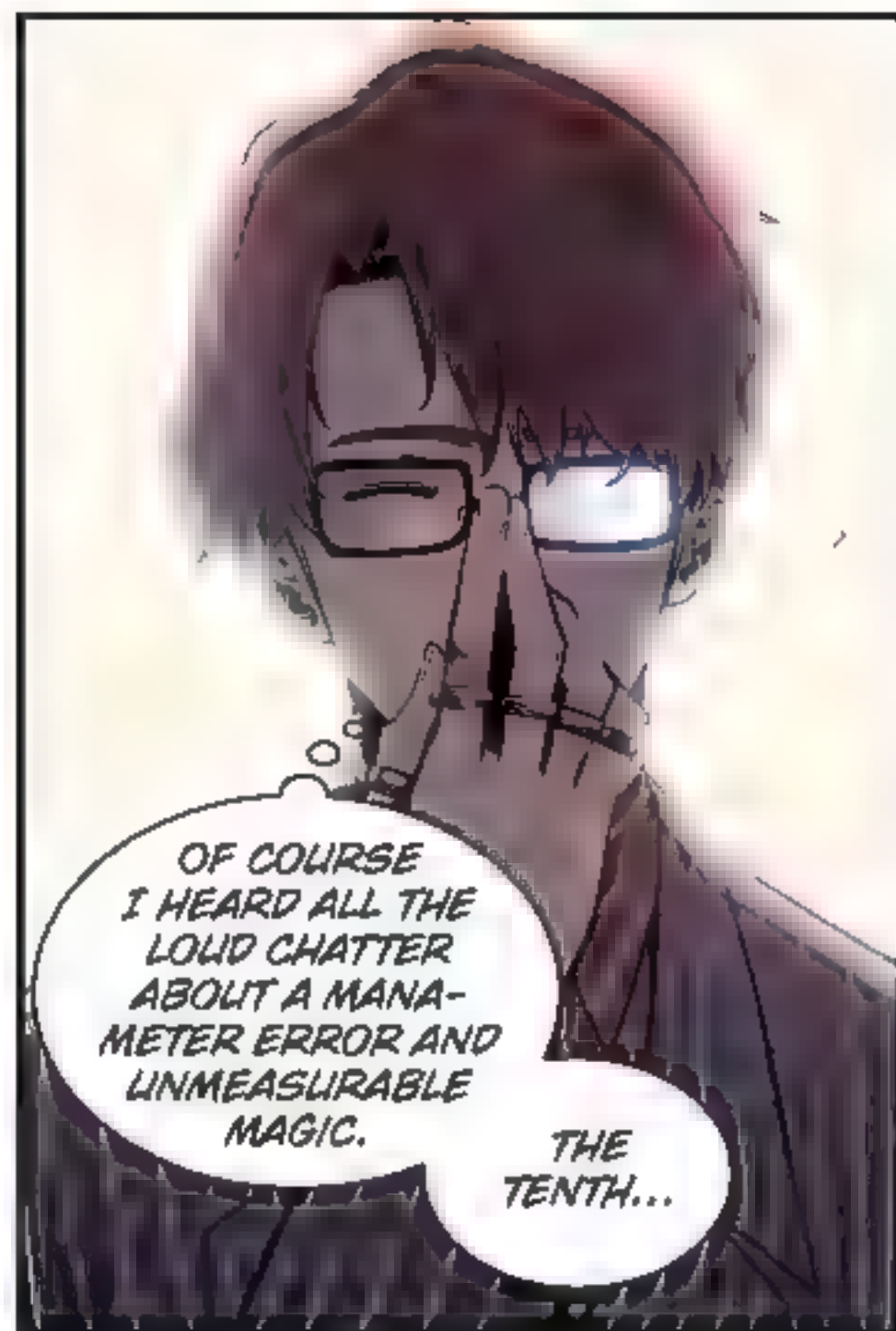
THEY'RE
NUMBER
ONE FOR A
REASON...

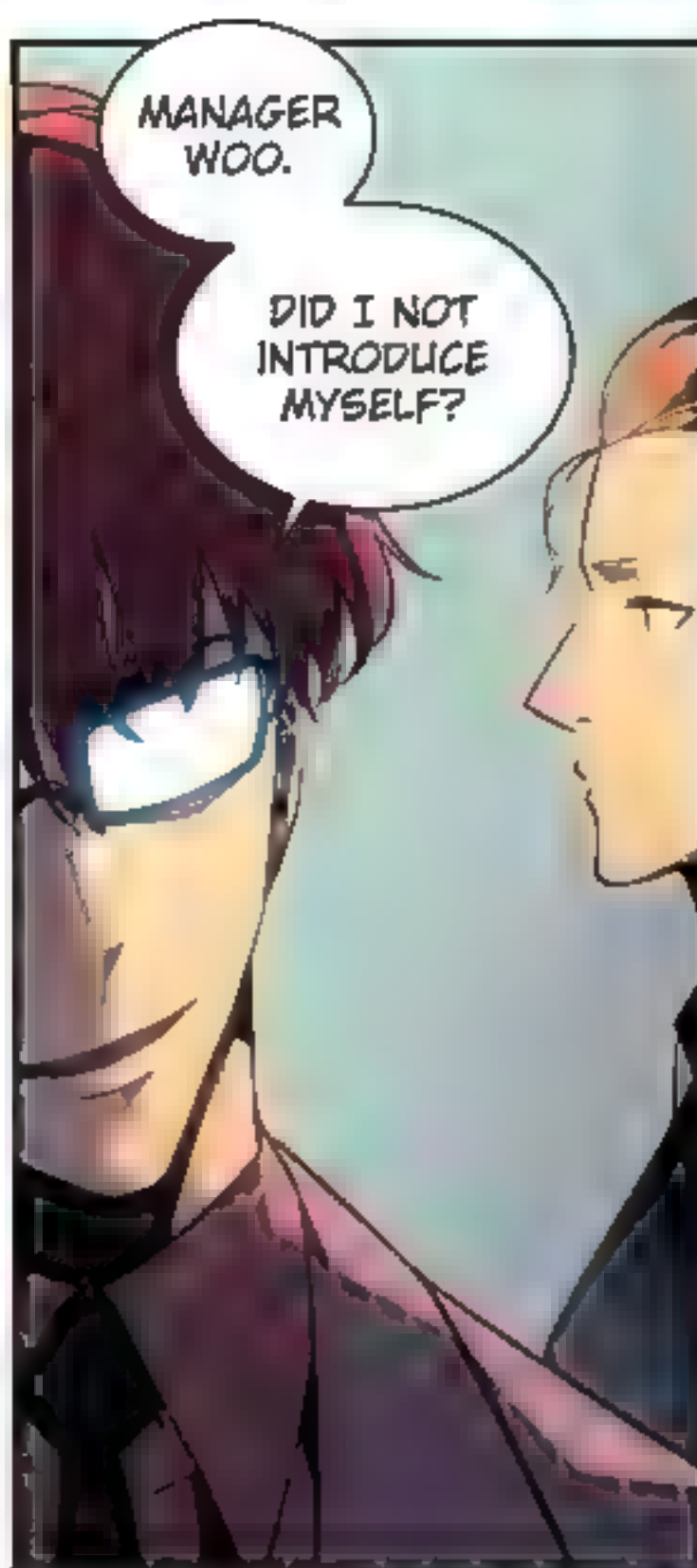
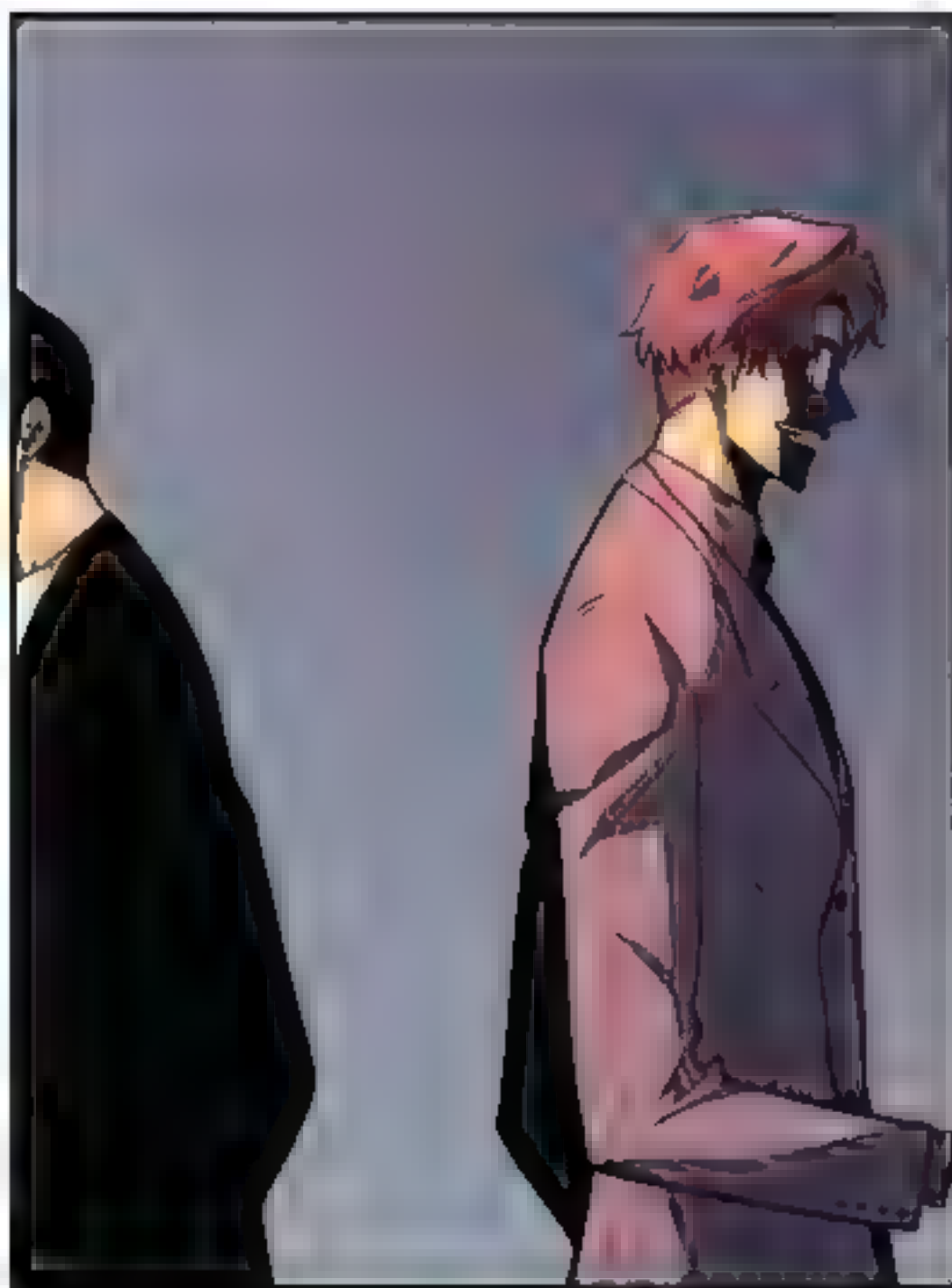
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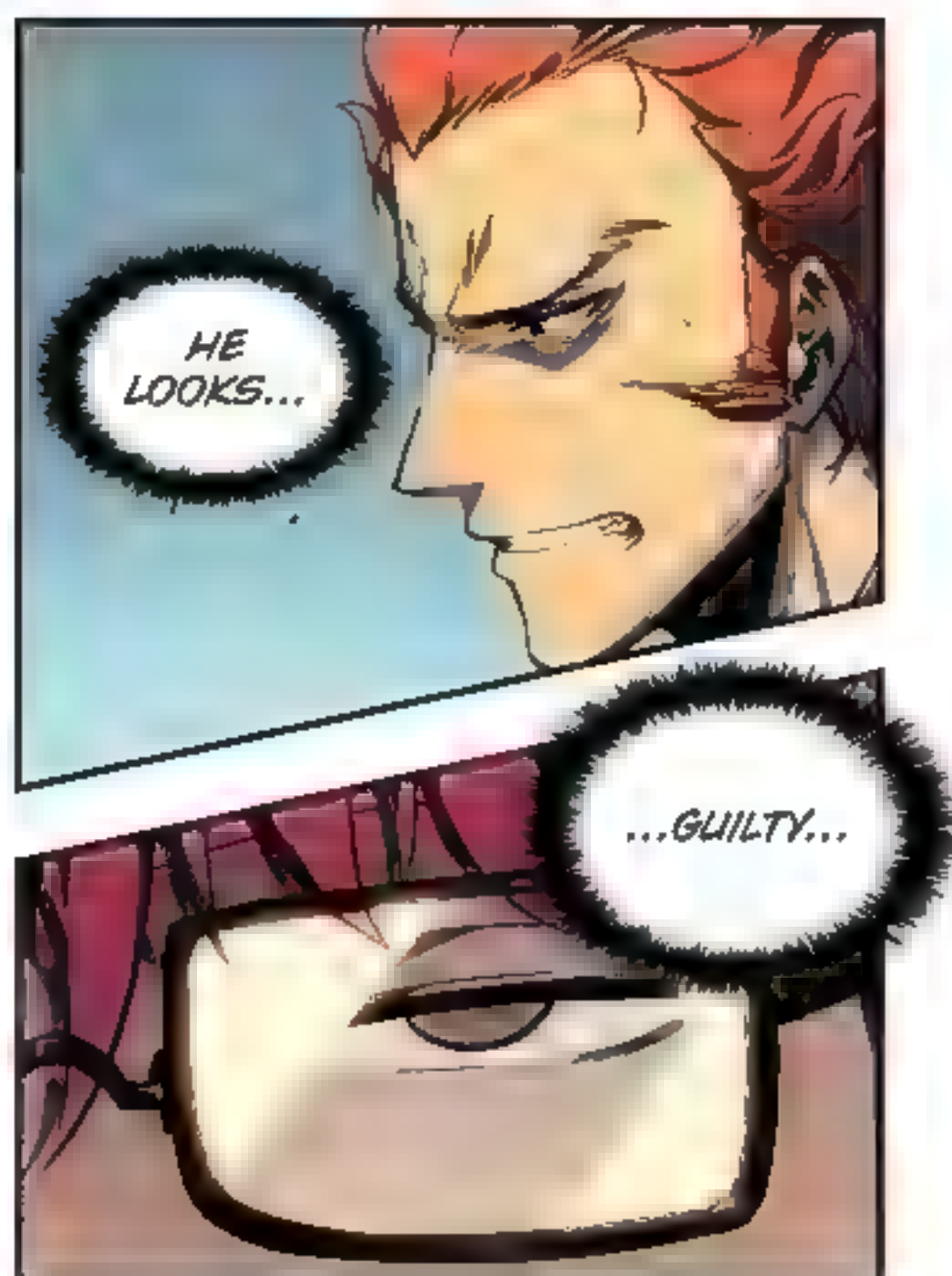
MURMUR

THE PRESIDENT
OF THE HUNTERS
CAME FOR HIM
PERSONALLY...

MURMUR









CONSIDERING THE
DISTANCE BETWEEN
BAEK'S GUILD AND
THE ASSOCIATION
HQ...

...AND BAEK'S
PANTING,
HE MUST'VE
TRANSFORMED
INTO AN ANIMAL
AND RAN HERE!

HFF!

HFF!

BAEK MUST
HAVE KNOWN
FROM THE START.

HE KNEW WHAT
WAS GOING TO
HAPPEN HERE.



...THEN...

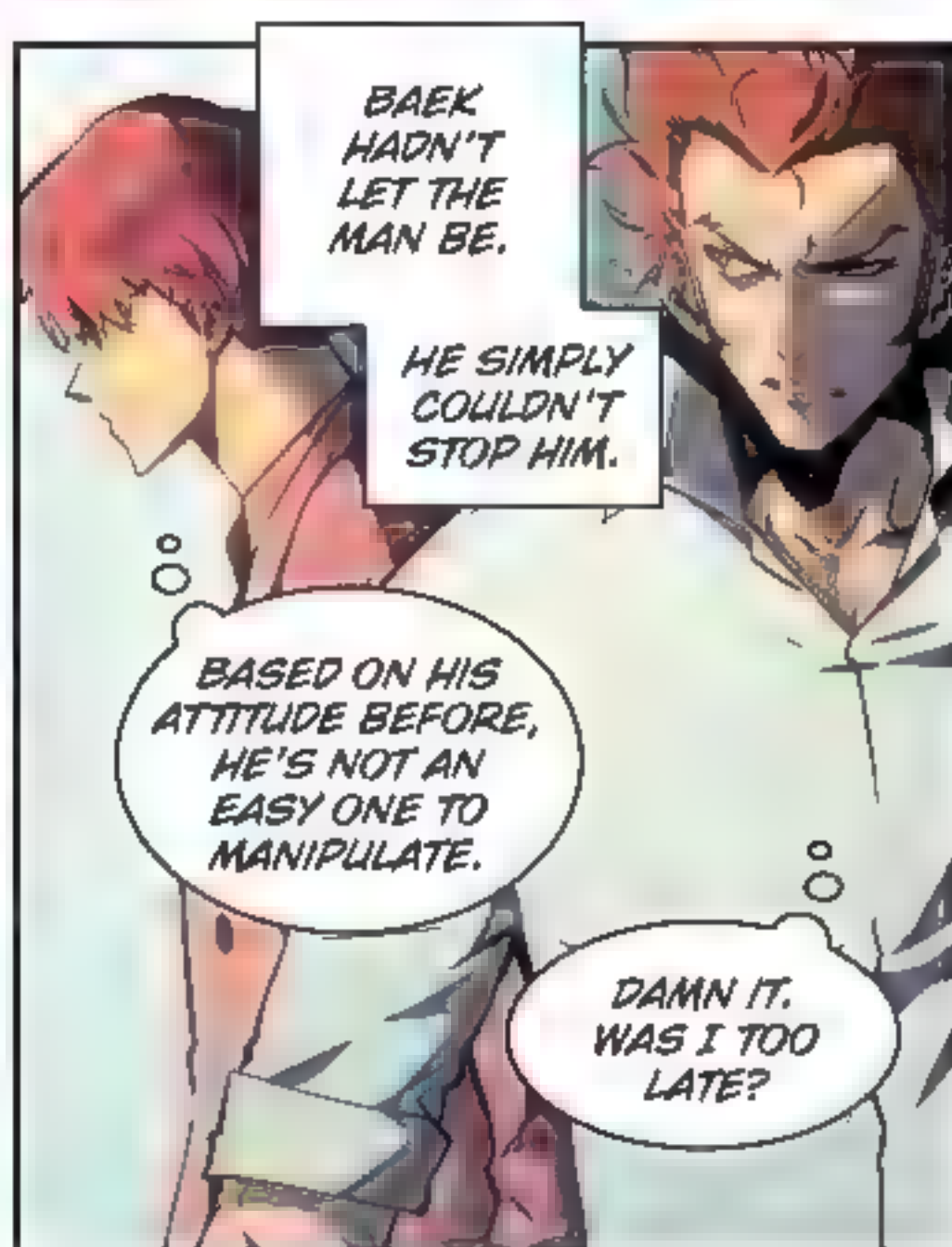
WHITE
TIGER GUILD,
THE TRAINING
INCIDENT...

...AND THE
NAMELESS
HELPER.



...FOUND
HIM.

IT WAS
THAT MAN.

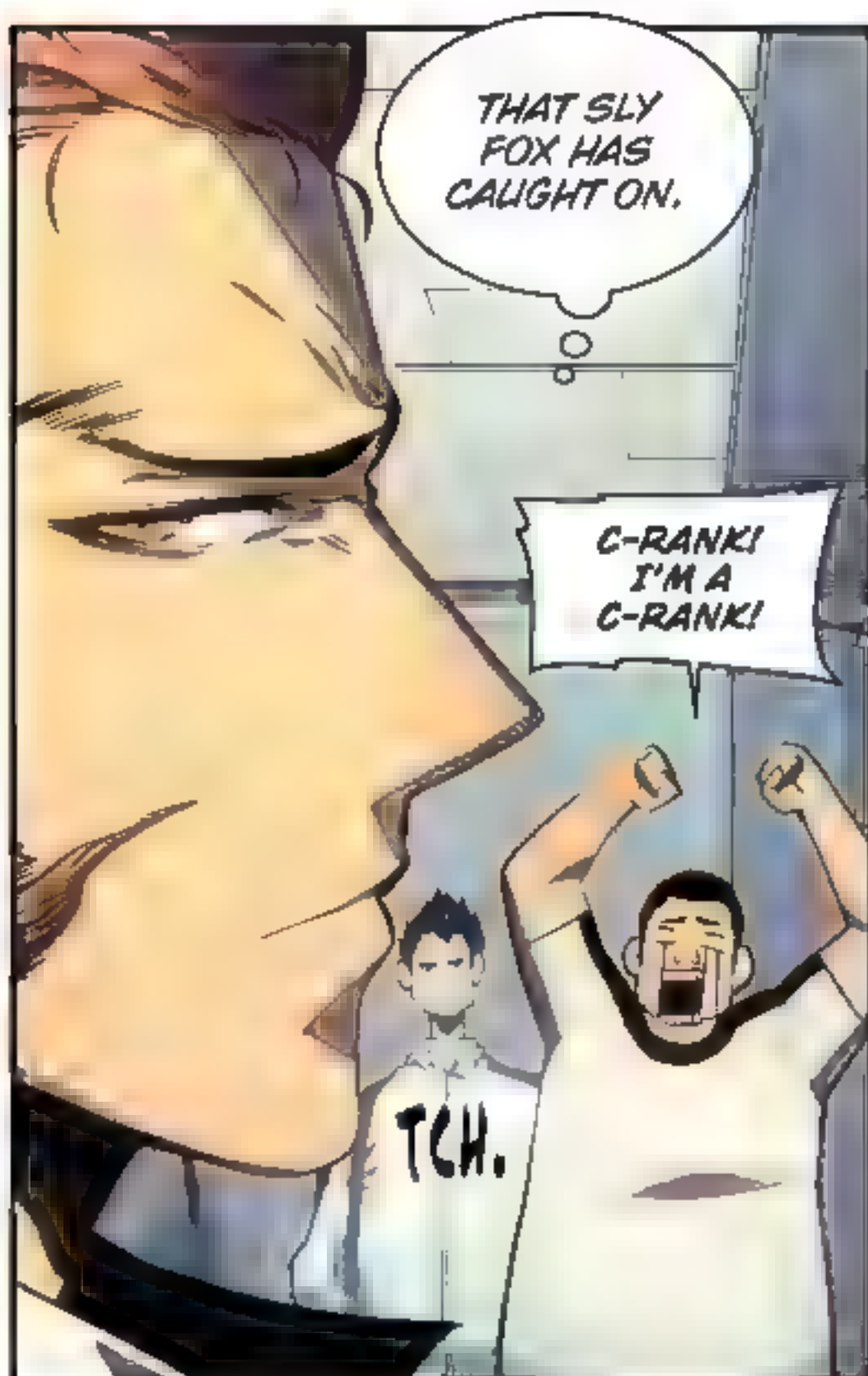


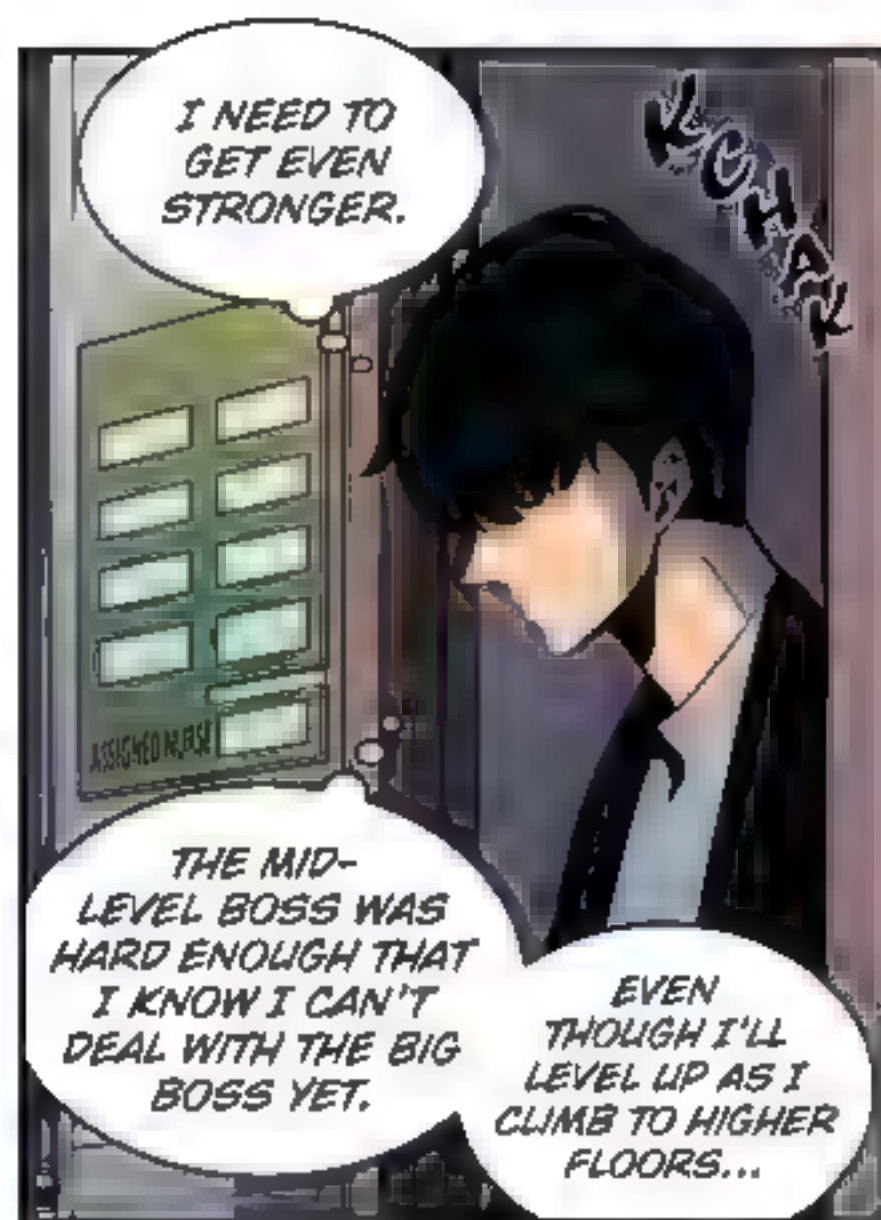
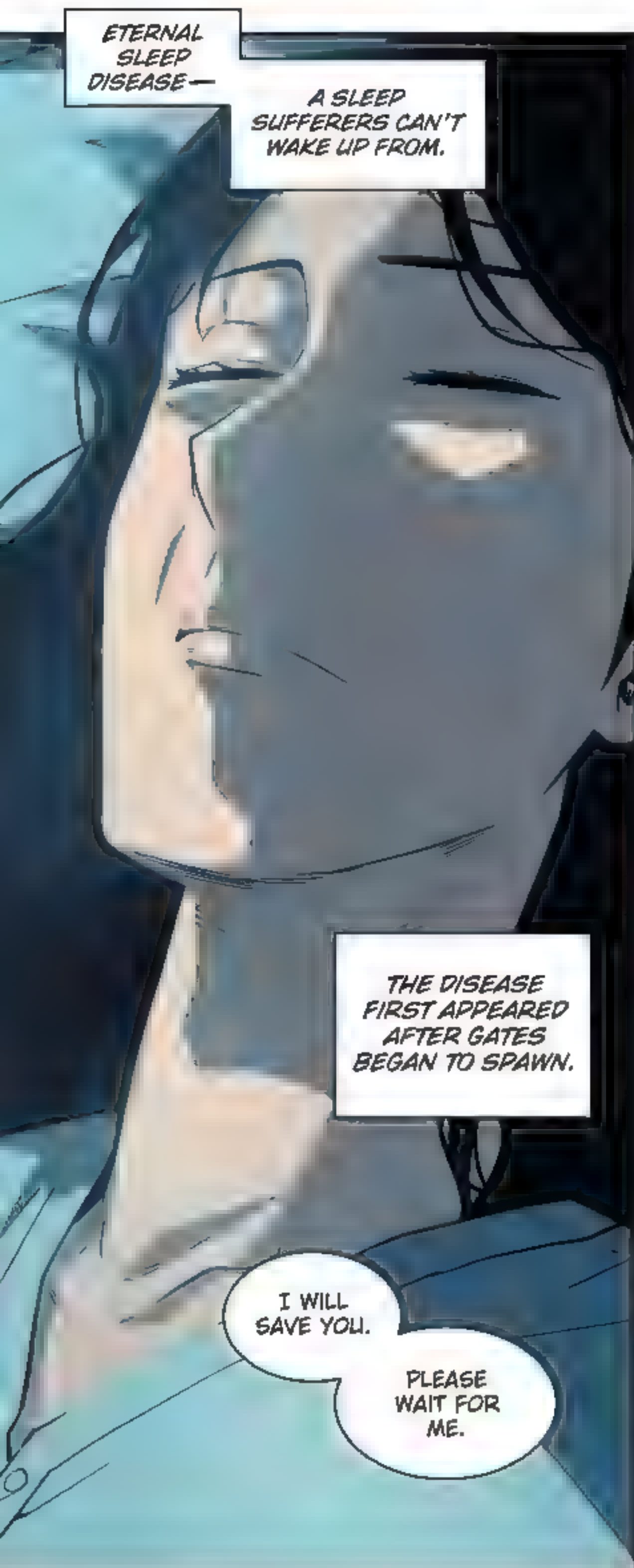
BAEK
HADN'T
LET THE
MAN BE.

HE SIMPLY
COULDN'T
STOP HIM.

BASED ON HIS
ATTITUDE BEFORE,
HE'S NOT AN
EASY ONE TO
MANIPULATE.

DAMN IT.
WAS I TOO
LATE?









**UNLESS
YOU'RE AN
S-RANK,
THAT IS.**



**SOMEONE
WANTS TO
MEET YOU.**

**WILL YOU
PLEASE
FOLLOW ME?**



THIS WAY.



**PRESIDENT
GUNHEE GO OF
THE HUNTER'S
ASSOCIATION.**

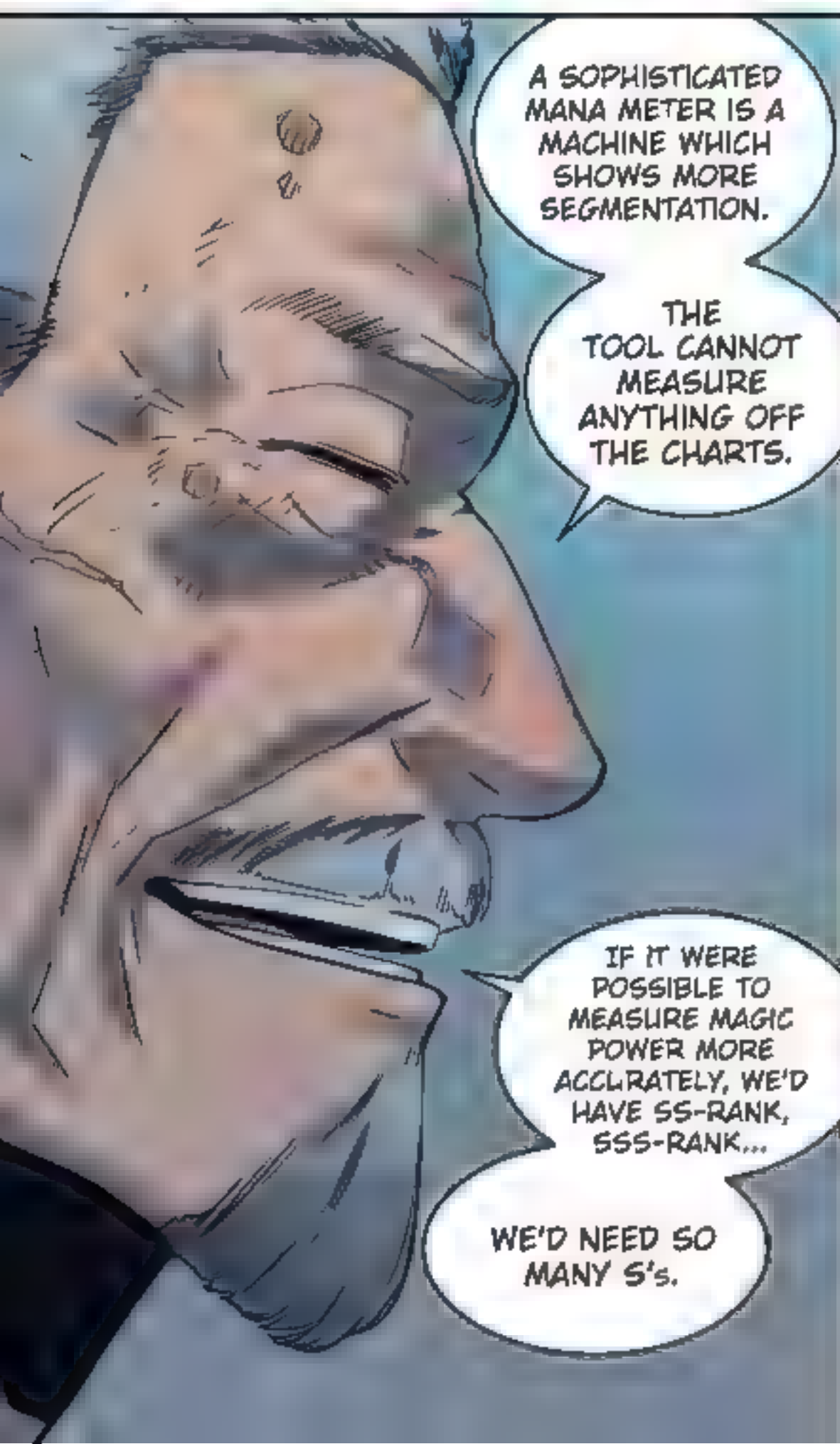
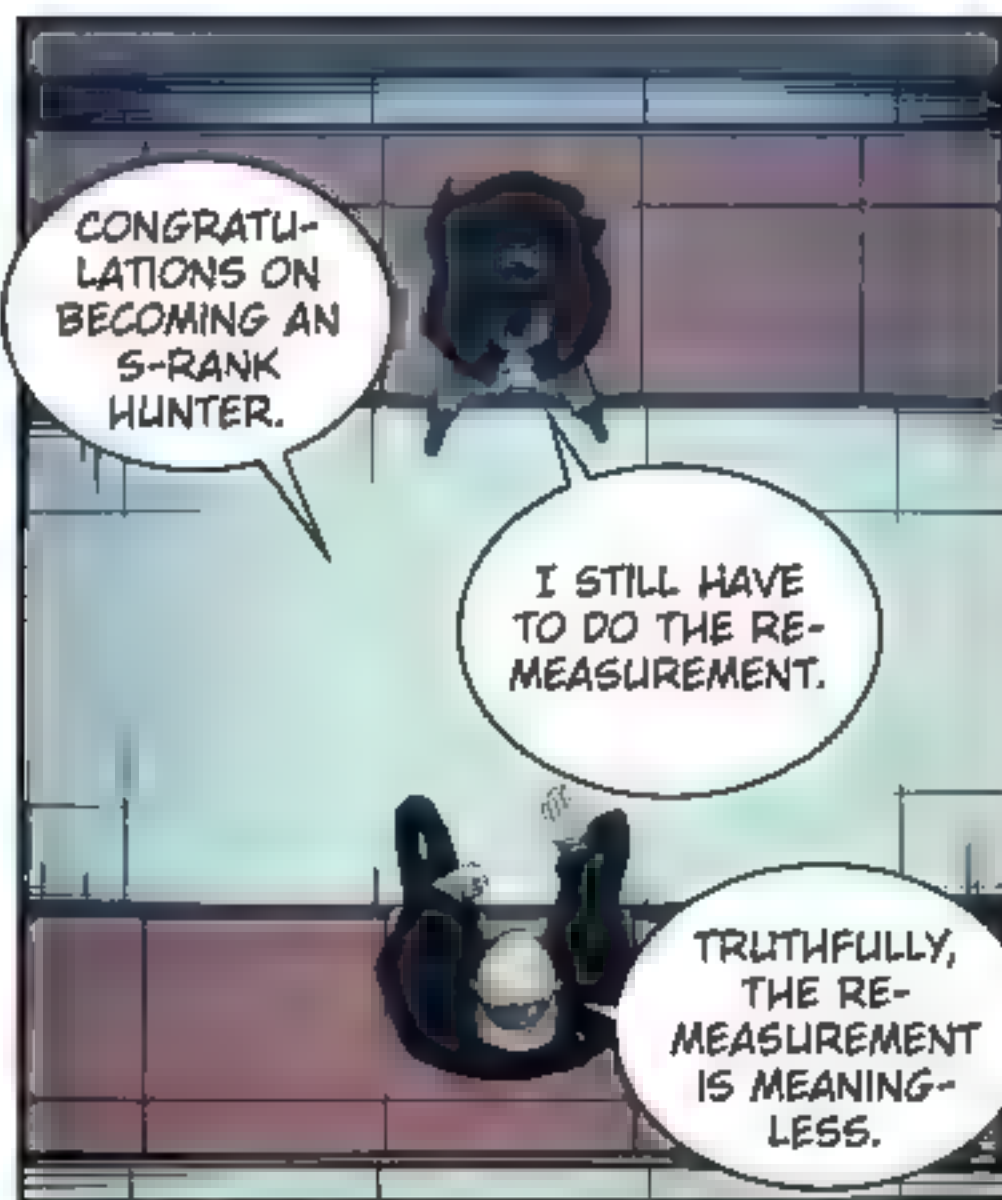


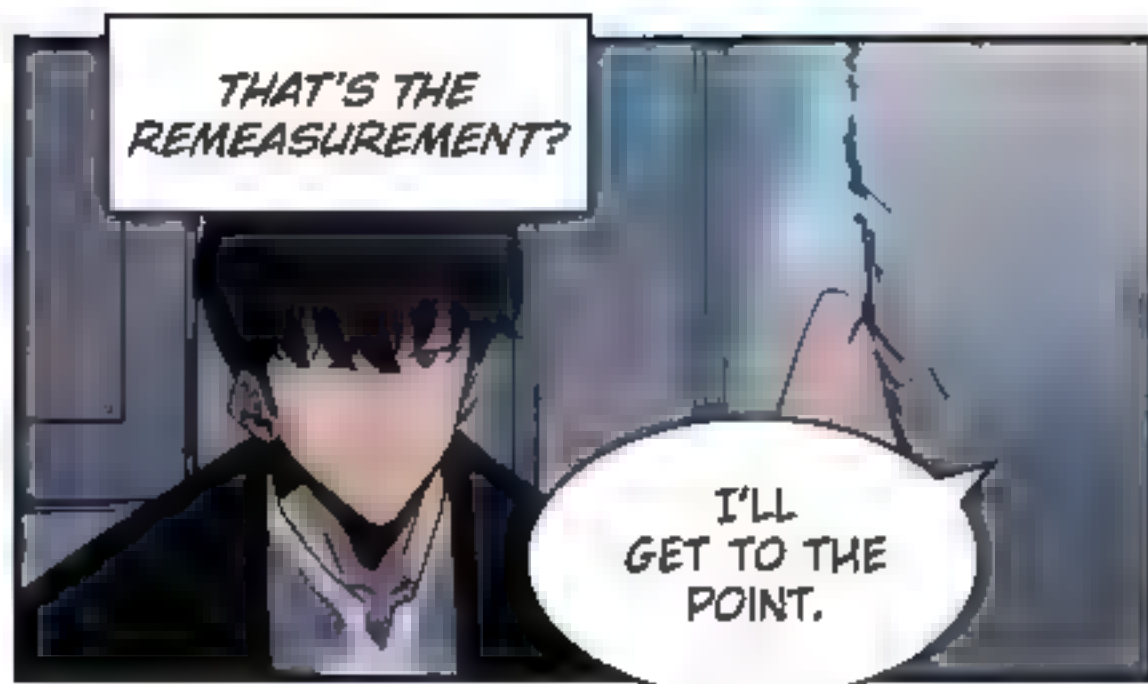
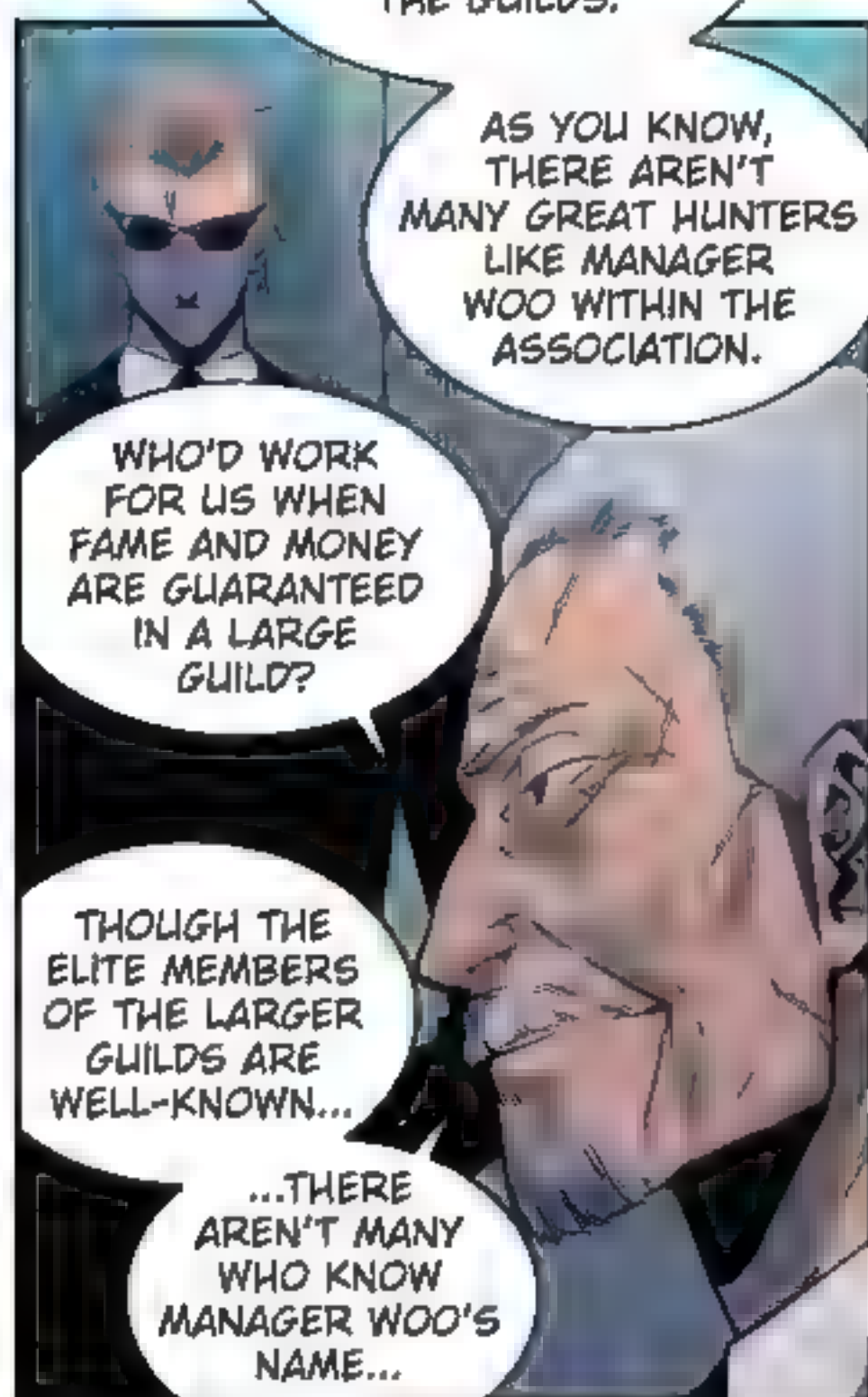
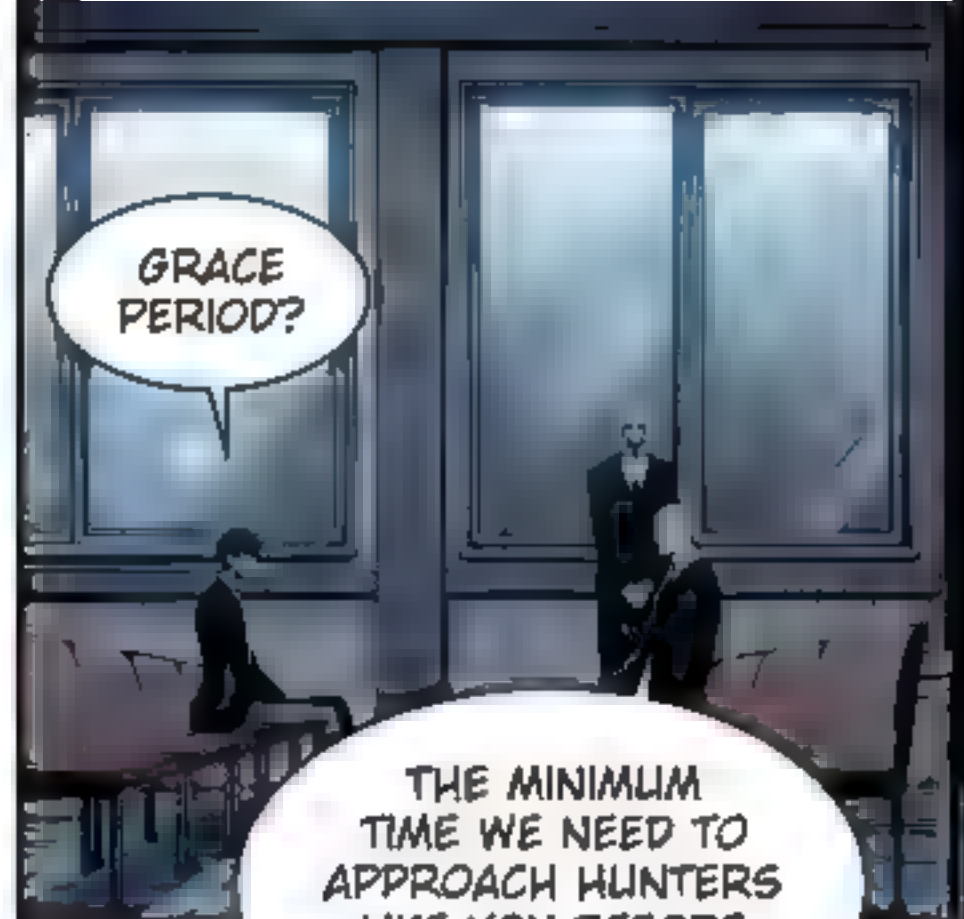
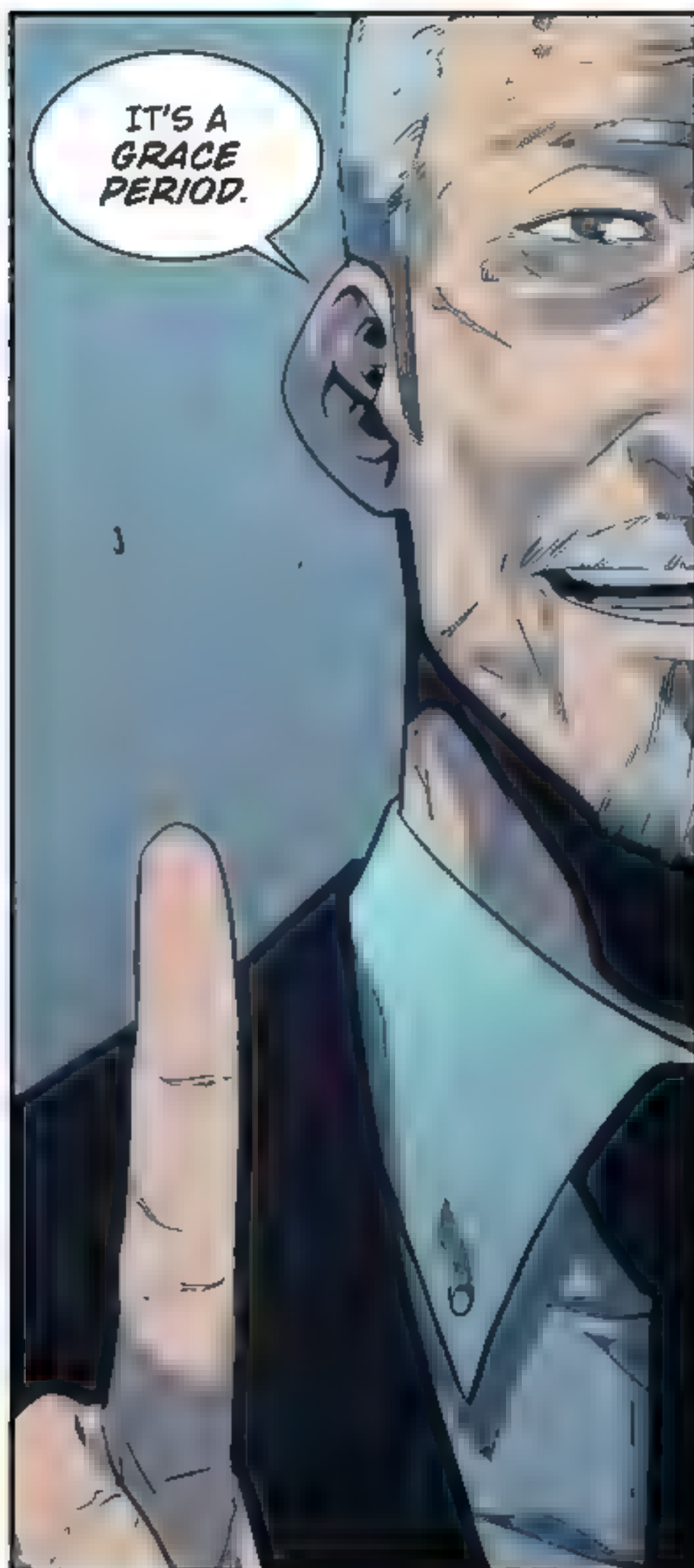
SO THAT'S...

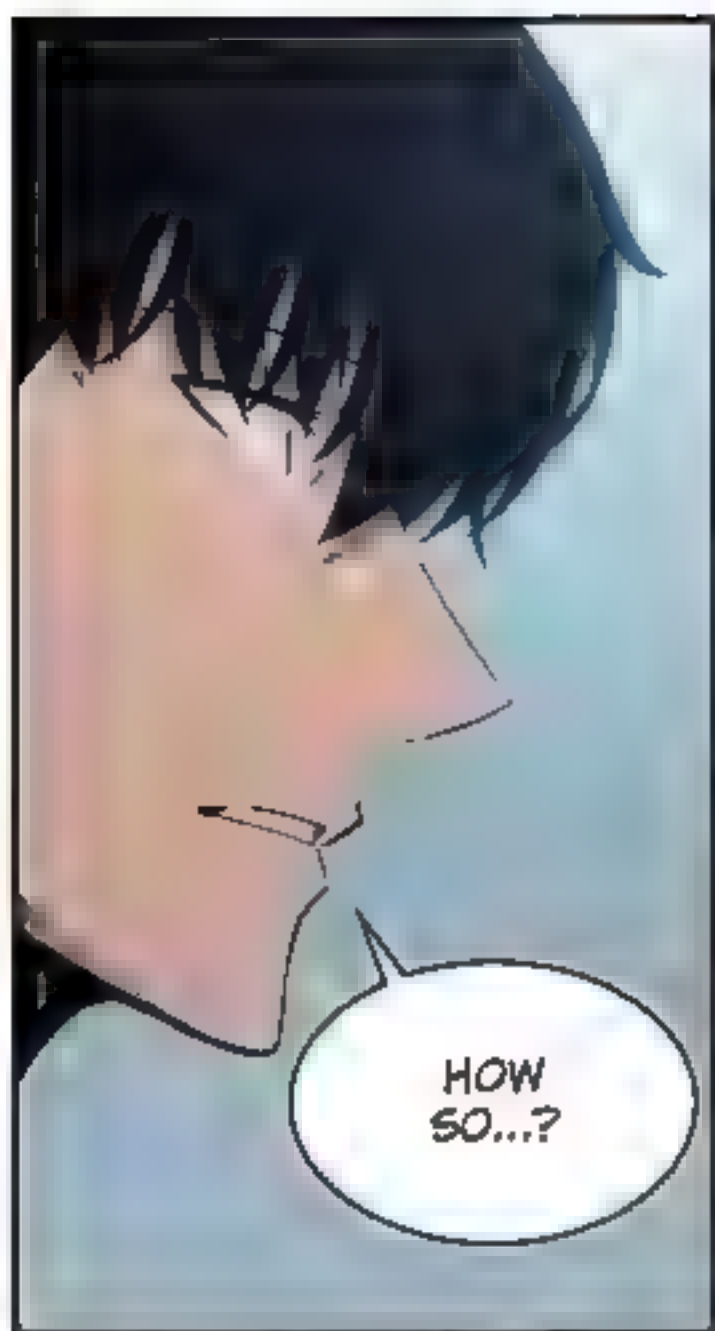


HUNTER
JINWOO
SUNG?

NICE TO
MEET YOU.
I'M GUNHEE
GO.







TO BE CONTINUED IN VOLUME 5...

HUNTER SUNG
JOINED A MINING
TEAM, NOT A
STRIKE SQUAD.



YOU SAID YOU'RE
AN E-RANK?



YES.

HE LOOKS
LIKE AN EXPERT,
DOESN'T HE?

CLANG

CLANG

OBVIOUSLY...
SUNG WAS BORN
TO BE A MINER!



THAT MAGIC
BEAST IS DEFINITELY
POWERFUL, BUT
WITH MY CURRENT
STATS...

JINWOO SUNG JOINS HUNTERS GUILD ON A RAID...

More danger awaits in the dungeon depths...
...as well as some new hunters!

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THE BEST STRIKE
SQUAD IN KOREA!

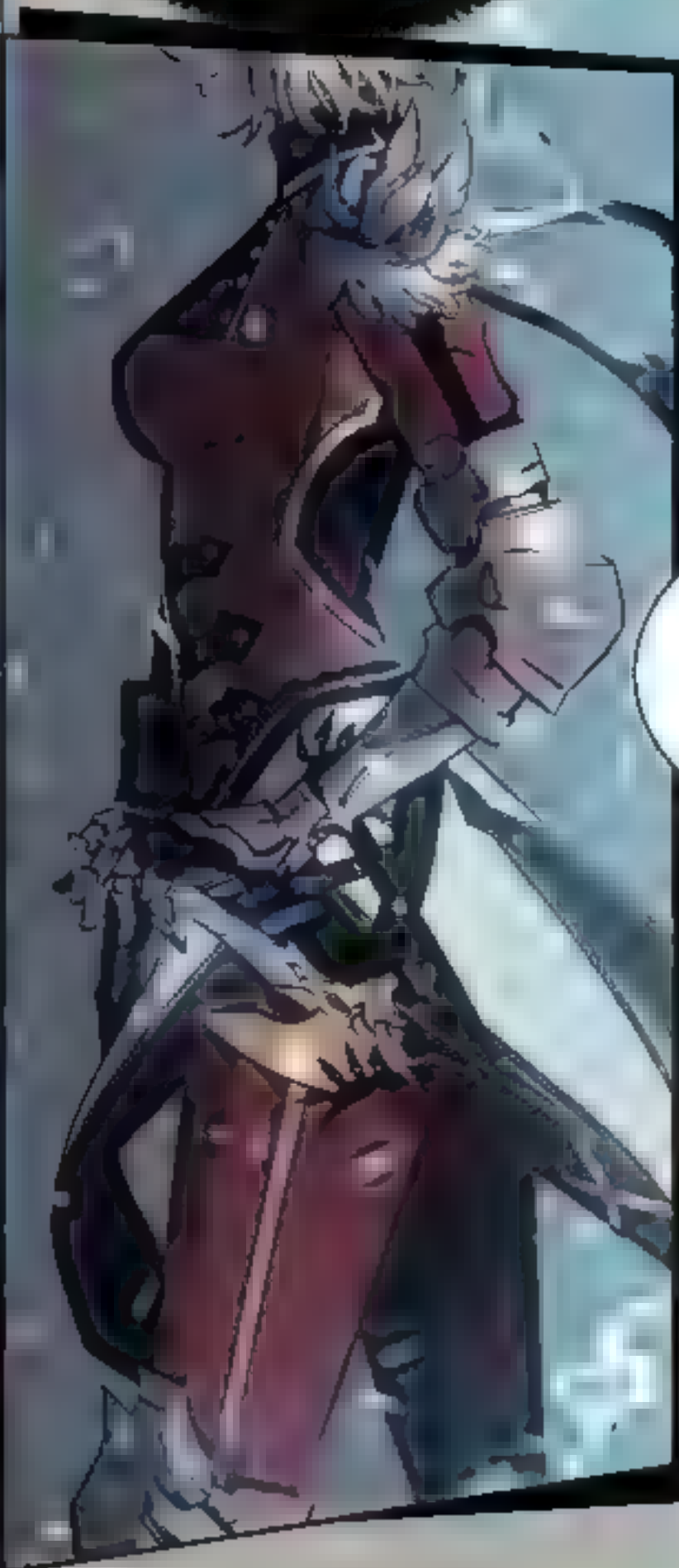
SHE'S THAT
S-RANK...

zzt

I HAVE A
WEIRDLY
OMINOUS
FEELING.

zzzt

I'M NOT A
MEMBER OF THE
STRIKE SQUAD,
SO WHAT DO I
CARE?



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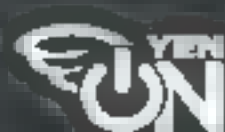
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